



Tabled by the Minister of Justice & Public Safety
November 17, 2025

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "K. Hawley George".

Department of Justice and Public Safety
Office of the Deputy Minister

NOV 17 2025

Kim Hawley George, K.C.
Clerk of the House of Assembly
East Block, Confederation Building
P.O. Box 8700
St. John's, NL A1B 4J6
KimHawleyGeorge@gov.nl.ca

Dear Kim Hawley-George:

In accordance with Section 16 (a) of the **Transparency and Accountability Act**, I acknowledge that the 2024-25 Annual Report for Legal Aid NL was not tabled by the legislated deadline of September 30, 2025, due to the caretaker status of Government of Newfoundland and Labrador. In accordance with the Act, I am tabling this now that the election is concluded.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "G. Smith".

Gerrie Smith
Deputy Minister and
Deputy Attorney General