

## 2023–2024 Annual Report Year in review

Public Guardian and Trustee	Child and Youth Services	Services to Adults	Estate and Personal Trust Services
26,781 clients <sup>1</sup>	<ul> <li>15,234 clients<sup>1</sup></li> <li>\$235 million assets<sup>2</sup></li> <li>45 staff<sup>3</sup></li> </ul>	7,902 clients <sup>1</sup>	<b>4,041</b> clients <sup>1</sup>
\$1.5 billion assets <sup>2</sup>		\$836 million assets <sup>2</sup>	<b>\$468 million</b> assets <sup>2</sup>
312 staff <sup>3</sup>		122 staff <sup>3</sup>	<b>57</b> staff <sup>3</sup>

## Performance result highlights

- Received 2,133 critical incident reports involving children in care; actioned 98% of reports within 30 days of receipt
- Received 1,732 requests for funds from child and youth trust accounts; issued funds for 86% of requests within 30 days
- Reviewed 39,021 requests for funds from adult trust accounts; disbursed funds for 98% of requests within 30 days
- Made 166 major health care decisions for adults as temporary substitute decision maker; made 99% of decisions within 3 business days
- Received 446 private committee accounts; reviewed 82% of accounts within 6 months of receipt
- Distributed **\$35,285,404** of estate funds to heirs and beneficiaries; this accounted for **92%** of total estate funds distributed, with the remaining funds transferred to BC Unclaimed

## Notable activities

- Acted on approximately 4,400 legal issues
- Received and assessed approximately 1,600
   estate administration requests
- Investigated clients' eligibility for settlement payments in 15 class actions and filed claims where appropriate
- Wrote a recommendation to the Ministry of Attorney General outlining amendments to the PGT Act that are needed to support property guardian services to Indigenous Governing Bodies
- Received an engagement score of 77 out of 100 in the BC Public Service's 2024 Workplace Environment Survey
- Spent 2023-24 building a **new website** and the PGT's **first digital services** for the public
- Responded to 47 formal requests for information

## Key figures

<b>PGT pooled funds rates of return</b> Premium Money Market Fund Balanced Income Fund Balanced Growth Fund	3.34% 5.03% 6.71%
<b>Assets under administration</b> Investments and securities Real property Other	\$1.1 billion \$326 million \$69 million
Other indicators Clients with trust accounts (at March 31, 2023) Client bills paid <sup>4</sup> Client receipts processed <sup>4</sup> Client RDSPs <sup>4</sup>	14,341 \$221 million \$283 million \$45 million

1 Client counts reflect the number of individual clients served throughout the year. The PGT total is less than the sum of the divisional totals as clients may require service in more than one division.

2 Total value of assets under administration (at March 31, 2024)