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Re: Priscilla Kennedy (A) v. Roland Twinn (R) and others
Appeal No. 1703-0252AC

Type of Appeal and Procedural Issues

Your recently filed Notice of Appeal has been reviewed and the appeal has been categorized as a Fast Track appeal.

From the materials filed, it appears that the following procedural issues are outstanding:

- This appeal should be consolidated with the related appeal(s). Please contact the Case Management Officer within one week of receipt of this letter to discuss the process for consolidation.
- I have classified this appeal as a fast track appeal given that the related appeal has been fast-tracked. I would encourage one set of books for both appeals: the appeal record, factums, authorities and extracts of key evidence. Given that an application for advice and direction concerning whether permission to appeal is required is outstanding, those discussions may have to be postponed until after the application is decided. Nevertheless, I would encourage counsel to give some thought to the establishment of a timetable for the hearing of these appeals. Further information on timetables is set out below.
- A copy of the order/judgment under appeal has not been included with the Notice of Appeal. Please provide a filed copy of the order/judgment as soon as it is available.

Should you wish to provide a response, or if you require assistance with managing this appeal, please contact the Case Management Officer.

Deadlines / Timetables

A summarized version of appeal deadlines is available on the Court of Appeal's website under "Publications and Forms" – Filing Deadlines. There is an option to submit timetables for the appeal instead of following the deadlines set by the Rules of Court. A timetable sets out mutually-agreed upon deadlines for the filing of all materials, including the hearing date. The

proposed timetable is sent to the Case Management Officer for approval. A sample timetable is available on the Court of Appeal's website under "Publications and Forms" – Filing Deadlines.

Judicial Dispute Resolution (JDR)

JDR is readily available at the Court of Appeal. Resolving a matter through JDR may result in the appeal being settled more expeditiously and at less expense than if it proceeded to hearing. A JDR may be initiated at any stage of the appeal proceedings. Further details on JDRs can be found in Division 5, Subdivision 4 of the Alberta Rules of Court, and in Part D of the Consolidated Practice Directions. Please contact the Case Management Officer if interested in JDR.

Resources

The Alberta Rules of Court and the Consolidated Practice Directions (CPD) of the Court of Appeal are available on the Court of Appeal website at <https://albertacourts.ca>. Please review the resources that are available on the website, which includes sample forms, precedents, FAQs, and sitting dates.

Thank you,

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