

CACE OHS Webinar

CORPORATIONS HAVE RIGHTS TOO! TRIAL WITHIN A REASONABLE TIME AFTER JORDAN



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Time: 12:00 pm – 1:15 pm EST

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In its July 8, 2016, in *R. v. Jordan*, the Supreme Court of Canada re-wrote the rules relating to the right to trial within a reasonable time as guaranteed by section 11(b) of the Charter. The new framework sought to simplify the analysis and increase predictability. Concepts like institutional delay and irremediable prejudice were replaced with presumptive ceilings and exceptional circumstances and delay applications became, arguably, more realistic for employers. The *Jordan* analysis has now been applied by the courts for almost two years. Its principles are developing and evolving and will, directly or indirectly, have an impact on regulatory prosecutions across Canada.

This webinar will address the changes made through the *Jordan* decision and discuss the practical impact they have for employers and counsel defending prosecutions. The issues that will be touched on will include:

- *Jordan* and corporations
- Defence delay (including delay caused by co-defendants)
- The transitional case exception
- Particularly complex cases and the Crown's obligation to manage them
- Delay arising from judicial deliberations
- The importance of putting your client's position on the record
- How comments made off the record at Pre-Trial Conferences can be relevant
- Practical guidance on putting together Section 11(b) Applications
- Best practices and practical steps for managing the *Jordan* framework

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