



**PENSION PLAN OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA REGISTRATION NO. 0355230
 SPOUSAL DECLARATION FORM**

MEMBER INFORMATION		
MEMBER NAME (LAST, FIRST)		
SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER		MEMBER ID
DATE OF RETIREMENT (mm/dd/yyyy)	DATE OF BIRTH* (mm/dd/yyyy)	GENDER
ADDRESS Number / Street City, Province, Postal Code		
TELEPHONE NO.		EMAIL
* Attach a copy of your birth certificate, driver's license, baptismal certificate or passport.		
DECLARATION OF MARITAL STATUS		
As at the calculation date and using my province of employment, I have referred to the Definition of Spouse on page 2 and declare my marital status as noted below:	PROVINCE OF EMPLOYMENT	
<input type="checkbox"/> I do have a Spouse Date of Marriage: _____ Attach a copy of your spouse's birth certificate, driver's license, baptismal certificate or passport and a copy of the marriage certificate.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Cohabiting in marriage like relationship for ____years Attach a copy of your common law's birth certificate, driver's license, baptismal certificate or passport.		
<input type="checkbox"/> Widowed Attach a copy of the Death Certificate		
<input type="checkbox"/> I do not have and have never had a spouse		
<input type="checkbox"/> I do have a former common law/spouse(s) as follows: Name: _____ Address: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Separated, Date of Separation (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced, Date of Divorce (mm/dd/yyyy): _____ If not already provided, attach copy of divorce order or separation agreement that details pension settlement: <input type="checkbox"/> Entitled to a portion of my pension benefit <input type="checkbox"/> Entitled to a portion of my pension benefit but I am unable to locate my former spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Not entitled to a portion of my pension benefit Note that the Pension Plan may require the member/common law/former spouse to complete supplementary documentation if a divorce order or separation agreement is not provided.		
I declare that the information I have provided on this Spousal Declaration Form to be true and accurate.		
Member's Signature		Date
Witness' Signature		Date
Witness' Name and Address		
*Witness must be someone other than your spouse or beneficiary		



ALBERTA the word “Spouse” is the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member and has not been living separate and apart from the Member for 3 or more consecutive years, or
- (ii) if sub-clause (i) does not apply, a person who has lived with that other person in a conjugal relationship
 - a) for a continuous period of at least 3 years, or
 - b) of some permanence, if there is a child of the relationship by birth or adoption,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Alberta Employment Pension Plans Act as amended from time to time.

BRITISH COLUMBIA the word “Spouse” is the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member and has not been living separate and apart from the Member for longer than the 2 year period,
- (ii) OR, if the above does not apply:
- (iii) is living with the Member in a marriage-like relationship, including a marriage-like relationship between persons of the same gender, for at least 2 consecutive years;

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Pension Benefits Standards Act of British Columbia as amended from time to time.

MANITOBA the meaning of the word “Spouse” and “Common-Law Partner” is the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member, or
- (ii) with the Member, registered a common-law relationship under The Vital Statistics Act, or
- (iii) not being married to the Member, cohabited with the Member in a conjugal relationship
 - a) for a period of at least three years, if either of them is married, or
 - b) for a period of at least one year, if neither of them is married.

unless immediately prior to the relevant time, the Member is living separate and apart by reason of a breakdown of their relationship, or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Manitoba Pension Benefits Act as amended from time to time.

NEWFOUNDLAND the meaning of the word “Spouse” is, the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) not being married to the Member and
 - a) not being prevented by law from marrying the Member, has cohabited continuously with the Member in a conjugal relationship for a period of not less than one year, or
 - b) being prevented by law from marrying the Member, has cohabited continuously with the Member in a conjugal relationship for a period of not less than 3 years, or
- (ii) if there is no person described in subparagraph (i)
 - a) is married to the Member,
 - b) is married to the Member by a marriage that is voidable and has not been voided by a judgment of nullity; or
 - c) has gone through a form of marriage with the Member, in good faith, that is void and is cohabiting or has cohabited with the Member within the preceding year,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Newfoundland and Labrador Pension Benefits Act as amended from time to time.

NOVA SCOTIA the meaning of the words “Spouse” and “Common-Law Partner” is, the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member,
- (ii) is married to the Member by a marriage that is voidable and has not been annulled by a declaration of nullity,
- (iii) has gone through a form of marriage with the Member, in good faith, that is void and are cohabiting or, where they have ceased to cohabit, have cohabited within the twelve-month period, (continued...)

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- (iv) are domestic partners within the meaning of the Vital Statistics Act, or
- (v) not being married to each other, cohabited in a conjugal relationship with each other
 - a) for a period of at least three years, if either of them is married, or
 - b) for a period of at least one year, if neither of them is married;

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Nova Scotia Pension Benefits Act as amended from time to time.

NUNAVET, YUKON TERRITORY, NORTHWEST TERRITORY the meaning of the word “Spouse” is the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member or is party to a void marriage with the Member, or
- (ii) Is cohabiting with the Member in a conjugal relationship, having cohabited for a period of at least one year

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Pension Benefits Standards Act as amended from time to time.

ONTARIO the meaning of the word “Spouse” is the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member and are not living separate and apart, or
- (ii) is not married to the Member and are living together in a conjugal relationship,
 - a) continuously for a period of not less than three years, or
 - b) in a relationship of some permanence, if they are the natural or adoptive parents of a child, both as defined in the Family Law Act,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Ontario Pension Benefits Act as amended from time to time.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND the meaning of the word “Spouse” is, the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member and are not living separate and apart, or
- (ii) has entered into a marriage with the Member that is voidable or void, or
- (iii) is not married to the Member and are living together in a conjugal relationship,
 - a) continuously for a period of not less than three years, or
 - b) in a relationship of some permanence, if they are the natural or adoptive parents of a child, both as defined in the Family Law Act,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Prince Edward Island Pension Benefits Act as amended from time to time.

QUEBEC the meaning of the word “Spouse” is, the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member and are not living separate and apart, or
- (ii) is not married to the Member and are living together in a conjugal relationship,
 - a) continuously for a period of not less than three years, or
 - b) in a relationship of some permanence of not less than one year, if they are the natural or adoptive parents of a child, both as defined in the Family Law Act,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Supplemental Pension Plans Act as amended from time to time.

SASKATCHEWAN the meaning of the word “Spouse” is, the person who, at the date of determination:

- (i) is married to the Member; or
- (ii) if not married, is cohabiting with the Member and who has been cohabiting continuously with the Member for at least one year prior to the relevant time,

or shall mean such other definition as prescribed in the Saskatchewan Pension Benefits Act, 1992 as amended from time to time.