

IN THE MATTER OF:

THE SECURITIES ACT

-and-

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**JOHN WILLIAM DUNCAN NICHOLSON,
NATIONAL BANK FINANCIAL LTD., and
EDWARD GORDON ALEXANDER
PERCIVAL**

NOTICE OF DISCONTINUANCE

TAKE NOTICE THAT on December 2, 2009, Notices of Discontinuance were filed in the Court of Appeal concluding this matter.

DATED at Winnipeg, Manitoba on December 2, 2009.

Douglas R. Brown
Secretary to the Commission