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Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited and Imperial Tobacco Company Limited

TWENTY-SECOND REPORT OF THE MONITOR

November 13, 2024



ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE (COMMERCIAL LIST)

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' CREDITORS ARRANGEMENT ACT, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, AS AMENDED

AND IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF IMPERIAL TOBACCO CANADA LIMITED AND IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY LIMITED

TWENTY-SECOND REPORT TO THE COURT SUBMITTED BY FTI CONSULTING CANADA INC., IN ITS CAPACITY AS MONITOR

A. OVERVIEW

- This report (this "Report") was prepared in connection with the joint motion (the "Tobacco Monitors' Motion") filed by the Monitor in its capacity as court-appointed monitor of Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited and Imperial Tobacco Company Limited (collectively, "Imperial"), Ernst & Young Inc., in its capacity as court-appointed monitor of Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc. ("RBH"), and Deloitte Restructuring Inc., in its capacity as court-appointed monitor of JTI-Macdonald Corp. ("JTIM" and together with Imperial and RBH, the "Tobacco Companies") for orders (the "A&R Representative Counsel Orders") amending and restating the Appointment of Representative Counsel Orders dated December 9, 2019, granted in each of the Tobacco Companies' CCAA Proceedings (the "Representative Counsel Orders").
- 2. In this Report, unless otherwise defined, all capitalized terms shall have the respective meanings specified in the joint appendix attached to this Report as Appendix A.
- 3. Further information regarding these CCAA Proceedings and a background on Imperial have been provided in previous reports of the Monitor.
- All Court materials filed and orders issued in these CCAA Proceedings and the related Imperial Chapter 15 Proceedings are available on the Monitor's website at: <u>http://cfcanada.fticonsulting.com/imperialtobacco</u>.

B. PURPOSE OF THIS REPORT

- 5. The purpose of this Report is to provide the Court with information regarding:
 - i. the need for the A&R Representative Counsel Orders; and
 - ii. the Monitor's comments and recommendations in respect of the foregoing matter.

C. A&R REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL ORDERS

- 6. Attached as Appendix A to this Report are joint submissions prepared by the Tobacco Monitors and their counsel which discuss the need for the A&R Representative Counsel Orders in each of the Tobacco Companies' CCAA Proceedings, which are being sought by the Tobacco Monitors' pursuant to the Tobacco Monitors' Motion.
- 7. Attached as Appendix B to this Report is a blackline of the Imperial A&R Representative Counsel Order against the original issued and entered Representative Counsel Order in these CCAA Proceedings, showing the proposed changes thereto.

D. CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS

 The Monitor recommends the proposed A&R Representative Counsel Order in these CCAA Proceedings be granted.

The Monitor respectfully submits this Twenty-Second Report.

Dated this 13th day of November 2024

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in its capacity as Monitor of Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited and Imperial Tobacco Company Limited, and not in its personal capacity.

APPENDIX A

Please see attached.

APPENDIX "A"

OVERVIEW

- In this Appendix, unless otherwise defined or specified, all capitalized terms used herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the CCAA Plans (as defined below) dated October 17, 2024 (as may be amended from time to time pursuant to their terms) and, with respect to any particular reference to any particular Tobacco Company, shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the corresponding CCAA Plan in respect of that Tobacco Company.
- 2. This Appendix is filed by the Tobacco Monitors (as defined below) in each of their respective CCAA Proceedings in support of their joint motion returnable in writing for Orders amending and restating the Appointment of Representative Counsel Orders dated December 9, 2019 (collectively, the "Representative Counsel Orders") to update certain definitions and provisions to ensure consistency with the CCAA Plans (as defined below) and reflect the current and ongoing mandate of the PCC Representative Counsel (as defined below).

BACKROUND

- On March 8, 2019, JTIM applied for and obtained an initial order (as amended from time to time) under the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (the "CCAA") which among other things, appointed Deloitte Restructuring Inc. as the court-appointed Monitor for JTIM (the "JTIM Monitor").
- 4. On March 12, 2019, Imperial applied for and obtained an initial order (as amended from time to time) under the CCAA which among other things, appointed FTI Consulting Canada Inc. as the court-appointed Monitor for Imperial (the "Imperial Monitor").
- On March 22, 2019, RBH applied for and obtained an initial order (as amended from time to time) under the CCAA which among other things, appointed Ernst & Young Inc. as the court-appointed Monitor for RBH (the "**RBH Monitor**").

- 6. The RBH Monitor, the JTIM Monitor, and the Imperial Monitor will be collectively referred to herein as the "Tobacco Monitors" and the CCAA proceedings of RBH, JTIM and Imperial (collectively, the "Tobacco Companies") will be collectively referred to as the "CCAA Proceedings".
- 7. The Honourable Warren K. Winkler, K.C. was appointed in each of the CCAA Proceedings as the mediator (the "Court-Appointed Mediator"), with a mandate to oversee and coordinate a multiparty, comprehensive mediation (the "Mediation") among the Tobacco Companies and their key stakeholders to achieve a global settlement of the Tobacco Claims.
- 8. On November 25, 2019, the Tobacco Monitors filed a joint motion (the "Wagners Appointment Motion") for, among other things, the appointment of The Law Practice of Wagner & Associates, Inc. ("Wagners") as representative counsel for the TRW Claimants (as defined in the Representative Counsel Orders). A copy of the joint submission which was attached to each Monitor's respective report as an appendix in support of the Wagners Appointment Motion is attached hereto as Schedule 1.
- 9. Due to the multiplicity of class actions commenced against the Tobacco Companies across Canada, all of which, with the exception of two class actions in Quebec and one class action in British Columbia, are uncertified, the Tobacco Monitors sought the appointment of Wagners to ensure comprehensive representation for all TRW Claimants in these CCAA Proceedings and the Mediation. The appointment was to ensure that all the claims that could be asserted by the TRW Claimants against the Tobacco Companies would be addressed in an efficient, timely and consistent manner under the exclusive jurisdiction of this Court. The appointment would also fulfill the chief purpose of the CCAA Proceedings a pan-Canadian global settlement of the Tobacco Claims.
- 10. On December 9, 2019, the Court granted the Representative Counsel Orders, and Wagners has since then represented the TRW Claimants in the CCAA Proceedings and in the Mediation.

- 11. On October 5, 2023, Chief Justice Morawetz issued an endorsement in the CCAA Proceedings directing the Tobacco Monitors to work with the Court-Appointed Mediator to develop a plan of compromise or arrangement for each Tobacco Company. Accordingly, the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors developed plans of compromise or arrangement in respect of each Applicant (collectively, the "CCAA Plans", as may be amended from time to time in accordance with their terms, or by further order of the Court).
- 12. On October 31, 2024, the Court granted, among other Orders, a Meeting Order in respect of each Tobacco Company (collectively, the "**Meeting Orders**") whereby the CCAA Plans were accepted for filing and the creditors' meetings for Affected Creditors to consider and vote on each of the CCAA Plans were scheduled.
- 13. On October 24, 2024, counsel for JTIM filed a cross motion (the "JTIM Cross Motion") seeking an order amending the Representative Counsel Order of JTIM to, among other things, amend the definition of "TRW Claimants" to "Pan-Canadian Claimants". JTIM submitted that the changes were necessary to reflect the scope of the individuals being represented by Wagners in the CCAA Proceedings and the Mediation, and to align with the CCAA Plans' definitions.
- 14. Following conversations between JTIM and the Tobacco Monitors, the parties agreed to adjourn the JTIM Cross Motion and for the Tobacco Monitors to bring a joint motion in writing to amend the Representative Counsel Orders.

The Need for Amendment of the Representative Counsel Orders

15. The proposed amendments to the Representative Counsel Orders are to ensure consistency between the Representative Counsel Orders and the CCAA Plans and specifically to (i) update certain definitions and provisions to reflect the current scope of the Wagners mandate, and (ii) provide for the continued services of the PCC Representative Counsel, if the CCAA Plans are implemented, along with the payment of Wagners' costs post-implementation.

Evolution of Definitions

- 16. The CCAA Plans will, if approved and implemented, among other things, effect a full and final settlement and irrevocable compromise of all Tobacco Claims and release, discharge and bar all Released Claims, thereby eliminating liability for all Tobacco Claims and permitting the Tobacco Companies to exit the CCAA Proceedings.
- 17. The scope and definitions of "Tobacco Claims" and "TRW Claimant" have evolved and been clarified throughout the Mediation and these CCAA Proceedings.
- 18. To reflect this evolution, the CCAA Plans now instead refer to "Pan-Canadian Claimants", or "PCCs", being Individuals, excluding *Blais* Class Members and *Létourneau* Class Members in relation to QCAP Claims, who have asserted or may be entitled to assert a PCC Claim. The CCAA Plans provide that the terms "Pan-Canadian Claimants" and "PCCs" are synonymous with the term "TRW Claimants" as the term is defined in the Representative Counsel Orders. The CCAA Plans also contemplate "PCC Representative Counsel" Wagners will represent the interests of the Pan-Canadian Claimants following the implementation of the CCAA Plans and will fulfill certain obligations in connection therewith.

