

AMENDMENTS TO NATIONAL INSTRUMENT 31-103 REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS, EXEMPTIONS AND ONGOING REGISTRANT OBLIGATIONS

- 1. National Instrument 31-103 Registration Requirements, Exemptions and Ongoing Registrant Obligations is amended by this Instrument.
- 2. Section 8.21 is amended
 - (a) in subsection (1), by
 - (i) replacing "approved credit rating" with "designated rating",
 - (ii) replacing "approved credit rating organization" with "designated rating organization",
 - (iii) after the definition of "designated rating organization", by adding the following definition:
 - "DRO affiliate" has the same meaning as in section 1 of National Instrument 25-101 Designated Rating Organizations;, and
 - (b) in subparagraph (2)(b), by
 - (i) replacing "an approved credit rating" with "a designated rating", and
 - (ii) replacing "an approved credit rating organization" with "a designated rating organization or its DRO affiliate".
- 3. Schedule 1 of Form 31-103F1 Calculation of Excess Working Capital (calculating line 9 [market risk]) is amended by replacing "Moody's Investors Service, Inc. or Standard & Poor's Corporation" with "Moody's Canada Inc. or its DRO affiliate or Standard & Poor's Rating Services (Canada) or its DRO affiliate".
- 4. This Instrument comes into force on May 31, 2013.