## IN THE MATTER OF THE SECURITIES ACT, R.S.N.S. 1989, CHAPTER 418, AS AMENDED ("ACT")

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## IN THE MATTER OF AN INVESTIGATION IN RESPECT OF KNOWLEDGE HOUSE INC.

## NOTICE OF PRE-HEARING CONFERENCE (Part 9 of Rule 15-501

General Rules of Practice and Procedure)

**TAKE NOTICE** that the Nova Scotia Securities Commission (the "Commission") will conduct Pre-Hearing Conferences pursuant to Part 9 of Rule 15-501 General Rules of Practice and Procedure ("Rule 15-501") at the offices of the Commission located at 1690 Hollis Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Halifax, Nova Scotia, or such other place as the Commission may designate on notice to the parties, on:

- 1. the 29<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2008, at 12:45 in the afternoon, or so soon thereafter as the Pre-Hearing Conference can be held;
- 2. the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2008, at 12:45 in the afternoon, or so soon thereafter as the Pre-Hearing Conference can be held; and
- 3. the 12<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2008, at 12:45 in the afternoon, or so soon thereafter as the Pre-Hearing Conference can be held;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that the Pre-Hearing Conferences shall not be open to the public;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that the purpose of the Pre-Hearing Conferences will be for the Commission to:

- 1. monitor the status of compliance with its disclosure order of September 9, 2008;
- 2. monitor the status of Commission staff's compliance with Sections 8.2 and 8.3 of Rule 15-501; and
- 3. prepare a schedule for discoveries;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that any party to the proceeding may attend in person or be represented by counsel;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that any party to the proceeding or counsel may attend in person or by way of teleconference;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that upon failure of any party to attend at a Pre-Hearing Conference, that Pre-Hearing Conference may proceed in the absence of that party and such party is not entitled to any further notice of the proceeding;

**AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE** that orders may be made by the Commission at the Pre-Hearing Conferences which will be binding on the parties with respect to the conduct of the hearing.

**DATED** at Halifax, Nova Scotia, this 17th day of September, 2008.

NOVA SCOTIA SECURITIES COMMISSION

Shirley P. Lee, Secretary