



GENERAL ORDER 31-923

Transitional Relief from Complying with Consequential Amendments to NI 13-101, NI 31-102 and NI 55-102

IN THE MATTER OF *THE SECURITIES ACT, 1988*,

ORDER

WHEREAS the Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority of Saskatchewan (the Authority) has assigned to the Director of the Securities Division (the Director) the power to make exemption orders under provisions of *The Securities Act, 1988* (the Act) including orders of general application;

WHEREAS the staff of the Authority have applied to the Director for an Order pursuant to section 160 of the Act exempting certain persons and companies from some requirements in National Instrument 13-101 *System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval (SEDAR)* (NI 13-101), National Instrument 31-102 *National Registration Database* (NI 31-102), National Instrument 55-102 *System for Electronic Disclosure by Insiders (SEDI)* (NI 55-102)

WHEREAS terms defined in the Act, NI 13-101, NI 31-102, NI 55-102 or National Instrument 14-101 *Definitions* (NI 14-101) have the same meaning in this Order;

AND WHEREAS it has been represented to the Director that:

1. The operation of SEDAR, SEDI and National Registration Database (NRD) are being transferred from CDS Inc. to CGI Information Systems and Management Consultants Inc. (the Transition).
2. In connection with the Transition, new regulations for system user fees to be charged in connection with the use of SEDAR, SEDI and NRD have been made under the Act and come into effect October 12, 2013.
3. In order to effect the Transition, amendments to NI 3-101, NI 31-102 and NI 55-102

(together, the Consequential Amendments) have been made.

4. The Consequential Amendments come into effect October 12, 2013, which was the anticipated date of the Transition.
5. The Transition will not be completed until December 2, 2013.
6. Until the Transition occurs, CDS Inc. will continue the operation of SEDAR, SEDI and NRD.
7. Compliance with the changes implemented by the Consequential Amendments after they come into effect on October 12, 2013 would prevent CDS Inc. from continuing the operation of SEDAR, SEDI and NRD until the Transition can be completed.

AND WHEREAS the Director is of the opinion that it would not be prejudicial to the public interest to make this Order;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to section 160 of the Act, that a person or company is exempt from complying with the Consequential Amendments, provided the person or company complies with the equivalent provisions in NI 31-101, NI 31-102 or NI 55-102, as applicable, as in effect on October 11, 2013.

AND IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT this order comes into effect on October 12, 2013 and expires on December 2, 2013.

Dated October 11, 2013

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dean Murrison', written over a horizontal line.

Dean Murrison
Director