

## For Public Release

## Panel VS DMCIR

## Panel – Pros :

- Only 5 people = easier to get consensus
- 5 people selected based on their expertise (i.e. JUS is on)

## Panel – Cons:

- They are not always ready
- Why 2 processes: one in election and one not in election

## DMCIR – Pros:

- Because they meet on a regular basis (right?), they are in a permanent state of readiness should an election be called
- Rosenberg talked about the difficulty of getting quorum – could be easier with more people?
- Combines both SITE and Panel – the link is made already
- Would simplify the process – the DMCIR does its regular job in non-election times (i.e. goes to Ministers and tell them) and in election times, instead decides whether or not they should announce to Canadians

## DMCIR – Cons:

- At time of elections, Clerk comes in and chairs instead of NSIA – is this a con/complication?
- Is it weird that it combines SITE and Panel? Does it make for a problematic dynamic?
- JUS DM is not on – mitigation: add them