

**CITATION:** Laurentian University of Sudbury, 2021 ONSC 951  
**COURT FILE NO.:** CV-21-656040-00CL  
**DATE:** 2021-02-05

**SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE - ONTARIO**

**RE:           IN THE MATTER OF THE COMPANIES' CREDITORS  
ARRANGEMENT ACT, R.S.C. 1985, c. C-36, AS AMENDED**

**AND IN THE MATTER OF A PLAN OF COMPROMISE OR  
ARRANGEMENT OF LAURENTIAN UNIVERSITY OF  
SUDBURY**

**BEFORE:** Chief Justice G.B. Morawetz

**COUNSEL:** *D.J. Miller*, for the Applicant

*Michael Kennedy*, Labour Counsel for the Applicant

*Charles Sinclair, Susan Philpott and David Wright*, for Laurentian University  
Faculty Association ("LUFA")

*Ashley Taylor and Ben Muller*, for the Monitor

*Sharon Hamilton*, Ernst & Young Inc., the Court-appointed Monitor

**HEARD:** February 5, 2021

**ENDORSEMENT**

[1] In my Endorsement of February 1, 2021, at paragraphs 72 to 79, I addressed the possible appointment of a Court-Appointed Mediator to oversee negotiations with respect to the various restructuring initiatives necessary for the Applicant to achieve a successful restructuring.

[2] In recognition of the compressed timeline in these proceedings, I indicated that if the Applicant, LUFA and the Monitor wished to address this matter prior to the Comeback Hearing on February 10, 2021, a case conference could be scheduled through the Commercial List Office. A case conference was held this morning to consider this issue.

[3] The parties in attendance all support the immediate appointment of a mediator and are agreeable to the appointment of the Honourable Justice Sean F. Dunphy as Court-Appointed Mediator.

[4] The parties are also in agreement with the draft form of order presented by the Applicant (the "Mediator Appointment Order"), which I have signed.

[5] The Mediator Appointment Order sets out the Mediation Objectives and the Mediation Process.

[6] Justice Dunphy can consult with such parties as he considers appropriate, including the Senate of Laurentian University.

[7] I express my appreciation to the parties in arriving at a consensual resolution of the issues addressed today.



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CHIEF JUSTICE G.B. MORAWETZ

**Date:** February 5, 2021