

# Declaration and Agreement Re:

## ACTLA Plaintiffs Only Listserver

Annual Fee Applies - \$60.00 + GST.

TO: ALBERTA CIVIL TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION:

I wish to become a member of the ACTLA Plaintiffs Only Listserver (the "Listserver") through the Alberta Civil Trial Lawyers Association ("ACTLA") and agree and undertake as a solicitor to abide by the rules of the List as follows:

1. I acknowledge and agree that membership in the Listserver is a privilege, not a right, and that the purpose of the Listserver is to freely exchange and discuss information of interest to lawyers acting on behalf of plaintiffs, the injured or persons whose legal rights are jeopardized.
2. I undertake to keep confidential and secret any and all messages, content and information (the "confidential materials") received by me, directly or indirectly, through or by way of the Listserver.
3. I will not copy, publish, disclose, disseminate, forward, distribute or redistribute in any manner the confidential materials to anyone other than members of the Listserver nor in any manner other than by email to the listserver (actla-plaintiffs@lists.trialsmith.com) or by using the reply function on my email software, subject to the terms and conditions of this declaration and agreement.
4. I acknowledge that email may be distributed to more than one listserver and to more than one recipient. I therefore will exercise all requisite care to ensure that I do not accidentally disclose all or any portion of the confidential materials to anyone other than the members of the Listserver.
5. In particular, I will not copy, publish, disclose, disseminate or distribute in any manner the confidential materials to any insurance company, insurance defence lawyer, government department, non-lawyer, expert, expert witness, or any other person other than members of the Listserver, the onus being on me to ensure that all recipients of any information I publish, disclose, disseminate, forward, distribute or redistribute are appropriate recipients.
6. I acknowledge and agree that disclosure of the confidential materials to anyone other than bona fide members of the Listserver may cause losses or damage to other members of the Listserver and I therefore undertake and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in this Declaration.
7. In consideration of becoming a member of the Listserver, I irrevocably assign and transfer to ACTLA all copyright in any messages or email I author, send, publish, disseminate or distribute.
8. I agree to observe generally accepted rules of netiquette in how I conduct myself in using the Listserver. If I am in doubt as to appropriate conduct, I will first contact the ACTLA office before proceeding.
9. I agree that any breach of this Agreement will entitle ACTLA, in its sole discretion, to immediately and without notice, warning or payment of any compensation whatsoever, terminate my membership in the Listserver and disallow me any further access to the Listserver. I further agree that in the event of termination on the aforesaid basis, ACTLA shall be entitled to publish the following message on the Listserver:

(my name here) is no longer a member of the plaintiffs only listserver. Effective immediately, no further messages are to be published, disclosed, disseminated, forwarded, distributed or redistributed to (my name here).

10. I agree and undertake to voluntarily remove myself from the Listserver in the event that my personal injury practice changes so that it is no longer accurate to state that, for the most part, I represent the injured or persons whose legal rights are jeopardized.

By signing this document, I hereby agree to the above terms and conditions. I further hereby certify that I am an ACTLA member in good standing, and in my personal injury practice, for the most part, I represent the injured or persons whose legal rights are jeopardized.

DATED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_, in the Province of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address

Return to:

**ALBERTA CIVIL TRIAL LAWYERS ASSOCIATION**  
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## **actla-plaintiffs**

### *ACTLA's Listserver For Plaintiff Members*

ACTLA's listserv, **actla-plaintiffs** has a restricted enrollment. It is offered only to voting members of ACTLA to serve as a discussion forum for matters of particular interest to counsel who act mainly for plaintiffs. It is not open to non-voting members of ACTLA. Enrollment in the plaintiffs only listserv will require that each member sign a declaration and agreement before being enrolled. (See Declaration and Agreement and reverse.) **actla-plaintiffs** has an annual fee of \$60.00 plus GST.

#### **TRY THE FIRST MONTH ON US!**

New subscribers can enjoy **actla-plaintiffs** for the first month at no charge. Thereafter, subscribers will be invoiced for the balance of the year at a cost of only \$5 per month.

To join **actla-plaintiffs** complete the declaration and agreement found on the reverse of this notice and return it to ACTLA.

If you have not yet joined **actla-talk** and wish to do so, contact the ACTLA office with your email address.

ACTLA's all-member listserv, **actla-talk** provides opportunities for discussion and dissemination of information to the general ACTLA membership, including plaintiff members, defence members, non-lawyer members, out-of-province members and student members. ACTLA's listserv **actla-talk** is a free benefit of membership.



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