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Garey is the Head of Canadian Equities and co-manages numerous Canadian equity strategies at ClearBridge Investments. He joined ClearBridge in 2023 and has 33 years of investment industry experience.

Prior to joining ClearBridge, Garey was the Chief Investment Officer at Franklin Bissett Investment Management, which became part of ClearBridge in 2023. Previously, he was the Director of Equity Research at Franklin Bissett; Assistant Treasurer at Poco Petroleum; and Account Officer at Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce.

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