The Canadian child support scheme: from design to implementation

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Three pillars for one scheme

1- Enforcement Support (1995)
3- Tax Exemptions (1997)
TWO DIFFERENT MOTIVATIONS CONVERGED in THE 1990s

1- Feminists against economic inequalities between men and women
2- Public concerns to reduce the cost of poverty and to reform family justice
Provisional conclusions

- The recovery rate of the Revenue Agency is about 80%.
- The rate of law income in single parent families has declined. But
- About half of agreements between parents are not registered in the enforcement system.
- One non-custodial parent out of three do not pay child support.