

# **Consensual Agreement and Undertaking**

Between

### The Complaints and Investigation Committee of The General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan (the Committee)

And

### Advocis Broker Services Inc.

#### And

Randolph Brent McGlynn

(Designated Representative)

The Committee is authorized under Bylaw 7, Section 5, subsection 3, subparagraph (b), to enter into consensual resolutions of complaints.

Bylaw 5, Section 1, subsection 1 reads: "The administrator shall, in addition to the requirements for the contents of a register required by the Act and the regulations, record on the register the existence and results of all disciplinary decisions or orders, court orders, alternative dispute resolution agreements, undertakings and mediation agreements involving a licensee or a person to whom the Life Insurance Council of Saskatchewan (Council) has the authority to issue a licence." Disciplinary actions as described are reported on the Insurance Councils of Saskatchewan website and the Canadian Insurance Regulators Disciplinary Actions (CIRDA) database.

### Advocis Broker Services Inc. (Advocis) acknowledges and agrees that:

- 1. It violated Council Bylaws when:
  - A. Contrary to Bylaw 8, Section 1 (a) it acted contrary to the best interests of the consumer or licensees or insurance companies.
  - B. Contrary to Bylaw 8, section 2 (g) it violated provisions of the Act, the regulations or the bylaws when it:

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- 1. Acted contrary to Section 418. When it appointed, permitted or authorized any person to do any of the things in respect of which a licence is required unless the person is the holder of a subsisting licence.
- II. Acted contrary to Section 444. When it compensated unlicensed persons for sales of insurance while they did not hold an active licence.
- C. Contrary to Bylaw 8, Section 2 (q) it:
  - i. Failed to follow sound business practices.

### Randolph Brent McGlynn (Mr. McGlynn) acknowledges and agrees that:

- D. Contrary to Bylaw 8, Section 2 (r) the designated representative:
  - i. Failed to exercise reasonable and prudent oversight when acting in a supervisory capacity.

### Advocis and Mr. McGlynn acknowledge and agree that:

- 2. Their rights to appear before a Discipline Committee of Council have been explained to them and they fully understand their rights and/or obligations under Council Bylaw 10;
- 3. They waive their rights to appear before a Discipline Committee and undertake not to exercise any appeal rights they may have under Council Bylaw 10, Section 3 or The Saskatchewan Insurance Act, (the Act) as it relates to matters set out in this Consensual Agreement and Undertaking (Agreement).
- 4. This Agreement does not preclude Council from pursuing any further investigation against Advocis and/or Mr. McGlynn for future activities not identified in this Agreement that may be in violation of Council Bylaws or the Act.
- 5. Advocis and Mr. McGlynn have been advised by the Committee that it is in their interests to obtain independent legal advice before entering into this Agreement. They have either:
  - a) Obtained such independent legal advice and is satisfied with the same, prior to executing this Agreement, or
  - b) Willingly chosen not to obtain such advice prior to executing this Agreement.
- 6. Advocis and Mr. McGlynn hereby affirms that they have read and understand the terms of this Agreement and are signing it voluntarily and of their own free will.

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## Advocis having waived its rights, undertakes to:

1. Pay a fine in the amount of \$3,400;

### Mr. McGlynn, having waived his rights, undertakes to:

1. Pay a fine in the amount of \$250;

### Advocis and/or Mr. McGlynn, jointly or severely agree to:

- 1. Reimburse Council's cost of investigation in the amount of \$1,100;
- 2. Pay all fines within 30 days of receipt of this Agreement.

### The Committee's Agreement:

- The Committee agrees to accept from Advocis and Mr. McGlynn the payment of \$4,750 as full and final resolution of this violation of Council's Bylaws as outlined in this Agreement; and
- 2. The Committee further agrees to take no further action against Advocis and/or Mr. McGlynn for the acknowledged violations of Council's Bylaws that are set out in this Agreement.

Dated at <u>Toronto</u>, in the province of, <u>Ontario</u>, this <u>1</u> day of <u>February</u>, <u>2019</u>

# Originally signed by

Randolph Brent McGlynn for Advocis Broker Services Inc

Dated at **Toronto**, in the province of, **Ontario**, this **1** day of **February**, **2019** 

Originally signed by

Randolph Brent McGlynn

Advocis Broker Services Inc. & Randolph Brent McGlynn

Dated at Saskatoon , in the province of, Saskatchewan , this <u>6</u> day of February , 2019

Originally signed by Laureen Major, Co-Chair, Complaints and Investigation Committee General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan

Dated at **Regina**, in the province of, **Saskatchewan**, this **<u>21</u>** day of **February**, **<u>2019</u>** 

Originally signed by Anne Parker, Co-Chair, Complaints and Investigation Committee General Insurance Council of Saskatchewan