Ongoing Services of Representative Counsel Post-Implementation

- 19. The Meeting Orders and CCAA Plans refer to ongoing services to be provided by the PCC Representative Counsel if the CCAA Plans are implemented, which are not currently reflected in the Representative Counsel Orders.
- 20. For example, (i) the Meeting Orders, among other things, appointed the PCC Representative Counsel to vote the Voting Claims on behalf of all Pan-Canadian Claimants and (ii) the CCAA Plans contemplate that, if the CCAA Plans are implemented, the PCC Representative Counsel will provide services post-implementation including in connection with the PCC Compensation Plan (which will provide compensation to PCCs who fulfill all of the PCC Eligibility Criteria) and the Cy-près Fund (which will provide indirect benefits for PCCs who are not receiving direct compensation payments from the PCC Compensation Plan).

- 21. The CCAA Plans also provide that the costs for the services of the PCC Representative Counsel (including its advisors), in connection with their duties under the CCAA Plans will be split equally among the Tobacco Companies.
- 22. The proposed amendments to the Representative Counsel Orders are necessary to clarify that Wagners has represented, and continues to represent, all Individuals (excluding *Blais* Class Members and *Létourneau* Class Members in relation to QCAP Claims) with Tobacco Claims who will provide releases under the CCAA Plans and to provide for Wagners' ongoing post-implementation services as PCC Representative Counsel.

Monitors' Recommendation

23. For the reasons provided above, the Tobacco Monitors recommend the amended and restated Representative Counsel Orders be approved.

See attached.

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A. GENERAL

1. In this Appendix, unless otherwise defined, all capitalized terms shall have the respective meanings specified in the glossary attached to this Report as Appendix "A".

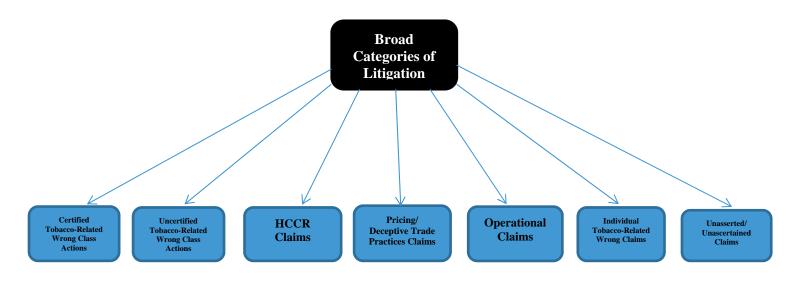
B. INTRODUCTION

- 2. This Appendix supports a joint motion brought by the Tobacco Monitors in each of their respective Tobacco CCAA Proceedings for the appointment of Wagners, an experienced class action litigation firm based in Halifax, Nova Scotia, as representative counsel for TRW Claimants.
- 3. These Tobacco CCAA Proceedings are some of the most complex in the history of the CCAA due in large part to the number of tobacco-related legal actions, including uncertified class actions, currently brought against the Applicants and the number of potential claims currently unasserted or unascertained.
- 4. The current multiplicity of class actions commenced against the Applicants across Canada, most of which are uncertified, do not provide comprehensive representation for all TRW Claimants in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will allow for all TRW Claims to be addressed in an efficient, timely and consistent manner under the exclusive jurisdiction of this Court. The efficient treatment of the TRW Claims is necessary to fulfill the chief purpose of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings: a pan Canadian global settlement.
- 5. This appointment will provide representation of the interests of individuals with TRW Claims, to the extent they are not currently represented in the certified Quebec and British Columbia class actions, which includes: (i) various residual tobacco-related disease claims that fall outside a previously certified class definition; (ii) various tobacco-related disease claims that are currently the subject of uncertified class actions; and (iii) various tobacco-related disease claims for which no individual or class proceedings have been commenced.

- 6. Unless otherwise addressed, the number, complexity and interplay among the proceedings in which TRW Claims have been asserted would make the task of dealing with each proceeding individually, overly burdensome on the Applicants, the Tobacco Monitors, the Court-Appointed Mediator and this Court.
- 7. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will also increase the TRW Claimants' access to justice in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings to the benefit of all TRW Claimants, the Applicants and the Applicants' stakeholders, as more fully discussed in the balance of this Appendix.
- 8. The purpose of this Appendix is to provide the Court with information regarding:
 - a. the existing litigation facing the Applicants;
 - b. the need for, and mandate of, the Proposed Representative Counsel in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings;
 - c. the qualifications of the Proposed Representative Counsel;
 - d. the Tobacco Monitors' consultations with stakeholders on the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel; and
 - e. the Tobacco Monitors' comments and recommendations in respect of the foregoing matters.

C. OVERVIEW OF THE LITIGATION FACING THE APPLICANTS

The following graphic provides an overview of the categories of pending tobaccorelated litigation against the Applicants:



- 9. The litigation against the Applicants, currently stayed by their respective Amended and Restated Initial Orders, consists of a patchwork of claims which have been advanced on behalf of various plaintiffs since as early as 1997.
- 10. The Applicants are currently facing actions in every Province (but none of the Territories) arising from the enactment of special purpose provincial legislation creating a statutory claim in favour of the provincial governments to permit the recovery of health care costs incurred in connection with tobacco-related diseases. The alleged damages in the HCCR Claims are estimated by the Provinces to be in the hundreds of billions of dollars in the aggregate. Attached as Schedule "A" is an overview of the HCCR Claims. The HCCR Claims are not TRW Claims and are not included in the Proposed Representative Counsel's mandate.
- 11. The Applicants are also currently facing individual and class actions with respect to tobacco-related disease claims. Attached as Schedule "B1" is an overview of all the certified and uncertified class actions brought against the Applicants across Canada. Attached as Schedule "B2" is a chart which provides a more detailed summary of the certified and uncertified non-commercial tobacco-related class

actions brought against the Applicants across Canada. In addition, attached as Schedule "B3" is a chart which also provides a summary of the individual actions brought against the Applicants for tobacco-related diseases.

12. Three further class actions have been commenced, but not certified, in Ontario alleging that the Applicants improperly paid lower prices for tobacco leaf destined for exported duty-free products, as opposed to the higher domestic leaf price. The proposed class members are growers and producers in Ontario who sold tobacco through the Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board pursuant to the terms of certain agreements during the period from January 1, 1986 to December 31, 1996 and are seeking damages for breach of contract. The Tobacco Monitors understand that plaintiff counsel in these actions has most recently taken the position with the Applicants that certification is not required; however, the Applicants dispute this position. No similar claims have been commenced in any of the other provinces. As these class actions are commercial in nature, they are Excluded Claims and are not proposed to be represented by the Proposed Representative Counsel.

(I) Certified Class Actions

- 13. The Applicants are currently facing the following three certified class actions: (a) two Quebec class actions commenced in 1998, and (b) one British Columbia class action commenced in 2003 against Imperial. In the two Quebec proceedings, the Quebec Litigation Plaintiffs have received judgments against the Applicants.
- 14. Pursuant to the Quebec Judgment, the Applicants were found to be liable to the Quebec Litigation Plaintiffs for (i) causing throat cancer, lung cancer or emphysema in persons residing in Quebec who smoked at least 87,600 cigarettes before November 20, 1998 and were diagnosed with lung cancer, throat cancer or emphysema before March 12, 2012, and for (ii) causing persons residing in Quebec who smoked upwards of 15 cigarettes a day during the period from September 30, 1998 to February 21, 2005 to become addicted to cigarettes.

- 15. The Applicants appealed the Quebec Judgment and on March 1, 2019, the Court of Appeal of Quebec issued the Quebec Appeal Judgment, upholding the lower court's decision and finding the Applicants liable to pay up to approximately \$14 billion to the Quebec Litigation Plaintiffs for damages including interest.
- 16. The Quebec Litigation Plaintiffs comprise two certified classes which do not include all potential TRW Claims which could be asserted in Quebec. It is proposed that TRW Claimants in Quebec, to the extent not covered by the Quebec Judgment, would be represented by the Proposed Representative Counsel.
- 17. A class action has also been certified in British Columbia asserting a claim with respect to the improper marketing of "light" and "mild" branded products by Imperial. Such claim is currently limited to residents of British Columbia and others who have opted into such British Columbian proceeding. No similar claims have been commenced against any of the other Applicants, or in any of the other provinces (other than Newfoundland and Labrador, where certification of a similar class was denied). It is proposed that TRW Claimants in British Columbia to the extent not covered by this certified British Columbia class action would be represented by the Proposed Representative Counsel.
- 18. Individuals participating in certified class actions may have other tobacco-related disease claims which are not included in the certified class definitions. These claims are TRW Claims which are proposed to be included in the Proposed Representative Counsel's mandate.

