## Appendix D Schedule 1

# Amendments to National Instrument 41-101 - General Prospectus Requirements

- 1. National Instrument 41-101 General Prospectus Requirements is amended by this Instrument.
- 2. Section 1.1 is amended
  - (a) by adding the following definition:
    - "Form 41-101F3" means Form 41-101F3 *Information Required in a Scholarship Plan Prospectus* of this Instrument;
  - (b) by replacing the definition of "long form prospectus" with the following:
    - "long form prospectus" means a prospectus filed in the form of Form 41-101F1, Form 41-101F2 or Form 41-101F3;, and
  - (c) by adding the following definition:
    - "plan summary" means a document prepared in accordance with the requirements of Part A of Form 41-101F3;
- 3. Subsection 1.2(6) is amended by replacing "in Form 41-101F1 and Form 41-101F2," with "in Form 41-101F1, Form 41-101F2 and Form 41-101F3,".
- 4. Section 3.1 is amended
  - (a) in subsection (1) by replacing "subsection (2) and (3)" with "subsections (2), (2.1) and (3)"
  - (b) in subsection (2) by adding ",other than a scholarship plan," after "investment fund", and
  - (c) by adding the following subsection:
    - (2.1) An issuer that is a scholarship plan filing a prospectus must file the prospectus in the form of Form 41-101F3..
- 5. The Instrument is amended by adding the following Part:

## **PART 3A: Scholarship Plan Prospectus Requirements**

#### Plain language and presentation

- **3A.1**(1) A scholarship plan prospectus must be prepared using plain language and in a format that assists in readability and comprehension.
- (2) A scholarship plan prospectus must
  - (a) present all information briefly and concisely,
  - (b) present the items listed in Parts A to D of Form 41-101F3 in the order set out in those parts,
  - (c) use only the headings and sub-headings prescribed by Form 41-101F3 unless stated otherwise,
  - (d) contain only information that is specifically mandated or permitted by Form 41-101F3, and
  - (e) not incorporate by reference into the scholarship plan prospectus, information that is required to be included in a scholarship plan prospectus.

# (3) A plan summary must

- (a) be prepared for each scholarship plan offered under a scholarship plan prospectus or multiple scholarship plan prospectus, and
- (b) not exceed 4 pages in length.

### **Combinations of documents**

- **3A.2**(1) Subject to subsection (2), a scholarship plan prospectus may be consolidated with one or more scholarship plan prospectuses to a form a multiple scholarship plan prospectus.
- (2) A scholarship plan prospectus must not be consolidated with one or more scholarship plan prospectuses to form a multiple scholarship plan prospectus unless the portions of each scholarship plan prospectus prepared in accordance with the requirements of Parts B and D of Form 41-101F3 are substantially similar.

#### Order of contents of bound documents

- **3A.3** If documents are attached to, or bound with, a scholarship plan prospectus or multiple scholarship plan prospectus
  - (a) the scholarship plan prospectus or multiple scholarship plan prospectus must be the first document contained in the package, and
  - (b) no pages must come before the scholarship plan prospectus or multiple scholarship plan prospectus other than, at the option of the scholarship plan, a general front cover and table of contents pertaining to the entire package.

# Plan summary

- **3A.4**(1) Despite section 3A.3, a plan summary must not be attached to, or bound with, any other part of a scholarship plan prospectus, or to any other document, except as provided in this section.
- (2) A plan summary of a scholarship plan may be attached to or bound with one or more plan summaries of other scholarship plans if the binding, to a reasonable person, would help present the information in a simple, accessible and comparable format.

#### Documents to be delivered or sent upon request

- **3A.5**(1) On request by a person or company, a scholarship plan must deliver or send a copy of one or more the following documents free of charge to the person or company:
  - (a) the scholarship plan prospectus or multiple scholarship plan prospectus;
  - (b) any document incorporated by reference into the scholarship plan prospectus;
  - (c) any portion of a document described in paragraph (a) or (b).
- (2) A document requested under subsection (1) must be delivered or sent within 3 business days of receipt of the request.
- 6. Subsection 4.2(2) is amended by replacing "the form of Form of 41-101F2" with "the form of Form 41-101F2 or Form 41-101F3".
- 7. Paragraph 5.1(a) is amended by adding the following subparagraph:

- (ii.1) section 9.1 of Part D of Form 41-101F3.
- 8. Paragraph 5.1(b) is amended by adding the following subparagraph:
  - (ii.1) section 9.3 of Part D of Form 41-101F3.
- 9. Section 6.1 is amended by adding the following subsection:
  - (3) Despite subsections (1) and (2), an amendment to a plan summary must be prepared in accordance with Part A of Form 41-101F3 without any further identification, and dated as of the date the plan summary is being amended.
- 10. Paragraph 9.1(a) is amended by adding the following subparagraph:
  - (iv.1) if the issuer is a scholarship plan, in addition to the documents filed under subparagraph (iv), a copy of the scholarship plan contract for the scholarship plan under the prospectus;
- 11. Subparagraph 9.2(a)(iv) is amended by adding "or (iv.1)" after "subparagraph 9.1(a)(iv)".
- 12. Section 15.1 is amended by deleting ", other than scholarship plans".
- 13. Subsection 15.2(1) is replaced with the following:
  - (1) An investment fund must incorporate by reference into its long form prospectus, by means of a statement to that effect, the filed documents listed in
    - (a) section 37.1 of Form 41-101F2 for investment funds other than scholarship plans, and
    - (b) subsection 4.1(1) of Part B of Form 41-101F3 for scholarship plans..
- 14. Subsection 15.2(3) is replaced with the following:
  - (3) An investment fund must incorporate by reference in its long form prospectus, by means of a statement to that effect, the subsequently filed documents referred to in
    - (a) section 37.2 of Form 41-101F2 for investment funds other than scholarship plans, and
    - (b) subsection 4.1(2) of Part B of Form 41-101F3 for scholarship plans..

- 15. Subsection 17.1(2) is amended by replacing "Form 41-101F1 or Form 41-101F2, as applicable," with "Form 41-101F1, Form 41-101F2 or Form 41-101F3, as applicable,".
- 16. The General Instructions of Form 41-101F2 are amended by deleting the following sentence in General Instruction (7):

However, scholarship plans may make modifications to the disclosure items in order to reflect the special nature of their investment structure and distribution mechanism..

- 17. Subsection 1.3(1) of Item 1 of Form 41-101F2 is amended by deleting ", scholarship plan".
- 18. Subsection 1.11(3) of Item 1 of Form 41-101F2 is amended by replacing "venture capital fund, commodity pool or scholarship plan," with "venture capital fund or commodity pool,".
- 19. Section 1.15 of Item 1 of Form 41-101F2 is amended by deleting "other than a scholarship plan,".
- 20. Section 3.6 of Item 3 of Form 41-101F2 is amended
  - (i) by deleting "[for scholarship plans, Fees and Expenses payable by Subscribers' Deposits]" in the table to subsection (2), and
  - (ii) by deleting "or by Subscribers' Deposits (for scholarship plans)" in subsection (3).
- 21. Item 37 of Form 41-101F2 is amended by deleting "other than a scholarship plan," in Section 37.1 and Section 37.2.
- 22. The Instrument is amended by adding the following form after Form 41-101F2:

Form 41-101F3
Information Required in a Scholarship Plan Prospectus

[...]

23. This Instrument comes into force on May 31, 2013.