

# Ontario Environmental Assessment Seminar:

Obtaining A Better Understanding of How EA Procedures  
Work in Transportation Projects



Thursday January 29, 2009

1:00 pm–3:30 pm

Alterna Boardroom 4th floor,

Centre for Social Innovation

215 Spadina Avenue

Toronto, ON

## Agenda:

**Jim Chan**, the Senior Program Officer of the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency will provide a presentation on the Federal EA process in road and highway development and how it co-ordinates with the Provincial process.

**Ellen Schwartzel**, Senior Manager of Policy Analysis for the Environmental Commissioner of Ontario, will provide an overview of the Provincial EA process, discuss problems with the process and opportunities for reform.

**Albert Koehl** of Ecojustice will speak about the typical results of an EA process and will provide details of a case that Ecojustice recently won against a classification decision under the Municipal Class EA, related to a road project.

Space is limited  
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\$10  
Non-members: \$15  
Students: PWYC  
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The panel presentation will be followed by a question and answer period.

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