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Lists

Many legal documents and reports come with numbered and lettered lists, and sub-lists. We want to keep the document as close to the original as possible, so it is best to use what is called a blank or hidden list to any sub-lists. This means **it will look** like it only has normal style, but the underlying code will have a list applied to the sub-lists, so that users can more easily navigate.

Here is a [Tutorial for creating Blank Lists](#).

First make sure all styles are cleared from the document, then apply normal style. Once you have done this you can create the lists. The process is similar to applying Unordered Lists, but you select the **blank bullet character** instead of a standard bullet option. You will then note that though the document looks the same, there is now a List Paragraph style in the style pane.

Example

Here is a visual example of what it will look like when you are done. Note: That it looks like there are no lists applied, and the style is still set to normal. Again, this is due to the nature of blank/hidden lists.

Definitions

1 In this Regulation,

(a) "Act" means the Libraries Act;

(b) "Deputy Minister" means the Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs;

(b.1) "intermunicipal agreement" means an intermunicipal agreement under section 12.2 of the Act;

(c) "library resources" means any material, regardless of format, that is held in a library's collection and includes books, periodicals, audio recordings, video recordings, projected media, paintings, drawings, photographs, micromaterials, toys and games, kits, CD-ROMs and electronic databases;

(d) "library service point" means a facility that provides public library services under the control and management of a board;

(e) "resource sharing" means making available to other libraries the library resources owned by a board, the information contained in those resources and the staff expertise required to locate and make available the information or the library resources.

For more info on apply unordered and blank lists please refer to the [Lists](#) page.

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