LawSource - Tips

Accessing LawSource

Select LawSource from the My Subscriptions section of the WestlawNext Canada home page.

Select Make this My Start Page to make LawSource your new default page after signing in to WestlawNext Canada.
Overview
LawSource contains a comprehensive collection of primary materials, as well as commentary and finding tools to simplify research. The right hand pane contains links to additional tools and resources.

![Figure 3: LawSource start page](image)

Searching
From the LawSource start page you can search all LawSource content, or you can select one content type for a more targeted search.

![Figure 4: LawSource start page – search box](image)
Canadian Encyclopedic Digest
The Canadian Encyclopedic Digest (CED) is an invaluable starting point for your research. Organized into over 225 subject titles on every aspect of Canadian law and practice, the CED references tens of thousands of case law authorities and statutory provisions.

Browse the table of contents or search the entire CED or selected titles by using the checkbox next to the subject title. To enable the checkboxes, select **Specify content to search**.

To construct more focused searches, use the **Advanced** search template.

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**Figure 5:** CED table of contents

**Figure 6:** Advanced search template
Legislative Concordances

LawSource contains four legislative concordances which make it easy to compare similar legislative provisions in other Canadian jurisdictions.

Figure 7: LawSource start page - LawSource Concordances

Where can I find Help?

- Contact Carswell Technical or Reference Support, 24/7 at: **1-800-387-5164**.

- Go to the Customer Learning Centre ([www.carswell.com/learning/westlawnextcanada](http://www.carswell.com/learning/westlawnextcanada)) to access User Guides, Quick Reference Cards and video tutorials or to sign up for a live public Webinar facilitated by a Carswell Certified Professional Learning Consultant.

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