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BC First Province in Canada to Introduce Digital Signature Technology to Online Organ Donation Registry

BC Transplant partners with Recombo to uphold donation decisions while streamlining registration process

Vancouver, BC – June 26, 2008 – [BC Transplant](#), an agency of the Provincial Health Services Authority, responsible for all aspects of organ donation and transplantation in British Columbia, today announced BC has become the first province in Canada to offer an online, legal organ donor consent system incorporating digital signature technology from Vancouver-based [Recombo Inc.](#)

“I am proud that British Columbia is the first province in Canada to introduce technology that will allow residents to register completely online as organ donors,” said Health Services Minister George Abbott, “The online registry should help make it easier for people to give the gift of life.”

British Columbians can now register their decision on BC’s Organ Donor Registry more quickly and efficiently using the customized donor registration form (<https://www.transplant.bc.ca/onlinereg/bcts.asp>) that offers a legal and paperless online alternative to mailing in forms.

“We recognized the need to embrace new technology, and make the organ donation process simpler and more efficient” said Bill Barrable, Provincial Executive Director for BC Transplant.

The entire registration process is housed online in a secure system that functions similarly to online banking systems. Once a form is completed, registrants generate a legally binding digital signature verifying their organ donation decision. Consent cannot be overturned or changed by anyone else, other than the registrant at a later date.

“Updating the online organ donation registry process to a wholly digital platform is a major breakthrough for those wishing to register their decision on organ donation, as well as those in need of transplants,” said Mike Gardner, CEO of Recombo Inc. “And being fully paperless, it’s also an environmentally-friendly solution—an increasingly important aspect for British Columbians. For Recombo, this is a proud moment to be associated with BC Transplant, and a Canadian first.”

About BC Transplant

BC's Organ Donor Registry (ODR) was introduced ten years ago, and replaced the system of placing a decal on your Driver's Licence or CareCard. Currently, more than 660,000 British Columbians have registered on the Organ Donor Registry.

Hundreds of British Columbians are still waiting for a live-saving transplant. What are you waiting for? Register your decision about organ donation on BC's Organ Donor Registry at www.transplant.bc.ca.

About Recombo Inc.

More companies in both Canada and the U.S. are embracing interactive agreement technology as one of the most cost-effective means of simplifying and safeguarding day-to-day business processes.

From Financial Services to HR, companies that deal with contracts and agreements as a core part of their businesses have fully integrated secure electronic agreement technology into their practices, fulfilling legally binding services at significantly reduced administrative costs.

Recombo Inc. is a leading provider of interactive agreement and digital signature software. Recombo WAYPOINT™ is an online service that lets businesses complete any contract or agreement through email and the internet. Enterprises using Recombo WAYPOINT™ are more effective, more efficient and reduce costs without investing in IT infrastructure. For more information, please visit <http://www.recombo.com>

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