(II) Uncertified Class Actions

- 19. Class actions have been commenced, but not certified, in Alberta, Manitoba, Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan seeking damages for tobacco-related diseases and a disgorgement of revenues or profits, among other things, but do not include all potential tobacco-related claims which could be asserted in such provinces.
- 20. Class proceedings have also been commenced, but not certified, in Ontario, seeking damages for tobacco-related diseases. Such claims are more

circumscribed than the uncertified proceedings commenced in the above-noted provinces, as the proposed class is limited to smokers who have been diagnosed with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, heart disease or cancer. No other tobacco-related disease claims have been asserted in this uncertified Ontario class action.

- 21. Similarly, two class actions have been commenced, but not certified, in British Columbia seeking damages in respect of heart disease and chronic respiratory disease, respectively. No other tobacco-related disease claims have been asserted in these uncertified British Columbia class actions. The claims brought in Ontario and British Columbia do not include all the potential tobacco-related claims which could be brought in such provinces.
- 22. Notably, all of the above-noted uncertified class actions are at a preliminary stage; no substantive steps have been taken to advance the litigation, including with respect to certification of the classes. More information with respect to such actions can be found in Schedule "B2". It is contemplated that the Proposed Representative Counsel would represent TRW Claimants in Alberta, Manitoba, Nova Scotia, Saskatchewan, Ontario and British Columbia, which includes those who may fall within the proposed class definitions in the above-noted uncertified class actions.

(III) No Class Actions Commenced

- 23. No class proceedings or individual proceedings have been commenced in New Brunswick, Newfoundland and Labrador, Prince Edward Island or any of the Territories with respect to any of the above-noted categories of potential claims.
- It is contemplated that the Proposed Representative Counsel would represent all TRW Claimants in such provinces and Territories.

D. THE NEED FOR REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL IN THESE CCAA PROCEEDINGS

(I) Definition of TRW Claimants

- 25. The Tobacco Monitors propose that the TRW Claimants for which the Proposed Representative Counsel will be appointed to represent be defined as: all individuals (including their respective successors, heirs, assigns, litigation guardians and designated representatives under applicable provincial family law legislation) who assert or may be entitled to assert a claim or cause of action as against one or more of the Applicants, the ITCAN subsidiaries, the BAT Group, the JTIM Group or the PMI Group, or persons indemnified by such entities, in respect of Tobacco-Related Wrongs in Canada, or in the case of the Applicants, anywhere else in the world.
- 26. Excluded from the definition of TRW Claimants for the purposes of the relief sought herein, are any claims:
- (a) in any person's capacity as a trade supplier, contract counterparty, employee, pensioner, or retiree;
- (b) captured by any of the following commercial class actions:
 - i. The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board v. JTI-Macdonald Corp., Court File No. 64462 CP (London, Ontario);
 - ii. The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc., Court File No. 1056/10CP (London, Ontario); and
 - iii. The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd., Court File No. 64757 CP (London, Ontario); or
- (c) captured by the following certified Quebec and British Columbia class actions:

- i. *Conseil québécois sur le tabac et la santé et al. v. JTI-Macdonald Corp. et al.*, Court File No. 500-06-000076-980 (Montreal, Quebec);
- ii. Cécilia Létourneau et al. v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd., et al., Court
 File No. 500-06-000070-983 (Montreal, Quebec); or
- iii. Kenneth Knight v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd., Court File No. L031300 (Vancouver, British Columbia).
- 27. There is a need for the Proposed Representative Counsel to represent the interests of the TRW Claimants for the following reasons, discussed in greater detail below: (a) the TRW Claimants would benefit from the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel; (b) the Applicants and their stakeholders would benefit from the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel; (c) the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will improve access to justice; and (d) the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel is fair and convenient.

(II) The TRW Claimants Would Benefit from the Appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel

- 28. The TRW Claimants are a vulnerable group which may be unduly prejudiced in the absence of representation. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will benefit the TRW Claimants by ensuring that:
 - all TRW Claimants are represented under the exclusive jurisdiction of this Court;
 - b. all TRW Claimants are treated consistently;
 - c. all TRW Claimants are able to participate effectively in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings; and
 - d. there will be a single point of contact for the TRW Claimants.

(a) All TRW Claimants Represented

- 29. The definition of TRW Claimants includes all individuals who assert or may be entitled to assert a TRW Claim against the Applicants, the ITCAN subsidiaries, the BAT Group, the JTIM Group or the PMI Group, or persons indemnified by such entities in Canada, or in the case of the Applicants, anywhere else in the world. Such TRW Claims include but are not limited to: (i) various residual tobacco-related disease claims that fall outside a previously certified class definition, (ii) various tobacco-related disease claims that are currently the subject of uncertified class actions, and (iii) various tobacco-related disease claims for which no individual or class proceedings have been commenced.
- 30. Further, as discussed above, many of the TRW Claims are unascertained and unasserted and as such, many of the TRW Claimants may be unaware of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings and/or the extent to which their rights may be compromised or altered in the Applicants' restructurings. The Proposed Representative Counsel will represent all TRW Claimants, including those with claims that are unascertained and unasserted.

(b) Consistent Treatment

31. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will ensure all of the TRW Claimants are treated consistently in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings, preventing the prejudice which would otherwise be suffered by such parties.

(c) Effective Participation

32. These Tobacco CCAA Proceedings are particularly complex, as three separate tobacco companies, which comprise almost the entire legal tobacco industry in Canada, filed for CCAA protection at virtually the same time. Additionally, Imperial has sought relief in the US under Chapter 15 of the US Bankruptcy Code. Many of the TRW Claimants may lack the financial means or ability to engage meaningfully in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings without the assistance of the Proposed Representative Counsel.

(d) Single Point of Contact

- 33. The TRW Claimants are comprised of a large number of individual stakeholders. It would therefore be particularly difficult for the TRW Claimants to have a cohesive voice in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings in the absence of the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel.
- 34. The Proposed Representative Counsel will communicate with the TRW Claimants, all three Applicants, the Tobacco Monitors, the Court-Appointed Mediator and this Court. As the single point of contact among such parties, the Proposed Representative Counsel will avoid confusion among the TRW Claimants, increase their access to information, ensure their position is being advanced and keep them apprised of developments in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings.

(III) The Applicants and their Stakeholders Would Benefit from the Appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel

35. The Applicants and their stakeholders would benefit from the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel in two significant ways: (a) the Proposed Representative Counsel will provide consistency and increased stakeholder participation in the Applicants' restructurings, and (b) representation of all TRW Claimants will lead to efficiencies and cost-savings in the administration of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings.

(a) Consistency and Increased Stakeholder Participation

- 36. The Applicants have commenced these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings for the primary purpose of effecting a pan Canadian global settlement.
- 37. To date, certain represented parties have actively participated in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings through Court attendances, participation in the Mediation and gaining access to confidential information in respect of the Applicants' financial status and forecast activities through the Data Rooms. As discussed above, however, there are a large number of stakeholder claims that are unascertained or

unasserted and many class actions which remain uncertified in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. Indeed, many of the TRW Claimants may not be aware that such proceedings are underway.

- 38. The Proposed Representative Counsel will seek to ensure that the TRW Claimants are treated consistently and have an opportunity to participate in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings in the following ways:
 - a. the Proposed Representative Counsel will receive and distribute (as appropriate), pertinent information relating to the Applicants and their financial circumstances, these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings and the Mediation;
 - the Proposed Representative Counsel will coordinate communication among and between the TRW Claimants, the Tobacco Monitors, the Court-Appointed Mediator and the three Applicants;
 - c. the Proposed Representative Counsel will represent the interests of the TRW Claimants for the purpose of all decisions which might affect their rights in the course of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings and the Mediation, and if necessary, bring to the Court, the Court-Appointed Mediator or the Tobacco Monitors' attention any matters or legal arguments that need to be addressed; and
 - d. the Proposed Representative Counsel will represent the TRW Claimants on matters related to any settlement or plan of compromise or arrangement put forth by the Applicants.
- 39. This will fulfill the primary purpose of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings by allowing the Applicants to have greater confidence when negotiating a pan Canadian global settlement that affected interests have been adequately represented and to ensure consistency in the treatment of stakeholders with common interests.

(b) Efficiencies

- 40. The task of identifying and communicating with thousands of unrepresented claimants with varying levels of resources and legal sophistication would be costly and administratively burdensome on the Applicants.
- 41. The Proposed Representative Counsel will act as the single point of contact among the TRW Claimants, the Applicants, the Tobacco Monitors, the Court and the Court-Appointed Mediator for the purpose of service, communication and negotiating key steps in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings and the Mediation, thereby reducing the administrative costs paid by the Applicants in connection therewith, to the benefit of the Applicants and their stakeholders.
- 42. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel also avoids the need for a multiplicity of retainers. The TRW Claimants will not need to each engage counsel to advance individual claims. This will avoid fragmentation and duplication of efforts and resources, which further benefits the Applicants and their stakeholders.

