

# ATTESTATION OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE SASKATCHEWAN

You have submitted a claim as Personal Representative of a **minor child** who resides in Saskatchewan and who is eligible for money under the First Nations Drinking Water Settlement Agreement.

We are asking you to complete this form so that the minor child's money is processed correctly. You have options in completing this form. Please choose **one** option only:



**Option A:** You can choose to have the minor child's money paid to the Public Guardian and Trustee of Saskatchewan. This means that the minor child's money will be held in a public trust until they turn 18.

To choose this, check the box under A – Election. **This option is also the default and will apply if you do not return this form within 60 days of receipt.**

**OR**



**Option B:** You can attest (make a legal statement to the best of your knowledge) that **one** of the situations under B is true. In this case, some or all the minor child's money will be paid to you on their behalf.

Please read the statements fully. In brief, these options are:

- **B-1** – You are the minor child's parent and/or guardian of property and have provided security (e.g., a bond/guarantee) to the court for the purposes of receiving money on behalf of the minor child or a court has ordered that you need not provide the security;

**OR**

- **B-2** – You are a responsible adult acting on the minor child's behalf or are the minor child's parent or guardian of property but have **NOT** provided security (or obtained court order doing away with the need to provide security);

Only a parent or guardian of property that has provided the necessary security to a Saskatchewan court registrar (or obtained an order doing away with the need to provide such security) will be able to receive all of the minor child's money on the child's behalf.

Otherwise, if the minor's entitlement to money does not exceed \$10,000 **and**

- if you are a parent or guardian of property that has not provided the necessary security (or obtained a court order saying you don't need to provide security) **or**
- if you are a responsible adult with decision-making authority for the minor child,

you may be able to receive the money on behalf of the minor child if the Public Guardian and Trustee of Saskatchewan approves. But, if the minor child's entitlement exceeds \$10,000, then all of the money will need to go to the Public Guardian and Trustee.

**You may only choose ONE option: in other words, please make one election (check box A) or make one attestation (complete one section of B).**

If you need help with this form there are three teams of people available to help.



**The Hope for Wellness Team** offers comfort and emotional support.

**They can help you** if you are experiencing emotional distress.

**You can reach them** toll-free on our Wellness Help Line at 1-855-242-3310 or online at [www.hopeforwellness.ca](http://www.hopeforwellness.ca)



**The Administrator** handles claim applications and payments.

**They can help you** with the claims process, including with filling in this Attestation. Start with them if you have a question and don't know who to ask.

**You can reach them** toll-free on our Administrator Help Line at 1-833-252-4220.



**The Class Counsel Team** are your lawyers. They work for you, calls are confidential, and there's no charge to talk with them.

**They can help you** with claims for Specified Injuries Compensation or legal questions about the class action settlement.

**You can reach them** toll-free at on our Class Counsel Help Line at 1-833-265-7589.

**A. ELECTION – Payment to the Public Guardian and Trustee of Saskatchewan**

☐ I \_\_\_\_\_ of the Province/Territory of \_\_\_\_\_, request that any compensation to which \_\_\_\_\_ (the minor child) is entitled be deposited with the Public Guardian and Trustee of Saskatchewan.

**B. ATTESTATION – Payment to Representative**

**You may complete only ONE of following two attestations.**

## 1. Guardian of Property Attestation

I \_\_\_\_\_ of the Province/Territory of \_\_\_\_\_, declare and attest that all of the following statements are true.

1. I am a guardian of the property of the child \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Child"), by virtue of (check only one):

- ☐ a. being the father or mother of the Child;
- ☐ b. the enclosed court order made by the court dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ c. the enclosed will of the Child's parent, \_\_\_\_\_, who is now deceased;
- ☐ d. the enclosed agreement of the Child's parent, dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ e. the customs or traditions of the First Nation group, community or people to which the Child belongs.

**AND**

2. I have (check only **one**):

- ☐ a. provided the necessary security to a registrar of the Saskatchewan Court of King's Bench per the enclosed receipt of same, dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ b. obtained the enclosed court order, dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_, confirming that I am not required to provide security;

- 3. There are no court orders, parenting agreements, or other circumstances limiting my ability to manage make decisions on behalf of the Minor or serve as the guardian of property of the Child;
- 4. There is no other guardian of property of the Child or I have submitted this claim with the consent/approval of the other guardian(s) of the property of the Child; and,
- 5. The Child does not have a public guardian (such as the Public Guardian and Trustee);
- 6. The Child does not have any legal obligation to support another person.

### **a. Your declaration and signature:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print your Full Name (First, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Declaration and Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

### **b. Witness "I witnessed the person sign this form"**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print the Full Name of the Witness (First, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Declaration and Signature of Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

## 2. Responsible Adult/Insufficient Security Attestation

I \_\_\_\_\_ of the Province/Territory of \_\_\_\_\_, declare and attest that all of the following statements are true.

1. I am a responsible adult, and am acting in the Child's best interest, by virtue of (check only one):

- ☐ a. being the father or mother of the Child;
- ☐ b. the enclosed court order made by the court dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ c. the enclosed will of the Child's parent, \_\_\_\_\_, who is now deceased;
- ☐ d. the enclosed agreement of the Child's parent, dated (mm/dd/yyyy) \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ e. having care and control over the Child and decision-making authority in respect of day-to-day decisions affecting the Child;
- ☐ f. the customs or traditions of the First Nation group, community or people to which the Child belongs.

2. I have **not** provided security to a registrar of the Saskatchewan Court of King's Bench and the Saskatchewan Court of King's Bench has not ordered that I am not required to post security.

3. There are no court orders, parenting agreements, or other circumstances limiting my ability to serve as the guardian of property of the Child;

4. I am the only guardian of property of the Child or I have submitted this claim with the consent/approval of the other guardian(s) of the property of the Child; and,

5. The Child does not have a public guardian (such as the Public Guardian and Trustee);

6. The Child does not have any legal obligation to support another person.

### a. Your declaration and signature:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print your Full Name (First, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Declaration and Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

### b. Witness "I witnessed the person sign this form"

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print the Full Name of the Witness (First, Last)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Declaration and Signature of Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (mm/dd/yyyy)