**File No.** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

LABOUR RELATIONS ACT, 1995

**RESPONSE TO APPLICATION FOR TERMINATION OF**

**BARGAINING RIGHTS** **UNDER SECTION 63 OF THE ACT**

BEFORE THE ONTARIO LABOUR RELATIONS BOARD

**Between:**

**Applicant,**

‑ and ‑

**Responding Party**

**(Trade** **Union).**

**PLEASE** **READ** **INFORMATION** **BULLETIN** **NO.** **2** **‑** **TERMINATION** **OF** **BARGAINING** **RIGHTS** **UNDER** **SECTION** **63** **OF** **THE** **ACT** **BEFORE** **COMPLETING** **THIS** **FORM.**

**The responding party states in response to the application:**

1. (a) Correct name of the responding party:

(b) Address, telephone number, facsimile number and e-mail address of the responding party:

(c) Name, address, telephone number, facsimile number and e-mail address of a contact person for the responding party (Please Note: this individual **must** be regularly available by telephone during the five (5) days leading up to the date set for the vote. Your contact person should be a person with the authority to enter into agreements on your behalf):

(d) E-mail address of representative and assistant (if any):

**□ Counsel: Assistant:**

**□ Paralegal: Assistant:**

**□ other: Assistant**:

**[Periods of time referred to in this response, in other Board forms and notices, and in the Board's Rules of Procedure do not include weekends, statutory holidays, or any other day that the Board is closed.]**

2. Name, address, telephone number, facsimile number and e-mail address of employer of employees affected by the application:

3. Detailed description of the unit of employees for which the responding party is the bargaining agent, including the municipality or other geographic area affected:

4. Has the application been made within one of the time periods provided for in the Act for the making of such applications?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is no, explain why not:

5. Does the responding party agree with the applicant's statement in paragraph 6 of the application regarding the number of employees in the bargaining unit on the date the application was made?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is no, please set out the number of employees on the date the application was made (and provide a breakdown by location):

6. The date of certification, if any, of the responding party as bargaining agent of the employees in the unit:

7. Is or was the responding party bound by a collective agreement?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

8. If the answer to paragraph 7 is yes, state the date on which the collective agreement was signed, its effective date and expiry date, and enclose a copy with this response.

9. Does the responding party wish to continue to represent the employees in this bargaining unit?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

**[Section 63(17) of the Act provides that the Board may declare that a trade union no longer represents employees in the bargaining unit where the trade union concerned informs the Board that it does not desire to continue to represent the employees.]**

10. Is the responding party seeking the dismissal of this application without a vote under section 63(16) of the Act?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is yes, you must provide in this response detailed representations in support of your position. Include **all** of the material facts on which you rely including the circumstances, what happened, where and when it happened, and the names of any persons said to have acted improperly. Your detailed representations must also be delivered to all other parties.

11. Other relevant statements (attach additional pages if necessary):

**Vote Arrangements** (Please read Information Bulletin No. 3 - Vote Arrangements before completing this portion of the form.)

12. Do you agree with the date of the vote proposed in the applicant's Form A-6 at paragraph 9?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is no, please explain fully and state the date(s) on which you believe the vote should commence and the reasons why:

13. Do you agree with the method of vote proposed in paragraph 10 of the applicant's Form A-6?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

Please explain fully.

14. Please state the name of the Agent you have selected to represent you for the vote:

15. Please state the name of the responding party as you wish it to appear to voters:

**Complete paragraphs 16, 17 and 18 only if you or the applicant requests an in-person vote.**

16. Do you agree with the hours of vote proposed in the applicant's Form A-6 at paragraph 12?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is no, please explain fully and state your suggested hours (specify start and finish times and either a.m. or p.m.), and the reasons for them:

17. Do you agree with the location of the poll(s) proposed in the applicant's Form A-6 at paragraph 13?

[ ] Yes

[ ] No

If the answer is no, please explain fully and state your suggested location of the poll(s), and the reasons for them:

18. Please state the name of the Scrutineer you have selected to represent you at each poll:

**Poll #1:**

**Poll #2** **(only if multiple locations are necessary):**

**DATED \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Signature for the Responding Party**

**CERTIFICATE OF DELIVERY**

1. I certify that a completed copy of the Response to Application for Termination of Bargaining Rights under Section 63 of the Act (Form A-7) was delivered to [ ] the applicant and [   ] the employer as follows:

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**[Complete either section 2 or section 3 below.]**

2. The documents were delivered by [   ] facsimile transmission or [   ]

hand delivery on\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a.m./p.m.

(Date)

3. The documents were given to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on

(Name of Courier)

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not later than \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a.m./p.m.

(Date)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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