# THE MANITOBA SECURITIES COMMISSION MSC Rule 2001-14

(Section 149.1, *The Securities Act*)

# LOCAL RULE 31-506 MFDA MEMBERSHIP – MUTUAL FUND DEALERS

#### PART 1 – DEFINITIONS

### **Definitions**

**1.1** "Effective Date" means June 1, 2001.

"MFDA" means The Mutual Fund Dealers Association of Canada.

"Mutual Fund Dealer" means a company registered under The Securities Act as a Broker-Dealer restricted to the distribution of prospectus qualified mutual funds and such other securities permitted under the terms and conditions of their registration.

# PART 2 – MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED

# Membership required

**2.1** From and after July 2, 2002, a Mutual Fund Dealer shall be a member of the MFDA.

## PART 3 – APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

#### Mutual fund dealers on effective date

- **3.1** A Mutual Fund Dealer which is a Mutual Fund Dealer on the Effective Date shall file with the MFDA, no later than the 30<sup>th</sup> day after the Effective Date:
  - (a) an application for membership in the form prescribed by the MFDA; and
  - (b) the fees prescribed by the MFDA for the application for membership

if it has not already done so.

## New applicants for registration as mutual fund dealers before the effective date

3.2 A person or company that has applied to the Commission for registration as a Mutual Fund Dealer before the Effective Date and that is not registered as a Mutual Fund Dealer on the Effective Date, shall file with the MFDA, no later than the 30<sup>th</sup> day

after the Effective Date, the application for membership and fees referred to in section 3.1, if it has not already done so.

## New applicants for registration as mutual fund dealers after the effective date

- A person or company that applies to the Commission for registration as a Mutual Fund Dealer after the Effective Date shall file with the MFDA:
  - (a) an application for membership in the form prescribed by the MFDA; and
  - (b) the fees prescribed by the MFDA for the application for membership

on the same date as it files its application for registration with the Commission as a Mutual Fund Dealer.

## PART 4 – CITATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE

#### Citation

**4.1** This rule may be cited as MSC Rule 2001-14 or National Instrument 31-506.

### Effective date for the rule

**4.2** This Rule shall come into force on June 1, 2001.

#### PART 5 - EXEMPTION

## **Exemption**

- **5.1** The Director may grant an exemption to this Rule, in whole or in part, subject to such conditions or restrictions as may be imposed in the exemption.
- **5.2** Subject to 5.1, failure to comply with this Rule will result in the suspension of registration of a Mutual Fund Dealer.