(IV) Improved Access to Justice

- 43. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will promote access to justice. As discussed above, the TRW Claimants are a vulnerable group, some of whose individual interests would likely be unrepresented in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings in the absence of representative counsel.
- 44. A representation order will give a strong and cohesive voice to the significant number of individuals affected by Tobacco-Related Wrongs who, following the Applicants' CCAA filings, are at risk of having limited recourse against the Applicants. The TRW Claimants, as stakeholders in the Applicants' insolvencies, are affected by these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. Representation of their interests ensures that all stakeholders will have the opportunity to provide input during the course of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings.

45. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will fulfil the objective of the CCAA: to facilitate restructurings. It is well recognized that the chance for a successful reorganization is enhanced where participants achieve common ground and all stakeholders are treated as fairly as the circumstances permit. This is an important objective that would be advanced by a representation order. The Proposed Representative Counsel will ensure that the TRW Claimants are represented at the negotiating table and that there is a level playing field with the various other claimants.

(V) The Appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel is Fair and Convenient

- 46. While the TRW Claimants are broadly defined, all TRW Claimants have a common interest in that each alleges an individual claim against one or more of the Applicants and their related parties due to a Tobacco-Related Wrong.
- 47. In these circumstances, the TRW Claimants are a vulnerable group of stakeholders with sufficient commonality who would be prejudiced if the Proposed Representative Counsel was not appointed.
- 48. Further, the appointment of representative counsel has been used in many Canadian insolvency proceedings to enable stakeholder groups to navigate and actively participate in complex CCAA proceedings.
- 49. Given the unique circumstances of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings discussed in detail herein - multiple jurisdictions, the large number of personal unasserted and unascertained claims, as well as the uncertified class actions - it is essential that the TRW Claimants are represented by a single point of contact within the exclusive jurisdiction of this Court seized of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings.
- 50. The appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel will benefit not only the TRW Claimants by improving their access to justice, but also other stakeholders by reducing the administrative burden associated with these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. For these reasons, the appointment of the Proposed Representative

Counsel is fair and convenient and outweighs any potential prejudice to the Applicants' other creditors and stakeholders.

E. THE PROPOSED MANDATE

- 51. The Proposed Representative Counsel will represent the interests of the TRW Claimants without any obligation to consult with or seek individual instructions from the TRW Claimants, provided however, that the Proposed Representative Counsel will be authorized, but not obliged, to establish a committee of TRW Claimants on such terms as may be agreed to by the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors or established by Court order.
- 52. The Proposed Representative Counsel will be authorized to take all steps and perform all acts that are necessary or desirable in representing the TRW Claimants including, without limitation, by:
 - participating in and negotiating on behalf of the TRW Claimants in the Mediation;
 - working with the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors to develop a process for the identification of valid and provable TRW Claims, and as appropriate, addressing such claims in the Mediation or the Tobacco CCAA Proceedings;
 - c. responding to inquiries from TRW Claimants in the Tobacco CCAA Proceedings; and
 - d. performing such other actions as approved by the Court.
- 53. The Proposed Representative Counsel will also be authorized, at its discretion, on such terms as may be consented to by the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors or further order of the Court, to retain and consult with subject area experts and other professional and financial advisors as the Proposed

Representative Counsel may consider necessary to assist it with the discharge of its mandate.

54. While a significant number of TRW Claimants would benefit from representation by the Proposed Representative Counsel, there are legal defences and arguments that may preclude some TRW Claimants from receiving a distribution in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. After appointment, it is contemplated that the Proposed Representative Counsel will work with the Tobacco Monitors and the Court-Appointed Mediator to classify and define the valid TRW Claims the holders of which may be entitled to a distribution in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. The inclusion of an opt-out mechanism for TRW Claimants will also be considered at that time.

F. THE PROPOSED REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL

- 55. Before the Proposed Representative Counsel was selected a number of experienced and qualified firms with expertise representing class action plaintiffs were considered, including existing counsel in the tobacco-related litigation generally. Although these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings are not class actions, the Tobacco Monitors are of the view that given the nature of the TRW Claims that may be asserted by the Proposed Representative Counsel, such experience would be beneficial.
- 56. The Proposed Representative Counsel has demonstrated expertise in class action matters and therefore has the requisite knowledge, support staff and infrastructure to advise multiple clients and facilitate effective communication and information sharing among the TRW Claimants, the Applicants, the Tobacco Monitors, the Court and the Court-Appointed Mediator.
- 57. The Tobacco Monitors are of the view that the independence of Proposed Representative Counsel is critical. Due to the number of counsel involved in the litigation described herein and these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings, many otherwise qualified counsel were conflicted. After weighing these factors, the

Proposed Representative Counsel was determined to be the best suited to represent the interests of the TRW Claimants.

(I) **Proposed Firm**

58. The Tobacco Monitors propose that Wagners be appointed as representative counsel on the terms provided for in the Draft Order.

(II) Expertise and CV

- 59. Wagners is based in Halifax, Nova Scotia and is known as one of Atlantic Canada's leading class action law firms. The nine lawyers at Wagners represent clients throughout Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland and Labrador and across the country. Wagners has advised the Tobacco Monitors that it has the necessary support staff and infrastructure to fulfill the Representative Counsel's mandate.
- 60. Raymond F. Wagner, Q.C. is the founder of Wagners with a well-established, exemplary reputation. With almost 40 years' experience, Mr. Wagner's legal practice has a primary focus on class actions, mass tort litigation, medical negligence and product liability. His firm also represents victims of catastrophic motor vehicle accidents. He has been involved in class action litigation since 2003, and is known for litigating complex, technical and novel issues within this sphere. Attached as Schedule "C" is a copy of Mr. Wagner's *curriculum vitae*.
- 61. Mr. Wagner has achieved significant settlements for his clients, including a settlement concerning historical institutional abuse at a Nova Scotian institution with a resolution based on restorative justice principles. He is counsel to plaintiffs in a number of proposed and certified class actions including: pharmaceutical litigation on behalf of people who were prescribed the drugs OxyContin, Avandia and Levaquin; alleged historical institutional abuse arising out of deaf schools in Nova Scotia; alleged systemic sexual misconduct and discrimination in the Canadian Armed Forces; recipients of allegedly defective hip products; owners of certain motor vehicles that were subject to a recall; individuals who allegedly

received flawed pathology and colposcopy assessments; airline passengers allegedly injured during landing; environmental contamination and flooding; customers who purchased medical marijuana that was allegedly contaminated with unauthorized pesticides; and patients whose private medical records were allegedly intruded upon.

- 62. Mr. Wagner's extensive practice in medical errors and complex litigation, although primarily focused in Nova Scotia, extends to New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland and Labrador. He has acted as a member of consortiums of plaintiff counsel in a number of class actions which are national in scope. Mr. Wagner has appeared before numerous courts across the country, including in the Atlantic Provinces, Ontario, Quebec, Saskatchewan and at the Federal Court and the Supreme Court of Canada. Mr. Wagner has advised the Tobacco Monitors that Wagners has the capacity to act as representative counsel should it be appointed.
- 63. Wagners is not and has not been involved in any tobacco-related litigation. The Tobacco Monitors have been informed that a lawyer at Wagners was previously employed by the Nova Scotia Department of Justice, from September 2013 to March 2016. Wagners has advised the Tobacco Monitors that while at the Nova Scotia Department of Justice, this individual had no direct or indirect involvement in or knowledge of any tobacco-related litigation, other than bare knowledge of the existence of same. This individual also had no direct or indirect involvement in or knowledge of these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. Wagners has advised that this lawyer will not be on the team engaged in this matter. Nonetheless, if appointed, an ethical wall will be established at Wagners to prevent this lawyer from accessing any file, information or material related to these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings. As a result, this does not interfere with the independence of Wagners as Proposed Representative Counsel.
- 64. The Proposed Representative Counsel has the requisite experience, expertise and independence to effectively represent the TRW Claimants.

(III) Terms of Retainer/Compensation

- 65. The Proposed Representative Counsel will be paid its reasonable professional fees and disbursements on an hourly basis and shall be paid by the Applicants in a timely manner and in accordance with an agreement among the Applicants.
- 66. The Proposed Representative Counsel will remit invoices bi-weekly to the Tobacco Monitors, subject to such redactions as are necessary to maintain solicitor-client privilege. No part of the Proposed Representative Counsel's compensation will be on a contingency basis.
- 67. The Applicants will each pay equal amounts of an initial retainer to the Proposed Representative Counsel in the aggregate amount of \$50,000 to be held by the Proposed Representative Counsel as security for payment of its fees and disbursements outstanding from time to time.
- 68. Due to the efficiencies and cost-savings attributable to the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel, there is sufficient justification to amend the Administration Charges provided for in the applicable Amended and Restated Initial Order in each of the Tobacco CCAA Proceedings, to include the reasonable fees, expenses and disbursements of the Proposed Representative Counsel.

