Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority

Form F

[*Subclause 17(5)(b)(ii)*]

SPOUSE'S CONSENT TO TRANSFER FROM A POOLED REGISTERED PENSION PLAN OR A POOLED RETIREMENT SAVINGS ACCOUNT CONTRACT TO A POOLED RETIREMENT INCOME ACCOUNT CONTRACT

I, ____

(print or type full name of spouse)

certify that I am the spouse within the meaning of clause 2(1)(p) of *The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Act* (the "Act") of

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(print or type full name of member)

("the owner") who is a member of a pooled registered pension plan and holds a pooled registered pension plan account ("the account") or who is the owner of a pooled retirement savings account contract ("the PRSA") that is subject to the provisions of the Act;

1. I understand that the owner wants to transfer the amount in his or her account or PRSA to a pooled retirement income account contract ("the contract") in accordance with section 17 of *The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Regulations*, and that my written consent is required to enable the owner to make the transfer.

2. I understand that transferring the account or the PRSA to the contract will allow the owner to manage the money in the contract, subject to the minimum annual withdrawal payment required by the *Income Tax Act* (Canada).

3. I also understand that there is no maximum withdrawal restriction imposed under the contract and that the owner may withdraw part or all of the balance of the money in the contract at any time.

4. I certify that this consent is being signed freely and voluntarily without any compulsion on the part of the owner and outside the immediate presence of the owner.

In witness whereof, I sign this consent at____

this ______ of ________________________ , 20 ______ in the presence of

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(print or type name of witness)

of ____

(address of witness)

_____________________________________ _____________________________________

(Signature of witness) *(Signature of Spouse)*

COMMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS
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This consent must be completed by the spouse of a member ("member") of a pooled registered pension plan ("PRPP") that holds a pooled registered pension plan account ("account") or the holder ("holder") of a pooled retirement savings account contract ("PRSA"), where the account or PRSA is subject to the provisions of *The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Saskatchewan) Act* ("Act") and where the member or holder (collectively referred to as "owner") wants to transfer his or her benefit entitlement to a pooled retirement income account contract ("PRIA").

This consent must be completed and signed by the spouse if the owner has assets in:

- A PRPP, or
- a PRSA

and the owner wishes to transfer to a PRIA.

There is no maximum limit on the amount that may be withdrawn from the PRIA. The owner of the PRIA could withdraw the entire balance in the PRIA leaving the spouse with no benefit payable on the death of the owner. Prior to signing this consent form, the spouse should seek the advice of a lawyer and a qualified financial advisor.

Under the Act, "spouse" means:

(a) a person who is married to a member; or

(b) if a member is not married, a person with whom the member is cohabiting as spouses at the relevant time and who has been cohabiting continuously with the member as his or her spouse for at least one year prior to the relevant time.

The consent must be:

- completed in its entirety;

- signed by the spouse, in the presence of a witness, outside of the immediate presence of the owner; and

- filed with:

    - the administrator of the account, if the transfer is from a PRPP, or
    - the issuer of the PRSA, if the transfer is from a PRSA

We strongly urge the spouse to seek independent legal advice before signing this consent.