



NOTICE TO THE PROFESSION

NOTICE TO:

March 29, 2005

All Active Members and Students-at-Law,
All Executive Directors of other Law Societies in Canada,
All Justices of the Court of Appeal and Court of Queen's Bench,
All Judges of the Provincial Court of Alberta,
All Masters in Chambers,
All Clerks of the Court

SUSPENSION

SPECIFICS:

On March 11, 2005, a Hearing Committee found **Mr. Roy Peter Rasmussen** guilty on three citations. Mr. Rasmussen resides and practises in Calgary, Alberta.

The citations on which Mr. Rasmussen was found guilty are as follows: one citation involving failing to follow accounting rules, one citation involving breach of an undertaking to maintain his firm's books and records, and one citation involving failing to respond to the Law Society.

The Hearing Committee ordered, pursuant to Section 72 of the *Legal Profession Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. L-8, that the membership of the member be suspended for six months commencing at the close of business on March 18, 2005. As a condition of reinstatement, the member shall satisfy the Practice Review Committee that there are in place adequate safeguards to ensure compliance with the accounting rules of the Law Society of Alberta.

The Hearing Committee imposed a fine of \$2,500.00. Actual costs of the hearing, less adjournment costs, were also ordered.

When Mr. Rasmusen's membership was suspended, the conduct of his files was assumed by:

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