(IV) Lack of Legal Conflicts

69. The Tobacco Monitors have been advised that the Proposed Representative Counsel is not conflicted and has agreed to the appointment.

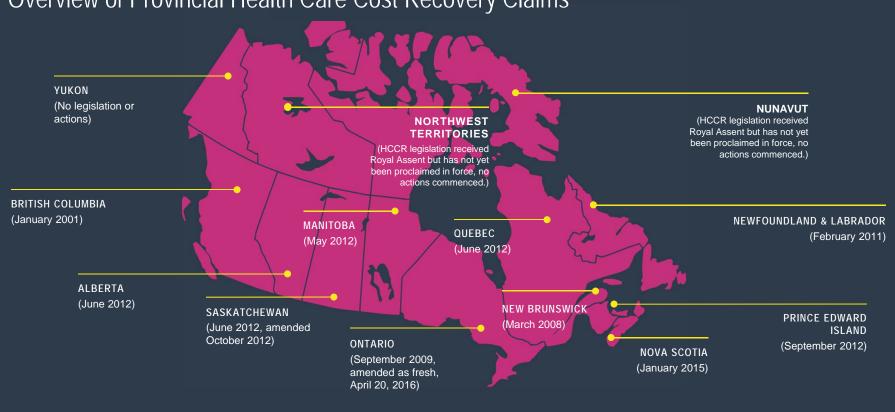
G. THE TOBACCO MONITORS' CONSULTATIONS WITH STAKEHOLDERS ON PROPOSED REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL

70. The Court-Appointed Mediator, the Tobacco Monitors and counsel to the Tobacco Monitors consulted with certain major stakeholders in these Tobacco CCAA Proceedings with respect to the relief being sought herein.

H. MONITORS' RECOMMENDATION REGARDING REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL

71. For the reasons provided above, the Tobacco Monitors recommend the appointment of the Proposed Representative Counsel on the terms set out in the Draft Order.

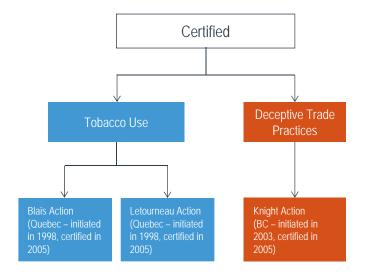
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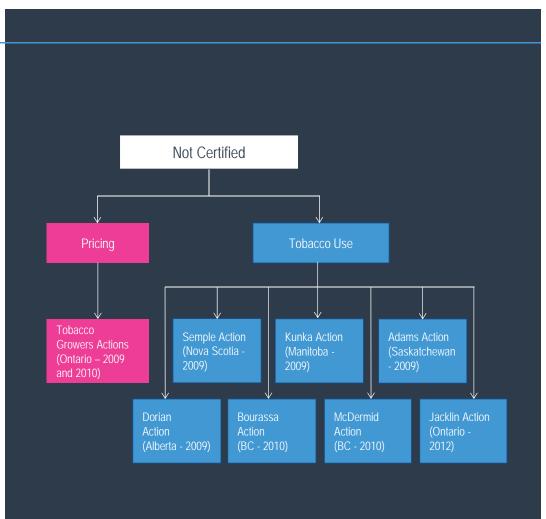


Overview of Provincial Health Care Cost Recovery Claims

SCHEDULE B1

Overview of Class Actions





SCHEDULE B2

Chart of Certified and Uncertified Class Actions

The charts contained in this Schedule B2 and in Schedule B3 below set out the outstanding Canadian litigation against the Applicants, as disclosed in their CCAA filing materials, in respect of non-commercial tobacco-related class actions and individual actions. The charts exclude direct actions by provinces to recover health care costs. All Applicants are defendants in each class action, except for one action in British Columbia, as noted below. The status of each of the actions is based on information provided to the Tobacco Monitors by the Applicants.

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
Quebec	Létourneau and Blais class actions	1998 (certified in 2005)	Letourneau action: All persons residing in Quebec who, as of September 30, 1998, were addicted to nicotine in cigarettes manufactured by the defendants and who: (i) started smoking before September 30, 1994 and since that date have smoked principally cigarettes manufactured by the defendants; (ii) between September 1 and September 30, 1998, they smoked on a daily basis an average of at least 15 cigarettes manufactured by the defendants; and (iii) on February 21, 2005, or until their death if it occurred before that date, they were still smoking on a daily basis an average of at least 15 cigarettes manufactured by the defendants. The group also includes the heirs of members who meet the above criteria. <u>Blais action</u> : All persons residing in Quebec who: (i) smoked before November 20, 1998 at least 12 pack years of cigarettes manufactured by the defendants (the	Yes	Kugler Kandestin and Trudel Johnston & Lespérance Fishman Flanz Meland Paquin LLP is counsel in these CCAA proceedings.	In both class actions, the damages awarded total approx. \$14 billion, with interest and indemnity.	Actions instituted in 1998. Class action certified in 2005. Trial occurred 2012 to 2014. Superior Court judgment released in 2015. Court of Appeal decision released in 2019.

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
			equivalent of a minimum of 87,600 cigarettes); and (ii) have been diagnosed, before March 12, 2012 with: (a) lung cancer, (b) cancer (squamous cell carcinoma) of the throat, namely the larynx, oropharynx or hypophalanx, or (c) emphysema. The group also includes the heirs of persons deceased after November 20, 1998 who meet the above criteria.				
Newfoundland	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Prince Edward Island	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nova Scotia	Ben Semple v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturer's Council et al. HFX No. 312869	2009	<u>Proposed class definition</u> : All individuals, including their estates, their dependants and family members, who purchased or smoked cigarettes designed, manufactured, marketed, or distributed by the defendants, for the period January 1, 1954 to the expiry of the opt-out period set by the Court.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim was filed in 2009. No further steps have been taken to advance this action.
New Brunswick	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Ontario	Suzanne Jacklin v Canadian Tobacco	2012	Proposed class definition: All individuals, including their estates, who were alive on	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim was filed in 2012. No further steps

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
	Manufacturers' Council et al., Court File No. 53794/12		June 12, 2007, and who suffered, or who currently suffer, from chronic pulmonary disease, heart disease or cancer, after having smoked a minimum of 25,000 cigarettes designed, manufactured, imported or distributed by the defendants.				have been taken to advance this action.
Manitoba	Deborah Kunta v Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al., File No. Cl09-01-61479	2009	Proposed class definition: All individuals, including their estates, and who purchased or smoked cigarettes manufactured by the defendants, and their dependants and family members.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim was filed in 2009. No further steps have been taken to advance this action.
Saskatchewan	Thelma Adams v Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al., Q.B. No. 1036	2009	<u>Proposed class definition</u> : All individuals who were alive on July 10, 2009, and who have suffered, or who currently suffer, from chronic pulmonary disease, emphysema, heart disease, or cancer, after having smoked a minimum of 25,000 cigarettes designed, manufactured imported, marketed or distributed by the defendants.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim and a Notice of motion for certification were served in 2009. ¹ Certain defendants brought motions challenging jurisdiction in January 2010. No steps have been taken to advance this action since 2010.
Saskatchewan	Thelma Adams v Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al., Q.B.	2009	<u>Proposed class definition</u> : All individuals, including their estates, their dependants and family members, who purchased or smoked cigarettes designed, manufactured	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim was filed in 2009. The plaintiff filed notices of discontinuance for certain defendants in 2010. No

¹ Phillip Morris' 2018 Annual Report states that, in September 2009, plaintiff's counsel informed the defendants that it did not anticipate taking any action in other cases while pursuing the class action filed in Saskatchewan.

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
	No. 916		or distributed by the defendants, for the period July 1, 1954 to the expiry of the opt- out period set by the court.				further steps have been taken to advance the action.
Alberta	Linda Dorion v Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al. Court File #0901-08964	2009	Proposed class definition: All individuals, including their estates, and who purchased or smoked cigarettes designed, manufactured, marketed or distributed by the defendants, and their dependants and family members.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	The Statement of Claim was filed in 2009. No further steps have been taken to advance the action.
British Columbia	Barbara Bourassa on behalf of the Estate of Mitchell David Bourassa v Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited et al., No 10-2780 Barbara Bourassa on behalf of the Estate of Mitchell David Bourassa v Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited et al., No 14-4722	2010	Proposed class definition: All individuals, including their estates, who were alive on June 12, 2007, and who have suffered, or who currently suffer, from chronic respiratory diseases, after having smoked a minimum of 25,000 cigarettes designed, manufactured, imported, marketed or distributed by the defendants.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	Statement of Claim (No 10- 2780) filed in 2010. Certain defendants brought motions challenging jurisdiction in 2010. Plaintiff filed a new Statement of Claim (No 14-4722) on December 29, 2014. No further steps have been taken to advance these actions.

