



THE SUPREME COURT OF THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

PRACTICE DIRECTION

JOINDER OF CAUSES OF ACTION IN DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS

Subrule 5(1) of the Divorce Rules has become outdated due to the enactment of new legislation and the repeal of other legislation.

The Court hereby directs that claims or causes of actions under the following Acts may be joined, without leave of the Court or a judge, with a divorce proceeding under the *Divorce Act*:

- a) The *Change of Name Act*;
- b) The *Family Law Act*.
- c) The *Children's Law Act*
- d) The *Pension Benefits Division Act* (Canada)

This Practice Direction supercedes subrule 5(1).

Issued this 8th day of June 2007 by direction of the judges of the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories

Justice J.E. Richard

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Justice L.A. Charbonneau