

Copyright Board  
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Commission du droit d'auteur  
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<b>Date</b>	2026-01-15
<b>Ruling of the Board</b>	CB-CDA 2026-004
<b>Proceeding</b>	Online Music Video Services (2014-2018)
<b>Members</b>	The Honourable Luc Martineau Katherine Braun René Côté

[1] On April 8, 2025, SOCAN filed its revised Request for Approval (“RFA”) for the Board’s consideration.

[2] Subsection 10(2) of the RFA proposes that

(2) Information referred to in subsection (1) may be shared [...]

(b) by SOCAN, in connection with the collection of royalties or the enforcement of a tariff, with CMRRA; [...]

[3] The Board’s preliminary view is that paragraph (b) is not relevant, since the CMRRA does not have a proposed or approved tariff for music videos for the years 2014-2018.

[4] SOCAN may make submissions to explain why this provision is present in the RFA and address the Board’s preliminary view, no later than **January 29, 2026**.