Code of Conduct for Public Observers Policy

Consultation Summary

Background

The Code of Conduct for Public Observers Policy was last approved and reviewed by Council in June of 2018. Due to the new policy framework, this document was updated to the new template. This document was reviewed by external legal counsel, to ensure that all legislative and regulatory requirements have been met.

The title, intent and direction of this policy has changed to broaden the scope so that it is applied to all members of the public who attend CRTO proceedings that are open to the public, such as Council meetings and Discipline Hearings. This policy has also been updated to include in-person and virtual proceedings. The policy has been revised for its readability and to incorporate gender-neutral language.

Consultation Feedback Details

The document was posted according to the CRTO's public consultation process. A consultation survey was posted on the CRTO's website, tweeted on the CRTO Twitter account and shared with members in the March and April bulletins. In total, 38 people viewed the consultation survey, and two responses were received (all Respiratory Therapists).

All respondents found the Policy clear and understandable. One respondent found the policy to have omissions and/or errors, further review of the document did not result in any findings of this. There were no comments received and no changes were made to the Code of Conduct for Public Observers Policy as a result of this feedback.

Date consultation opened for feedback: March 15, 2022

Length of time posted for consultation: 30-days

Date consultation closed: April 15, 2022

2 Completed (Views vs. Completions)

Outcome

The final policy and the consultation feedback were reviewed by Council at the May 27, 2022, meeting and approved for use.



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