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
British Columbia	Roderick Dennis McDermid v Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited et al., No. 10-2769	2010	<u>Proposed class definition</u> : All individuals, including their estates, who were alive on June 12, 2007, and who have suffered, or who currently suffer, from heart disease, after having smoked a minimum of 25,000 cigarettes designed, manufactured, imported, marketed or distributed by the defendants.	No	Merchant Law Group	Unquantified	Statement of Claim filed in 2010. Certain defendants brought motions challenging jurisdiction in 2010. No further steps have been taken to advance this action.
British Columbia	Knight v Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd. [Note: Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd. is the sole defendant in this action]	2003	Certified class definition: Persons who, during the Class Period, purchased the defendant's light or mild brands of cigarettes in British Columbia for personal, family or household use. The defendant's light and mild brands of cigarettes includes the following brands: Player's Light, Player's Light Smooth, Player's Extra Light, du Maurier Light, du Maurier Extra Light, du Maurier Ultra Light, du Maurier Special Mild, Matinée Extra Mild, Matinee Ultra Mild and Cameo Extra Mild. The Class Period is the period from May 9, 1997 up to July 31, 2007 [per 2006 BCCA 235, confirming certification, varying class period].	Yes	Klein Lawyers LLP	Unquantified	Action commenced in May 2003. Defence filed in April 2004. Class action certified in February 2005 (and confirmed by Court of Appeal in 2006). The parties exchanged electronic productions in 2009, following a motion by the plaintiff to compel a list of documents. The plaintiff served a notice to admit documents on October 3, 2016. In 2017, the defendant brought an application to dismiss the class action for delay. The defendant's motion to dismiss for delay was dismissed on August 23, 2017 (2017 BCSC 1487). The Opt-out and Opt-in periods expired on May 15, 2018. No opt-out requests were received, and eight opt-in forms

Jurisdiction	Action	Year Commenced	Class Definition	Certified	Plaintiff's Counsel	Amount Claimed	Status of Action
							were received. Class membership is therefore now fixed. The parties concluded a Discovery Agreement on January 26, 2018, which provided for written interrogatories. The plaintiff delivered its written interrogatories on January 7, 2019.
Yukon	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Northwest Territories	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nunavut	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

SCHEDULE B3

Chart of Individual Actions

Jurisdiction	Commenced	Parties	Status
Nova Scotia (Halifax)	March 5, 2002, amended September 5, 2002, 177663	Peter Stright v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited	On April 19, 2002, the defendant was served with an individual product liability claim for unspecified damages alleging that the plaintiff, Peter Stright, is addicted to tobacco and developed Buerger's disease as a result of smoking. The defendant filed its Statement of Defence in 2004 and certain documents were subsequently produced by the plaintiff. In May 2017, the plaintiff sought a trial date. On June 9, 2017, pursuant to a motion brought by ITCAN, the Nova Scotia Supreme Court set aside the plaintiff's request, as the necessary conditions for setting a trial date had not been met. No trial date has been set.
Ontario (Toronto)	Amended September 8, 2014, 00-CV- 183165-CP00	Ragoonanan <i>et al. v.</i> Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited	In 2005, the plaintiff, Ragoonanan, was denied certification of a class proceeding on behalf of "all persons who suffered damage to persons and/or property as a result of fires occurring after October 1, 1987, due to cigarettes that did not automatically extinguish upon being dropped or left unattended." In 2011, the Court granted the plaintiff's request to continue as an individual action. The plaintiff's Statement of Claim does not specify the amount of pecuniary damages, but the amount claimed will be in excess of \$11 million. A defence has been filed. The case remains at a preliminary stage.
Ontario (Milton)	Mirjana Spasic v. BAT Industries p.I.c., C18187/97	Ljubisa Spasic, as Estate Trustee of the Estate of Mirjana Spasic v. B.A.T. Industries P.L.C.	On September 16, 1997, Mirjana Spasic filed an individual smoking and health action against B.A.T. Industries P.L.C. Mrs. Spasic sought \$1,000,000.00 in damages, reimbursement for moneys expended on purchasing cigarettes, aggravated, punitive, and exemplary damages, interest and costs. On March 10, 1998, an order was issued by the Milton court, continuing the action with Ljubisa Spasic as estate trustee of Mirjana Spasic. No further steps have been taken to advance the action.
Ontario (London)	June 30, 2003, 1442/03	Scott Landry v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited	On September 12, 2003, a suit was brought by Scott Landry before the London Ontario Small Claims Court. The plaintiff alleges negligence for failing to warn him that nicotine is addictive and dangerous and seeks an amount of \$10,000 to cover the costs of fighting his addiction. A Statement of Defence was filed on or about July 24, 2003. At a pre-trial conference on October 31, 2003, the plaintiff agreed to provide particulars regarding his claim. The case has been in abeyance since that time.

Ontario (North York)	June 12, 1997, 21513/97	Joseph Battaglia v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited	On June 12, 1997, a suit was brought by Joseph Battaglia before the North York Ontario Small Claims Court. The plaintiff alleged that he suffered from heart disease and that the defendant was negligent for failing to warn that nicotine is addictive and dangerous. He sought an amount of \$6,000. A Statement of Defence was filed on or about June 27, 1997. After a trial, a judgment was rendered on 1 June 1, 2001, dismissing the plaintiff's claim. On July 2, 2001 an appeal was filed by the plaintiff. The appeal was never heard and the plaintiff passed away on September 3, 2004. The case has been in abeyance since that time.
Quebec (Saint- Hyacinthe)	December 8, 2016, 750-32- 700014-163	Roland Bergeron v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited	On December 12, 2016, a Statement of Claim filed by Roland Bergeron in the Small Claims Division of the Court of Québec in Saint-Hyacinthe. The plaintiff alleges that he was diagnosed with pulmonary emphysema in 2015 and is claiming \$15,000 in damages for harm to his health. On December 28, 2016, a contestation (defence) was filed, denying the allegations and arguing that the matter should be stayed pending the outcome of the Blais class action, as the legal issues raised in both proceedings are the same. On February 17, 2017, the plaintiff consented to the stay request and on February 22, 2017, the Court granted the stay request.
Quebec (Small Claims)	2010	Paradis, in personal capacity and on behalf of estate of Lorraine Trepanier v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc.	Stayed pending resolution of Letourneau/Blais class actions.
Quebec (Superior Court)	July 2017	Couture v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc.	Action was stayed until June 2019 (prior to CCAA filing).

SCHEDULE C

RAYMOND WAGNER, Q.C.

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EXPERIENCE

1982 – PRESENT

FOUNDER AND PRINCIPAL, THE LAW PRACTICE OF WAGNER & ASSOCIATES, INC.

Plaintiff firm with a primary focus on class actions, mass tort litigation, medical negligence, product liability and catastrophic motor vehicle accidents.

Acts as counsel in a number of proposed, certified and resolved class actions, including:

- pharmaceutical litigation on behalf of individuals prescribed the drugs OxyContin, Avandia, Vioxx, Yasmin and Levaquin;
- historical institutional abuse arising out of the Nova Scotia Home for Colored Children;
- historical institutional abuse arising out of deaf schools in Nova Scotia;
- systemic sexual misconduct and discrimination in the Canadian Armed Forces;
- product liability regarding defective medical devices and implants;
- product liability arising from motor vehicle recalls and defective parts;
- individuals affected by the pathology and colposcopy errors at the Miramichi Hospital in New Brunswick;
- passengers injured during the landing of Air Canada flight AC624 from Toronto Pearson International Airport en route to Halifax Stanfield International Airport on March 28, 2015;
- property owners and victims of localized environmental contamination and flooding;
- borrowers who received loans with inflated interest;
- consumers affected by manufacturers' alleged price fixing;
- customers who purchased medical marijuana that was contaminated with unauthorized pesticides; and
- patients of the former South West Nova District Health Authority and Capital District Health Authority (now the Nova Scotia District Health Authority) whose private medical records were intruded upon by employees of the respective Health Authorities.

In the medical malpractice area, acts as counsel to patients catastrophically injured by medical negligence, with a special focus on complex birth trauma litigation.

