

IN THE MATTER OF:

THE SECURITIES ACT

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DAVID LORNE PITCHER

## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

TAKE NOTICE that The Manitoba Securities Commission ("Commission") will hold a public hearing ("Hearing") at its offices at 500 – 400 St. Mary Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba on Wednesday, the 16th day of November, 2016 commencing at 9 o'clock in the forenoon or so soon thereafter as the Hearing can be held, and from day to day thereafter until the Hearing is concluded, to consider:

- 1. whether or not it is in the public interest to order, pursuant to section 148 of *The Securities Act* ("Act"), that David Lorne Pitcher ("PITCHER") be cease traded;
- 2. whether or not it is in the public interest to order, pursuant to subsection 19(5) of the Act, that:
  - (a) subsection 19(1) of the Act does not, with respect to such of the trades referred to in that section, apply to PITCHER;
  - (b) subsection 19(2) of the Act does not, with respect to such of the securities referred to in that section, apply to PITCHER;
- 3. whether or not it is in the public interest to order that the respondent pay the costs of and incidental to the hearing;
- 4. such further and other matters and the making of such further and other orders as the Commission may deem appropriate.

## BY REASON OF THE FOLLOWING ALLEGATIONS:

By reason of the allegations set out in the Statement of Allegations of staff of the Commission dated September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that a person or company attending or submitting evidence at the Hearing may be represented by counsel of its

choice.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that any party to the proceedings may, at the Hearing, call witnesses and submit such evidence relevant to the Hearing as it may wish and, for that purpose, it may obtain from the Director of the Commission at 500 – 400 St. Mary Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba, a form or forms of summons to compel the attendance of witnesses.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that upon failure of any party to attend at the time and place aforesaid, the Hearing may proceed in that party's absence and the Commission may make or give any decision or order as though that party were present.

DATED at Winnipeg, Manitoba this 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2016.

Director

TO: DAVID LORNE PITCHER