

There have been several Charter applications that the court heard about religious freedom and 1 about mandatory vaccination. The court found that rights were being violated but that it was justified under section 1 of the Charter because of the pandemic. 7 churches in Manitoba filed a Charter Challenge claiming that their religious rights were violated by the covid-measures which reduced attendance, required mask and social distancing and in some cases prohibited singing. The court found that their right to religious freedom was infringed but under section 1 of the charter the infringement was allowed therefore the court ruled that there was no charter infringement. The same thing occurred in February 2022 with the Church of God. The court ruled that in the case of Toronto Teachers College that mandatory vaccination for employment did not violate the Charter.