

YESAB Privacy Statement - WEBSITE

The Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Board (the Board) is an independent, arms-length body. Its governing legislation is the *Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act* (YESAA). The Board is also subject to the federal [Privacy Act](#) and is committed to providing visitors with websites that respect their privacy.

Any personal information created, held or collected by the Board is subject to the *Privacy Act*, and the individual to whom the information relates has rights of access to, correction of and protection of personal information under the same Act.

“Cookies”

Like most websites, our servers automatically collect anonymous and statistical information to learn about the habits of our site visitors. This information includes but is not limited to the:

- Anonymized Internet Protocol (IP) address of the domain from which the internet was accessed
- Pages visited within the www.yesab.ca site
- Internet address of the website from which you linked directly to our site
- Date and time of the visit
- Type of browser used

The collected information is shared with Google Inc., an external third party service provider and is used to run Google Analytics. Data collected for Web analytics purposes goes outside of Canada to the United States of America and may be subject to the governing legislation of that country, such as the USA *Patriot Act*.

The analytics provide the Board with valuable information about how the website is utilized and helps the Board improve the site on an ongoing basis. To safeguard your privacy, all IP addresses are anonymized by being truncated prior to being stored on the service provider's servers; no personally identifying information is recorded or provided to Google.

Information used for the purpose of Web analytics is collected pursuant to YESAA. Such data may be used for communications and information technology statistical purposes, audit, evaluation, research, planning and reporting.

Google Analytics uses "session" and "persistent" cookies. Session cookies only last the length of the browser session, while persistent cookies are stored on your computer and expire two years after your last visit to the website. For further information, consult [Google Analytics](#) and its [privacy policy](#).

Limitations

The collection, use and disclosure of personal information is carried out pursuant to YESAA.

Personal information will not be used or disclosed for purposes other than those for which it was collected, except with the consent of the individual or as allowed under the or required by law. For more information about privacy on the YOR, visit www.yesabregistry.ca.

Website Copyright

Some material and graphical elements found on our website are subject to copyrights held by third parties. In such cases, some restrictions on reproduction may apply and it may be necessary to seek permission from the rights holder. Any questions about reproduction and copyright issues should be directed to the Executive Director.

For more information

Questions or comments regarding this statement or the administration of the *Privacy Act* by the Board may be directed to the Chair of the Board at:

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If you are not satisfied with our response to your privacy concern, you may wish to contact the federal Office of the Privacy Commissioner (<http://www.priv.gc.ca/>).