

February 17, 2006

NOTICE TO THE PROFESSION

NOTICE TO: 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 February 15, 2006, the Benchers of the Law Society of Alberta suspended the membership of **Blair A. Petterson** of Edmonton, Alberta, effective immediately, pursuant to Section 63 of the *Legal Profession Act*, R.S.A. 2000, c. L-8. They did so because Mr. Petterson's conduct is the subject of proceedings under Part 3 of the *Legal Profession Act* and the Benchers considered his suspension warranted in the circumstances.

The Custodian of Mr. Petterson's practice is:

Paul McLaughlin McLaughlin LLP 170, 150 Chippewa Road Sherwood Park, AB T8A 6A2 Telephone: (780) 410-0544 Fax: (780) 410-0566

> Don Thompson, Q.C. Executive Director Law Society of Alberta