

Business Interruption Insurance and the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Canadian Experience

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Dominic T. Clarke and Anthony H. Gatensby have collaborated to write an article entitled, "Business Interruption Insurance and the COVID-19 Pandemic: The Canadian Experience".

This chapter provides an overview of the current status of the Canadian legal processes grappling with the coverage issues arising out of the COVID-19 pandemic. It aims to provide a frank discussion about the difficulties faced by the Canadian judiciary in face of the urgent need for a resolution of the many outstanding coverage issues. As a part of that discussion, we compare the expedited processes which have taken place in both the UK and Australia to the omnibus class action of *Workman Optometry Professional Corporation et al. v. Certas Home and Auto Insurance Company et al.*, which highlights the traditional constraints of Canadian judicial processes which stand in the way of providing much-needed answers to insurers and policyholders alike.

Read the full article, featured in the International Comparative Legal Guide to Insurance & Reinsurance 2022 edition [here](#).

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