BUSINESS NUMBER

Improve access to services with one number

CHALLENGES FOR BUSINESS

- **Difficulty managing multiple government service accounts**

  One number to access all business transactions with government

- **Time wasted re-entering the same basic business information**

  A standard identifier supports data sharing and Tell Us Once

CHALLENGES FOR GOVERNMENT

- **Data validation supporting evidence-based decisions is manual and time consuming**

  The Business Number supports access to sharing of information from **a trusted source** in real time (e.g., company legal name, owner/director name, status of company, etc.)

THE BUSINESS NUMBER DELIVERS VALUE

VALUE FOR BUSINESS

- **Faster Access to Services**

  Information and services can be personalized for clients, creating better access to services, and meeting client needs

- **Tell Us Once / Autofill**

  Pre-populate forms and validate identity by accessing trusted information sources

- **Bundled Services & Proactive Offers**

  Access to multiple government services using the Business Number

VALUE FOR GOVERNMENT

- **Increase Efficiency**

  Departments can access verified information to create more efficient processes

- **Improve Program Integrity**

  Programs can validate clients when accessing government services

THE BUSINESS NUMBER IN ACTION

- **INNOVATION, SCIENCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CANADA**

  Proving business with easier access to grants and advisory services with the Canada Digital Adoption Program

- **EMPLOYMENT AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT CANADA**

  Improving program integrity to ensure legitimate employers gain access to the Job Bank

- **VETERANS AFFAIRS CANADA**

  Improving financial integrity by identifying errors linked to vendor payments in advance

Enhance your services – contact us at **bnadoptionne@ised-isde.gc.ca** to learn more about how you can leverage Business Number information!