

## Mediation Agreement

Plaintiff

**Defendant** 

Dispute means the dispute between the Parties (collectively called the Parties)

Mediation includes the mediation conference and the mediation proceedings.

Party means any one of the above captioned parties and includes a party acting through counsel.

- 1. The parties and the mediator each confirm they shall:
  Conduct themselves in a bona fide and forthright manner, and make a serious attempt to settle the dispute.
- 2. Each party represents that they have authority to settle the dispute at the mediation, and is willing to consider compromises, accommodations in a bona fide effort to settle the dispute.
- 3.. Each party acknowledges and agrees that:
  - a. The mediator will not act as legal counsel for any party.
  - b. Everything said or disclosed in the mediation is confidential, and no party shall call the mediator or any other party to the mediation as witness in any legal proceeding and shall not subpoena any records left with or made by the mediator.
  - c. A party or the mediator may terminate the mediation at any time.
  - d. A mediator may not disclose information provided by any Party to any other Party unless the Party disclosing the information gives the mediator permission to disclose such information.
  - e. No Party shall rely on or introduce as evidence in subsequent proceedings: another Party's views, suggestions or willingness to accept a settlement proposal, or any admissions made by any other party on the course of the mediation.
  - f. Each party shall bear their share of the cost of the mediation unless there is an agreement to the contrary.

Dated at the city of	in the Province of	on	201_