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FEDERAL COURT

BETWEEN:

ROBERT T. STRICKLAND, GEORGE CONNON, ROLAND AUER, IWONA AUER-GRZESIAK, MARK AUER, AND VLADIMIR AUER BY HIS LITIGATION REPRESENTATIVE ROLAND AUER

Applicants

- and

ATTORNEY GENERAL OF CANADA

Respondent

AFFIDAVIT

I, Chris Sarlo, of the City of North Bay, in the Province of Ontario, SWEAR THAT:

- 1. I am a Professor of Economics at Nipissing University in North Bay, Ontario. A true copy of my *curriculum vitae* is attached to my Affidavit as Exhibit "A"
- 2. Attached to my Affidavit as Exhibit "B" is a true copy of my report entitled An Assessment of the Federal Child Support Guidelines.
- 3. Also attached to my Affidavit are true copies of some of the source materials I included in my reading list and that I reference in my report. Those are marked, in order that they are initially referenced in my report, as the following Exhibits:
 - (a) Exhibit "C" Federal/Provincial/Territorial Family Law Committee, *The Financial Implications of Child Support Guidelines: Research Report*, May 1992;
 - (b) Exhibit "D" R. Finnie, C. Giliberti, D. Stripinis, An Overview of the Research Program to Develop a Canadian Child Support Formula, 1995;
 - (c) Exhibit "E" Federal/Provincial/Territorial Family Law Committee, Report and Recommendations on Child Support, January 1995;

- (d) Exhibit "F" Department of Justice Canada, Formula for the Table Amounts Contained in the Federal Child Support Guidelines: A Technical Report, Research Report CSR-1997-1E, December 1997;
- (e) Exhibit "G" D. Stripinis, R. Finnie, C. Giliberti, *The Construction and Implementation of Child Support Guidelines*, Technical Report TR1993-17e, 1993;
- (f) Exhibit "H" M. Browning, Measuring the Costs of Children in Canada: A Practical Guide Phase I, Technical Report TR1991-13a, January 1991;
- (g) Exhibit "I" Statistics Canada, Low Income Measures, 1993, December 1994;
- (h) Exhibit "J" Department of Justice Canada, Evaluation of the Divorce Act, Phase II: Monitoring and Evaluation, May 1990;
- (i) Exhibit "K" C. Rogerson and R. Thompson, Spousal Support Advisory Guidelines, Department of Justice Canada, July 2008;
- (j) Exhibit "L" excerpt from prior drafts of the Technical Report appearing as Exhibit "G" to my Affidavit (originating in Exhibit "A" to the Affidavit of Roger Gallaway).
- (k) Exhibit "M" Senate of Canada, Proceedings of the Standing Senate Committee on Social Affairs, Science and Technology (12 December 1996) p.17 (testimony of Alan Rock starting at p.17:44).
- 4. In addition, I have also attached as an Exhibit "N" to my Affidavit a true copy of the Department of Justice Canada Research Report, *Phase 2 of the Survey of Child Support Awards: Final Report*, 2004-FCY-7E for additional background information on child support awards in Canada.
- 5. I make this Affidavit in support of an application for a declaration that the Federal Child Support Guidelines are ultra vires the federal Divorce Act.

| SWORN BEFORE ME at the City of North Bay, in the Province of Ontario, this | |
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| 24 day of August, 2012. | |
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