ALBERTA SECURITIES COMMISSION

REVOCATION OF CERTAIN BLANKET ORDERS

Background

- 1. Blanket Order *In the Matter of Investment Funds Institute of Canada* (the **1984 Order**) was issued on 10 May 1984 to exempt mutual fund dealers from the requirement to promptly provide a written confirmation of trade on certain conditions.
- 2. Blanket Order *In the Matter of Self-Directed Registered Education Savings Plan* (the **1991 Order**) was issued on 10 October 1991 to exempt the offer and sale of self-directed educational savings plans from the prospectus and registration requirements.
- 3. Blanket Order 32-501 In the Matter of Certain Firms Registered by the Alberta Securities Commission as Securities Dealers (Order 32-501) was issued on 20 February 2001 to provide a transitional exemption for certain securities dealers from certain registration requirements.
- 4. Blanket Order *NI 45-106 Discretionary Relief, 2005 ABASC 914* (**2005 Order**) was issued on 18 November 2005 to exempt certain trades of securities under distribution reinvestment plans from the prospectus and registration requirements.
- 5. Blanket Order *NI* 45-106 *Discretionary Relief, 2006 ABASC 1285* (**2006 Order**) was issued on 21 April 2006 to exempt certain trades of debt securities of or guaranteed by certain supranational agencies from the prospectus and registration requirements.
- 6. The subject matter of the 1984 Order, the 1991 Order, Order 32-501, the 2005 Order and the 2006 Order is subsumed in one or both of National Instrument 31-103 *Registration Requirements and Exemptions* and National Instrument 45-106 *Prospectus and Registration Exemptions*.

Order

7. The Commission, considering that it would not be prejudicial to the public interest to do so, orders under section 214 of the *Securities Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. S-4 that the 1984 Order, the 1991 Order, Order 32-501, the 2005 Order and the 2006 Order are revoked with effect on 28 September 2009.

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William S. Rice, Q.C., Chair

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