## SCHEDULE E (Section 24)

## WAIVER OF SURVIVOR ENTITLEMENT UNDER THE POOLED REGISTERED PENSION PLANS (MANITOBA) ACT

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am the survivor

(as described below) of \_\_\_\_\_

(name of member)

The member is subject to *The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Act* ("the Act") and the *Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Regulation* ("the Regulation").

I understand that under the Act:

- I am entitled to a death benefit on the death of the member if I am considered a survivor of the member.
- I have a legal right to waive my entitlement.
- If I sign this waiver,
  - I will not receive a death benefit on the death of the member; and
  - the death benefit will instead be paid to the member's designated beneficiary or, if there is no designated beneficiary, to the member's estate.

I certify that:

- I have read this waiver and understand it.
- I have read the statement provided under section 24 of the Regulation.
- I am aware of the consequences of waiving my entitlement to a death benefit and waive my entitlement despite the consequences.
- I am signing this waiver of my own free will without duress, coercion or compulsion of any kind.
- I realize that this form only gives a general description of the legal rights I have under the Act and the Regulation, and if I want to understand exactly what my legal rights are, I must read the Act and the Regulation and seek legal advice.

I hereby waive my entitlement to a death benefit from the member's pooled registered pension plan account during the marriage or common-law relationship by signing this form in the presence of a witness.

I sign this	s form at				
0		(city/town)	(province/territory/state)	(country)	
this	day of	, 20			
			(signature of s	(signature of survivor)	

I witness the signature of the survivor who signed this form before me without the member being present.

(print name of witness)

(print address of witness)

(signature of witness)

### **COMMENTS AND INSTRUCTIONS**

This form must be completed by the survivor of a member who wants to waive the entitlement to a death benefit from the member's pooled registered pension plan (PRPP) on the death of the member.

# Before completing this form, you should consider obtaining independent legal advice and speak to a financial advisor who can explain the implications of this waiver.

This form must be

- completed in its entirety;
- signed by the survivor while the member is not present;
- witnessed;
- filed with the administrator; and
- used for funds in a PRPP subject to *The Pooled Registered Pension Plan (Manitoba) Act.*

For further information please contact the PRPP administrator.

### Definitions for the Purpose of this Waiver

Administrator means the administrator of the applicable pooled registered pension plan.

**Cohabiting common-law partner** means a common-law partner from whom the member is not living separate and apart by reason of a breakdown of the relationship.

**Member** means a person with a PRPP account subject to *The Pooled Registered Pension Plans (Manitoba) Act.* 

Survivor in relation to a deceased member, means

(a) if there is no person described in clause (b), the member's spouse at the time of the member's death; or

(b) the person who, immediately before the member's death, was a cohabiting common-law partner of the member.

#### References

The Pooled Registered Pension Plan (Manitoba) Act, subsection 16(2) Pooled Registered Pension Plan Regulation, section 24