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THE COMPETITION TRIBUNAL

IN THE MATTER OF the *Competition Act*, R.S.C., 1985, c. C-34;

AND IN THE MATTER OF the proposed acquisition by Rogers Communications Inc. of Shaw Communications Inc.;

AND IN THE MATTER OF an application by the Commissioner of Competition for one or more orders pursuant to Section 92 of the *Competition Act*.

BETWEEN:

COMMISIONER OF COMPETITION

Applicant

- and -

**ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS INC. AND
SHAW COMMUNICATIONS INC.**

Respondents

NOTICE OF INTERVENTION BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL OF ALBERTA

TAKE NOTICE THAT the Attorney General of Alberta will intervene in the above proceedings before the Competition Tribunal (the “Tribunal”) pursuant to sections 92 and 101 of the *Competition Act*, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-34 (the “Act”) and sections 49 to 52 of the *Competition Tribunal Rules*.

1.0 The Nature of the Interest the Attorney General of Alberta in the Proceedings

The Respondents have significant presence in Alberta’s telecommunications market and their successes and failures will impact Alberta’s consumers, workers, and, potentially, other aspects of Alberta’s economy.

Shaw is headquartered in Calgary, Alberta and provides wireless services to over two million customers through its Freedom Mobile and Shaw Mobile businesses. Freedom Mobile Inc. is the fourth-largest wireless carrier in Canada serving mostly urban areas of Alberta, British Columbia and Ontario. Freedom Mobile’s footprint in Alberta includes Calgary, Edmonton, Red Deer, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat, capturing most of the urban population of the province.

2.0 The Matters in Respect of Which the Attorney General Will Make Representations on Behalf of Alberta

Based on the limited material filed with the Tribunal to date, the Attorney General of Alberta takes no position at this time, but reserves its right to participate after the parties have exchanged materials throughout the course of these proceedings.

3.0 The Name of the Party Whose Position the Attorney General Intends to Support

The Attorney General of Alberta seeks to participate in the proceedings with no position of support taken at this time, but reserves its right to do so after the parties have exchanged materials throughout the course of these proceedings.

4.0 The Official Language that the Attorney General Intends to Use in the Proceedings

The Attorney General of Alberta requests that the proceedings relating to this Application, including the hearing, be in the English language.

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