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# Judge George Ferguson Award

**“It’s easy to make a buck. It’s a lot tougher to make a difference.”**

**Tom Brokaw**

## Why the Award

March of Dimes Past President, Judge George Ferguson’s life and work contributed to and modelled the theme of the International Year of Disabled Persons. This award, created in 1981, and named in his honour, is presented annually to a business, organization, or individual contributing in an outstanding way to enabling “*equality and full participation for people with disabilities*” throughout Canada.

## Eligibility Criteria

- The Nominee’s work with, or on behalf of, people with disabilities, has effected changes in policies or services and had province-wide or national impact.
- The Nominee’s contribution has helped to achieve a higher quality of life and full participation for people with disabilities.
- The Nominee played a leading role in the policy, program and/or activity resulting in the outcome/ impact described.

**Nominee Information (*the candidate you are nominating*)**

First and Last Name:		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Address (#, Street):		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Area Code/Phone Number: (    )	E-mail Address:	

**Eligibility Criteria: Please complete the following. Attach additional pages as required.**

Describe the Nominee's work with, or on behalf of, people with disabilities across Canada:

Describe the impact of the Nominee's work in creating equality and full participation for people with disabilities:

3. How is this a unique contribution? Describe the Nominee's leadership in regards to the outcome / impact:

4. Please attach references. Optional information, labelled with the Nominee's return address and name, may be included with the nomination. Please indicate type and number of optional information below:

<input type="checkbox"/> References: Number _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Press Clippings: Number _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Photos: Number _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify):

**Nominator**

Name:	Area Code/Phone Number: (    )	
Address:	City:	Postal Code:
E-mail Address:		
Signature:	Date (mm/dd/yy):	

**Please Send Completed Form and Supporting Materials to:**

Awards Selection Committee,  
c/o Sr. Executive Assistant, March of Dimes Canada  
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