EDUCATION

1979

BACHELOR OF LAWS DEGREE, DALHOUSIE LAW SCHOOL, DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

BAR ADMISSION

FEBRUARY, 1980 NOVA SCOTIA

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- Nova Scotia Barristers' Society
- Atlantic Provinces Trial Lawyers Association
- Ontario Trial Lawyers Association
- Canadian Bar Association
- American Association for Justice / Association of Trial Lawyers of America
- Canadian Caucus of the American Association of Justice

PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- Founder and inaugural President of the Atlantic Provinces Trial Lawyers Association
- Inaugural Chairperson of the Canadian Caucus to the American Association for Justice
- Organized and addressed first Nova Scotia Barristers' Society Class Action Conference
- Nova Scotia Statutory Costs and Fees Committee (Retired)
- Nova Scotia Barristers' Society Rules Committee (Retired)
- Nova Scotia Bench and Bar Civil Procedure Rules Committee
- Invited to speak at 2011 WeFree day conference in Italy about OxyContin
- 2012 Recipient of the Lorne Clarke, QC Access to Justice Award
- 2012 Received Queen's Counsel designation
- 2014 Recipient of Bruce T. Hillyer Award from Ontario Trial Lawyers Association
- 2015 One of five finalists for the Public Justice Trial Lawyer of the Year Award
- Appearances before the Courts in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland and Labrador, Ontario, and Saskatchewan;
- Appearances before the Supreme Court of Canada and the Federal Court

LECTURES & SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

- Atlantic Provinces Trial Lawyers Association
- Dalhousie Law School
- Continuing Legal Education Society of Nova Scotia
- Public Legal Education Society
- Cape Breton Barristers' Society
- Barreau du Québec
- Ontario Trial Lawyers Association
- Osgoode Hall Law School National Symposium on Class Actions
- Canadian Bar Association
- Canadian Pain Society
- Canadian Institute
- American Association of Justice
- Lexpert
- WeFree Day, San Patrignano, Italy, Italian National TV

APPENDIX B

Please see attached.

Court File No. CV-19-616077-00CL

ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE COMMERCIAL LIST

	THE HONOURABLE)	MONDAY, THE 9 th DAY OF DECEMBER, 2019
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MR. JUS	STICE MCEWEN)	DAY OF DECEMBER, 2019

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' CREDITORS ARRANGEMENT ACT, R.S.C. 1985 c. C-36, AS AMENDED

AND IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR ARRANGEMENT OF IMPERIAL TOBACCO CANADA LIMITED AND IMPERIAL TOBACCO COMPANY LIMITED

Applicant

AMENDED AND RESTATED ORDER (APPOINTMENT OF <u>PCC</u> REPRESENTATIVE COUNSEL)

THIS JOINT MOTION made by the "Tobacco Monitors being FTI Consulting Canada Inc.

in its capacity as court-appointed Monitor (the "Imperial Monitor") of Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited and Imperial Tobacco Company Limited (collectively, "Imperial"), "being Ernst & Young Inc. in its capacity as court-appointed Monitor of Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc. ("RBH")-and, Deloitte Restructuring Inc. in its capacity as court-appointed Monitor of JTI-Macdonald Corp. ("JTIM") and FTI Consulting Canada Inc. in its capacity as court-appointed Monitor (the "Imperial Monitor") of Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited and Imperial Tobacco Company Limited (collectively, "Imperial" and together with Imperial RBH and RBHJTIM, the "Applicants") for advice and directions regarding an order appointing representative counsel in these proceedings was heard this day at 330 University Avenue, Toronto, Ontario₃.

ON READING the Joint Notice of Motion of the Tobacco Monitors dated November 25, 2019 including the Sixth Report to Court of the Imperial Monitor dated November 26, 2019 (the "**Sixth Report**") filed, and on hearing the submissions of counsel for each of the Tobacco Monitors, the Applicants and such other counsel as were present, no one else appearing although duly served as appears from the affidavits of service of Monique Sassi sworn November 25 and November 26, 2019 and the affidavit of service of Robert Nicholls sworn November 27, 2019.

1. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that the timing and method of service and filing of this motion is hereby abridged and validated such that the motion is properly returnable today and this Court hereby dispenses with further service of this motion and of this Order.

2. THIS COURT ORDERS that capitalized terms not otherwise defined in this Order (including in Schedule "A") shall have the meaning-meanings given to them in the Sixth ReportTwenty-Second Report to Court of the Imperial Monitor dated November 13, 2024, or the Court-Appointed Mediator's and Monitor's CCAA Plan of Compromise and Arrangement in respect of Imperial dated October 17, 2024, as may be amended in accordance with its terms or by further order of this Court.

3. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that The Law Practice of Wagner & Associates, Inc. (the "<u>PCC</u> **Representative Counsel**") be and is hereby appointed to represent in these proceedings the TRW

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<u>Pan-Canadian</u> Claimants as defined in Schedule "A" hereto, which definition may be amended following consultation among the Court-Appointed Mediator, the Tobacco Monitors and <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel and as approved by further order of this Court.

4. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that, subject to further order of this Court, <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel shall represent the interests of the <u>TRW-Pan-Canadian</u> Claimants as set out in paragraph 5 below without any obligation to consult with or seek individual instructions from those on whose behalf they have been appointed to represent, provided however, that <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel is hereby authorized, but not obligated, to establish a committee (the "**Representative Committee**") on such terms as may be agreed to by the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors or established by further order of this Court.

1.5. THIS COURT ORDERS that <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel be and is hereby authorized to take all steps and to perform all acts necessary or desirable to carry out the terms of this Order, including, without limitation, by:

- (a) participating in and negotiating on behalf of the <u>TRW-Pan-Canadian</u> Claimants in the Mediation;
- (b) working with the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors to develop a process for the identification of valid and provable claims of TRW-Pan-<u>Canadian</u> Claimants, and as appropriate, addressing such claims in the Mediation or the CCAA Proceedings;
- (c) responding to inquiries from <u>TRW-Pan-Canadian</u> Claimants in the CCAA Proceedings;and
- (d) taking all steps or actions and providing all services in connection with its duties

both before and after the Plan Implementation Date, as applicable:

(i) in these CCAA Proceedings; and

(ii) subject to the implementation of the CCAA Plan:

a. under the CCAA Plan, including the PCC Compensation Plan; and

b. as may otherwise be required by the CCAA Plan Administrators; and

(d)(e) performing such other actions as approved by this Court.

For greater certainty, nothing in this Order shall be construed as determining the validity

of any claims of any TRW-Pan-Canadian Claimants.

2.6. THIS COURT ORDERS that <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel be and is hereby authorized, at its discretion, on such terms as may be consented to by the Court-Appointed Mediator and the Tobacco Monitors-, or, subject to the implementation of the CCAA Plan, the <u>CCAA Plan Administrators following the Plan Implementation Date</u>, or further order of this Court to retain and consult with subject area experts and other professional and financial advisors as the <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel may consider necessary to assist it with the discharge of its mandate-.

3.THIS COURT ORDERS that paragraphs 36 and 38 of the Second Amended and Restated Initial Order are hereby amended and are deemed from and after the date hereof to include 7. <u>THIS</u> **COURT ORDERS** that paragraphs 36 and 38 of the Second Amended and Restated Initial Order are hereby amended and are deemed from and after the date hereof to include PCC Representative Counsel as appointed herein among the parties who shall be paid their its reasonable professional fees and disbursements in each case on an hourly basis, from and after the date of this Order and among those who benefit from the Administration Charge as defined therein and shall be paid by the Applicants in accordance with an agreement among the Applicants <u>until the Plan</u> Implementation Date.

8. THIS COURT ORDERS that, subject to the implementation of the CCAA Plan, all costs

associated with the PCC Representative Counsel (including its advisors) after the Plan

Implementation Date, shall be paid in accordance with the CCAA Plan.

4.9. **THIS COURT ORDERS** that <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel shall not be liable for any act or omission in respect of <u>their its</u> appointment or the fulfillment of <u>their its</u> duties in carrying out the provisions of this Order, other than for gross negligence or willful misconduct. No action or other proceedings shall be commenced against <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel in respect of alleged gross negligence or willful misconduct, except with prior leave of this Court-, on at least 7 days' notice to <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel-, and upon such further order as this Court may make in respect of security for costs to be given by the plaintiff for the costs of the <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel in connection with any such action or proceeding.

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5.10. THIS COURT ORDERS that the <u>PCC</u> Representative Counsel may from time to time apply to this Court for advice and directions in respect of <u>their its</u> appointment or the fulfillment of <u>their its</u> duties in carrying <u>outlthe out the</u> provisions of this Order, upon notice to the Applicants and the Tobacco Monitors (or, subject to the implementation of the CCAA Plan, the

<u>CCAA Plan Administrators after the Plan Implementation Date</u>) and to other interested parties, unless otherwise ordered by this <u>Court.</u>

Chief Justice G.B. Morawetz

Schedule "A"

Definitions

For the purposes of this Schedule "A", capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning given to them in the CCAA Plan (as defined below).

"Alternative Product" means (i) any device that produces emissions in the form of an aerosol and is intended to be brought to the mouth for inhalation of the aerosol without burning of (a) a substance; or (b) a mixture of substances; (ii) any substance or mixture of substances, whether or not it contains tobacco or nicotine, that is intended for use with or without those devices to produce emissions in the form of an aerosol without burning; (iii) any non-combustible tobacco (other than smokeless tobacco) or nicotine delivery product; or (iv) any component, part, or accessory of or used in connection with any such device or product referred to above.

