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## IN THE MATTER OF THE SECURITIES ACT R.S.O. 1990, c.S.5, AS AMENDED

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## IN THE MATTER OF NELSON FINANCIAL GROUP LTD., NELSON INVESTMENT GROUP LTD., MARC D. BOUTET, STEPHANIE LOCKMAN SOBOL, PAUL MANUEL TORRES and H. W. PETER KNOLL

## ORDER

**WHEREAS** on May 12, 2010, the Ontario Securities Commission (the "Commission") issued a Notice of Hearing pursuant to section 127 and 127.1 of the *Securities Act*, R.S.O. 1990, c. S.5, as amended (the "*Act*") in connection with a Statement of Allegations issued by Staff of the Commission ("Staff") in this matter;

AND WHEREAS on November 10, 2010, the Staff amended the Statement of Allegations;

**AND WHEREAS** H.W. Peter Knoll ("Knoll") entered into a settlement agreement with Staff dated May 24, 2011 (the "Settlement Agreement"), subject to the approval of the Commission;

**AND UPON** reviewing the Settlement Agreement, and upon hearing submissions from counsel for Staff and counsel for Knoll.

**AND WHEREAS** the Commission is of the opinion that it is in the public interest to make this order;

## **IT IS ORDERED THAT**

(a) The Settlement Agreement is approved;

- (b) Pursuant to clause 2 of s. 127(1) of the Act, trading in any securities by Knoll shall cease permanently, with a carve out for trading by Knoll in his personal RRSP account after the payment set out in subparagraph (f) is paid in full;
- (c) Pursuant to clause 1 of s. 127(1) of the Act, the registration granted to Knoll under Ontario securities law shall be terminated, permanently;
- (d) Pursuant to clause 8 of s. 127(1) of the Act, Knoll is prohibited from becoming or acting as a director or an officer of any issuer for the greater of 15 years, or until such time as the payment specified in paragraph (f) is made in full;
- (e) Pursuant to clause 3 of s. 127(1) of the Act, Any exemptions contained in Ontario securities law do not apply to Knoll, permanently;
- (f) Pursuant to clauses 9 and 10 of s. 127(1) of the Act, Knoll shall pay the amount of \$60,000 to be allocated to or for the benefit of third parties under s. 3.4(2) of the *Act*, with payment of \$15,000 to be made by certified cheque at the time of the settlement hearing and the remaining \$45,000 to be paid in quarterly instalments over a period of 3 years from the date the Settlement Agreement is executed.

DATED at Toronto this 30th day of May, 2011.

"James D. Carnwath"

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