



CANADA )  
PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN )  
TO WIT )

IN THE MATTER OF *THE LEGAL PROFESSION ACT, 1990*  
AND IN THE MATTER OF CHERYL LYNN KLOPPENBURG,  
A LAWYER OF SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN

## Formal Complaint

I, MELANIE HODGES NEUFELD, of the City of Regina, in the Province of Saskatchewan, Complaints Counsel for the Law Society of Saskatchewan, do hereby certify that Reginald Watson, Q.C., Vice-Chair of the Discipline Committee of the Benchers of The Law Society of Saskatchewan, has appointed a Hearing Committee pursuant to Section 47(1) of *The Legal Profession Act, 1990*, comprised of Thomas Campbell, as Chair, along with Darcia Schirr, Q.C., and Peggy Schmeiser to hear and determine a formal complaint set out by the Investigation Committee consisting of Peter Hryhorchuk and William Holliday, pursuant to Section 46(1) of *The Legal Profession Act, 1990*, against Cheryl Lynn Kloppenburg, a lawyer and a member of The Law Society of Saskatchewan, carrying on the practice of law at all of the relevant times in the City of Saskatoon, in the Province of Saskatchewan, as follows:

THAT Cheryl Lynn Kloppenburg, of the City of Saskatoon, in the Province of Saskatchewan, is guilty of conduct unbecoming a lawyer in that:

1. She failed to serve her client, W.A., in a conscientious, diligent and efficient manner by failing to keep him reasonably informed as to the status relating to G.A. guardianship application;
2. She failed to serve her client, W.A., in a conscientious, diligent and efficient manner by failing to respond to W.A.'s communications within a reasonable time;

3. She failed to serve the Estate of G.A., in a conscientious, diligent and efficient manner by failing to complete the tasks necessary to ensure that the administration of the Estate of G.A. was completed within a reasonable time;
4. She failed to reply to fellow members of the Law Society of Saskatchewan and/or members of the Law Society of Upper Canada within a reasonable time during her involvement with the administration of the Estate of G.A.;
5. She deliberately or negligently made misrepresentations to T.H and S.W. members of The Law Society of Saskatchewan, regarding the status of the Application for Letters Probate on the G.A. Estate;
6. She rendered an account to her client, the Estate of G.W., for time or expenditures associated with her response to a complaint to the Law Society of Saskatchewan.

DATED at the City of Regina, in the Province of Saskatchewan, this 9th day of March, 2010.



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**MELANIE HODGES NEUFELD**  
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