

Monthly Passenger Bus and Urban Transit Survey

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Legal name

Year

Month

Total operating revenues (excluding subsidies)

\$

Total passengers

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE COMPLETING.

This information is collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, 1985, Chapter S19*. Completion of this questionnaire is a legal requirement under this Act. This document is confidential when completed.

Survey Purpose

This survey collects data essential for the statistical analysis of the passenger bus and urban transit industry and its impact on the Canadian economy.

Confidentiality

Statistics Canada is prohibited by law from releasing any information it collects which could identify any person, business, or organization, unless consent has been given by the respondent or as permitted by the *Statistics Act*, including paragraph 17(2)(g). The confidentiality provisions of the *Statistics Act* are not affected by either the *Access to Information Act* or any other legislation. Therefore, for example, the Canada Revenue Agency cannot access identifiable survey records from Statistics Canada.

Information from this survey will be used for statistical purposes only and will be published in aggregate form only.

Fax or Other Electronic Transmission Disclosure

Statistics Canada advises you that there could be a risk of disclosure during the facsimile or other electronic transmission. However, upon receipt, Statistics Canada will provide the guaranteed level of protection afforded to all information collected under the authority of the *Statistics Act*.

Federal Provincial Data Sharing Agreements

To avoid duplication and ease the burden on respondents, Statistics Canada has entered into agreements for this survey:

A. Under **section 11** of the *Statistics Act* with the Newfoundland and Labrador Statistics Agency and the Québec

Statistics Institute. Statistics Canada only enters into **section 11** agreements with provincial statistical agencies that have statistics acts similar to the federal act. These agencies have the authority to collect this information and the same provisions for confidentiality and penalties for disclosure of information as the *Federal Statistics Act*.

B. Under **section 12** of the *Statistics Act* with the Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Transportation and Works, the Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board, the Québec Department of Transportation, the Ontario Ministry of Transportation and Transport Canada (see section C below). These agencies are required to keep the information confidential and only use it for statistical and research purposes. Under **section 12**, respondents may object to the sharing of their information by giving notice in writing to the Chief Statistician and returning their letter of objection along with the completed questionnaire.

C. Under **section 12** of the *Statistics Act* with Transport Canada for the sharing of information from this survey. This information is required by Transport Canada and collected from federally regulated carriers under the authority of the *Canada Transportation Act* and pursuant to the *Carriers and Transportation and Grain Handling Undertakings Information Regulations*. Under **section 12** of the *Statistics Act*, non-federally regulated carriers may refuse to share their information with Transport Canada by giving notice in writing to the Chief Statistician and returning their letter of objection along with the completed questionnaire.

If you need further information or help, please call 1-866-500-8400