"CCAA Plan", or "Plan", means the Court-Appointed Mediator's and Monitor's plan of compromise and arrangement pursuant to the CCAA concerning, affecting and involving Imperial dated October 17, 2024 (as may be amended in accordance with its terms or by further order of the CCAA Court), including all Schedules thereto.

"Individuals" means all individuals residing in a Province or Territory of Canada.

"**Pan-Canadian Claimants**" or "**PCCs**", means Individuals, excluding *Blais* Class Members and *Létourneau* Class Members in relation to QCAP Claims, who have asserted or may be entitled to assert a PCC Claim.

SCHEDULE A

Definition of TRW Claimants

"TRW Claimants" means all individuals (including their respective successors, heirs, assigns, litigation guardians and designated representatives under applicable provincial family law legislation) who assert or may be entitled to assert a claim or cause of action as against one or more of the Applicants, the ITCAN subsidiaries, the BAT Group, the JTIM Group or the PMI Group, each as defined below, or persons indemnified by such entities, in respect of:

"PCC Claim" means any Claim of any Pan-Canadian Claimant that has been made or may in the future be asserted or made in whole or in part against or in respect of the Released Parties, or any one of them (either individually or with any other Person), that has been advanced, could have been advanced or could be advanced, whether on such Pan-Canadian Claimant's own account, or on their behalf, or on behalf of a certified or proposed class, to recover damages or any other remedy in respect of the development, design, manufacture, importation, production, marketing, advertising, distribution, purchase or sale of Tobacco Products (defined below), including any representations or omissions in respect thereof,

the historical or ongoing use of or exposure (whether directly or indirectly) to Tobacco Products; or or their emissions and the development of any disease or condition as a result thereof, whether existing or hereafter arising, in each case based on, arising from or in respect of any conduct, act, omission, transaction, duty, responsibility, indebtedness, liability, obligation, dealing, fact, matter or occurrence existing or taking place at or prior to the Effective Time (whether or not continuing thereafter) including, all Claims that have been advanced, could have been advanced or could be advanced in the following actions commenced by Individuals under provincial class proceedings legislation and actions commenced by Individuals, or in any other similar proceedings:

(a) Barbara Bourassa v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited et al. (Supreme Court of British Columbia, Court File No. 10-2780 and Court File No. 14-4722);

any representation in respect of Tobacco Products,

in Canada or in the case of the Applicants, anywhere else in the world, including, without limitation, claims for contribution or indemnity, personal injury or tort damages, restitutionary recovery, non-pecuniary damages or claims for recovery grounded in provincial consumer protection legislation but specifically excluding claims:

- (i) in any person's capacity as a trade supplier, contract counterparty, employee, pensioner, or retiree;
- (ii) captured by any of the following commercial class actions:

The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board v. JTJ-Macdonald Corp., Court File No. 64462 CP (London, Ontario);

The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc., Court File No. 1056/10CP (London, Ontario);

(b) The Ontario Flue-Cured Tobacco Growers' Marketing Board-<u>Roderick Dennis McDermid</u> v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Ltd.<u>Limited et al.</u> (Supreme Court of British Columbia, Court File No. 64757 CP (London, Ontario);10-2769);

(c) Linda Dorion v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al. (Alberta Court. of Queen's Bench, Court File No. 0901-08964);

captured by any of the following class actions: Conseil quebecois sur le tabac et la sante et al. v. JTI-Macdonald Corp. et al., Court File No. 500-06-000076-980 (Montreal, Quebec);

- (d) Thelma Adams v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al. (Saskatchewan Court of Queen's Bench, Court File No. 916 of 2009);
- (e) Deborah Kunta v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al. (Manitoba Court of Queen's Bench, Court File No. Cl09-01-61479);
- (f) Suzanne Jacklin v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. 53794/12);
- (g) Ben Semple v. Canadian Tobacco Manufacturers' Council et al. (Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, Court File No. 312869);
- (a) (h) Cecilia Letourneau et al. <u>Victor Todd Sparkes td., et al., Court File No. 500-06-000070-983 (Montreal, Quebec); v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Newfoundland and Labrador Supreme Court Trial Division, Court File No. 200401T2716 CP);</u>
- (i) Peter Stright v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Supreme Court of Nova Scotia, Court File No. 177663);
- (j) Ljubisa Spasic as estate trustee of Mirjana Spasic v. Imperial Tobacco Limited and Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc. (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. C17773/97);

- (k) Ljubisa Spasic as estate trustee of Mirjana Spasic v. B.A.T. Industries P.L.C. (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. C18187/97);
- (1) Ragoonanan v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. 00-CV-183165-CP00);
- (m) Scott Landry v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. 1442/03);
- (n) Joseph Battaglia v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Ontario Superior Court of Justice, Court File No. 21513/97);
- (o) Roland Bergeron v. Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited (Quebec Superior Court, Court File No. 750-32-700014-163);
- (p) Paradis, in personal capacity and on behalf of estate of Lorraine Trepanier v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc. (Quebec Small Claims Court);
- (q) Couture v. Rothmans, Benson & Hedges Inc. (Quebec Superior Court); and

including any such Claim that is a Section 5.1(2) Claim or Section 19(2) Claim.

"Section 5.1(2) Claims" means any Claims against the Directors that:

- (a) arose before the commencement of the CCAA Proceeding;
- (b) relate to the obligations of Imperial where the Directors are by law liable in their capacity as Directors for the payment of such obligations; and
- (c) either relate to contractual rights of one or more creditors, or are based on allegations of misrepresentations made by Directors to creditors, or of wrongful or oppressive conduct by Directors.

"Section 19(2) Claims" means any Claims against Imperial that relate to any of the following debts or liabilities, present or future, to which Imperial is subject on the day on which the CCAA Proceeding commenced, or to which Imperial may become subject before the compromise or arrangement is sanctioned by reason of any obligation incurred by Imperial before the day on which the CCAA Proceeding commenced, unless the compromise or arrangement in respect of Imperial explicitly provides for the Claim's compromise, and the creditor in relation to that debt has voted for the acceptance of the compromise or arrangement:

- (a) any fine, penalty, restitution order or other order similar in nature to a fine, penalty or restitution order, imposed by a court in respect of an offence;
- (b) any award of damages by a court in civil proceedings in respect of:
 - (i) bodily harm intentionally inflicted, or sexual assault, or

- wrongful death resulting from an act referred to in subparagraph (i); (ii)
- (c) any debt or liability arising out of fraud, embezzlement, misappropriation or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity or, in Quebec, as a trustee or an administrator of the property of others;
- (d) any debt or liability resulting from obtaining property or services by false pretences or fraudulent misrepresentation, other than a debt or liability of the company that arises from an equity claim; or
- (e) any debt for interest owed in relation to an amount referred to in any of paragraphs (a) to (d).

Kenneth Knight v. Imperial Tobacco, Court File No. L031300 (Vancouver, British Columbia).

"BAT Group" means, collectively, British American Tobacco p.l.c., B.A.T. International Finance p.l.c., B.A.T Industries p.l.c., British American Tobacco (Investments) Limited, Carreras Rothmans Limited or entities related to or affiliated with them other than the ITL Applicants and the ITCAN Subsidiaries. "ITCAN Subsidiaries" means Imperial Tobacco Services Inc., Imperial Tobacco Products Limited, Marlboro Canada Limited, Cameo Inc., Medallion Inc., Allan Ramsay and Company Limited, John Player & Sons Ltd., Imperial Brands Ltd., 2004969 Ontario Inc., Construction Romjr 1inc., Genstar Corporation, Imasco Holdings Group, Inc., ITL (USA) limited, Genstar PacificJ:orporation, Imasco Holdings Inc., Southward Insurance Ltd., Liggett & Myers Tobacco Cornpar,y; of Canada Limited or entities related to or affiliated with them other than the ITL Appli, cahts and the BAT Group. "JTIM Group" means the entities currently or formerly related to or affiliated with JTIM. "PMI Group" means Phillip Morris International Inc. and all entities related to or affiliated with it, other than RBH.

"Tobacco Products Product" means any product made in whole or in part of tobacco that is intended for

human consumption or use, including any component, part, or accessory of or used in connection with a tobacco product, including cigarettes, tobacco sticks (intended for smoking and requiring further preparation before they are smoked), loose tobacco intended for incorporation into cigarettes, cigars, cigarillos, pipe tobacco, kreteks, bidis and smokeless tobacco (including chewing tobacco, nasal snuff and oral snuff), but does not include Vapour Products any Alternative Product

 "Vapour Products" means: (i) a device that produces emissions in the form of an aeroso aerosol without burning of (i) a substance or (ii) a mixture (ii) a part or accessory that may be used with those devices; a (iii) a substance or mixture of substances, whether or not it co without those devices to produce emissions in the form of a substance or mixture of substances. 	and ntains tobacco or nicotine, that is intended for use with or
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