# **Scotiabank**<sup>®</sup> Form for use by branches located in all Provinces and Territories

## Designation of Beneficiary/Successor Holder

Note: This form may not be used by Quebec residents or non-residents of Canada. Quebec residents or non-residents of Canada should consult a legal advisor for guidance on designating or changing a successor holder or beneficiary designation for a TFSA.

## Instructions to Designate or Change:

- · For Beneficiary Only complete section 1
- For Successor Holder and Beneficiary complete sections 1 and 2
- For Successor Holder Only complete section 2
- For Revocation of Successor Holder complete section 3

## To: The Bank of Nova Scotia Trust Company ("Scotiatrust")

#### ACCOUNT HOLDER

GIVEN NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL, LAST NAME

## 1. DESIGNATION OR CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY

By signing below, I hereby revoke any prior designations of beneficiary with respect to the Scotia Tax-Free Savings Account (TFSA) listed above, and hereby designate, if living at the time of my death, the beneficiary(ies) noted below to receive all monies payable under the plan upon my death, subject to the applicable provision of my plan.

NAME OF BENEFICIARY	RELATIONSHIP	% DESIGNATED
1.		%
2.		%
3.		%
4.		%
Note: The Beneficiary section should only be completed if you have not completed the S	100%	

Note: The Beneficiary section should only be completed if you have not completed the Successor Holder section below and you want to designate a beneficiary to receive the TFSA proceeds OR you have completed the Successor Holder section below and you also want to designate another person to receive the TFSA proceeds in the event that your Successor Holder (designated below) predeceases you or is not your spouse on the date of your death.

## 2. DESIGNATION OR CHANGE OF SUCCESSOR HOLDER

By signing below, I hereby revoke any prior designations of Successor Holder with respect to the Scotia TFSA listed above, and hereby designate in the event of my death my spouse/common-law partnert (as applicable) as the Successor Holder for my TFSA, if he or she is (i) alive and (ii) my spouse/ common-law partner on the date of my death. I acknowledge that if there is a valid Successor Holder designation for my TFSA that no monies payable under the plan will be payable to any and all beneficiary(ies) upon my death.

† The terms "spouse" and "common-law partner" each has the meaning recognized in the Income Tax Act (Canada).

NAME OF SPOUSE/COMMON-LAW PARTNER	SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER

## 3. REVOCATION OF SUCCESSOR HOLDER DESIGNATION

I hereby **revoke** any and all prior successor holder designations for the *Scotia* TFSA noted above.

#### I understand and agree that:

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- (i) this form must be properly completed and received by an authorized representative of Scotiatrust to be effective against Scotiatrust;
- (ii) the trustee of my TFSA reserves the right to require, prior to payment of the net proceeds of the TFSA to the designated successor holder or beneficiary(ies), a notarial copy of letters probate or letters of administration or their equivalent; and
- (iii) no legal opinion or representation is made by Scotiatrust or its subsidiaries or affiliates regarding the validity and enforceability of this successor holder or beneficiary designation.

In consideration of the TFSA records maintained by the Bank of Nova Scotia on behalf of Scotiatrust being updated to reflect the designation or revocation made on this form, I agree to indemnify and hold harmless The Bank of Nova Scotia, Scotiatrust and their respective subsidiaries and affiliates from and against all claims, actions, losses, expenses, damages or liabilities which and of them may suffer or incur by reason of or in connection with this designation.

Dated at	this	day of		
			MONTH	YEAR
SIGNATURE OF CUSTOMER			THE	RECEIPT ACKNOWLEDGED BY BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA TRUST COMPANY
SIGNATURE OF WITNESS			AUTH. NO.	
				AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
NAME OF WITNESS (PLEASE PRINT)				

BRANCH TRANSIT	BRANCH PHONE	MFR CODE	EMPLOYEE ID		
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BRANCH CONTACT					
			IP DEALER TYPE		
			SSI BNS		

PLAN NUMBER

PART 1 - BRANCH COPY

PART 2 - CUSTOMER COPY PART 3 - CENTRAL FILE COPY Registered trademark of The Bank of Nova Scotia.