

RETAINER AGREEMENT

I, _____ (**Print Name**), hereby confirm that I am a former member of the Communications, Energy and Paperworkers Union of Canada (the "Union"), or one of its predecessor unions, and former employee of Canwest Publishing Inc./Publications Canwest Inc., Canwest Books Inc., and Canwest (Canada) Inc. (the "Applicants"), or the surviving spouse of such a former employee and a beneficiary under a pension plan sponsored by the one or all of the Applicants. I hereby confirm and authorize the Union to represent me in the matters further described herein.

The Union has retained the law firm of CaleyWray (the "Firm") on its own behalf and on behalf of former members of the Union and their surviving spouses to provide advice and representation in respect of the Applicants' pension plans (the "Pension Plans"), retirement and post retirement benefits and termination related entitlements (collectively, the "Benefits") in connection with the proceedings involving the Applicants under the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* (the "Insolvency Proceedings").

It is understood and acknowledged that the Firm will seek to obtain from the Court an appointment to represent the interests of the Union and all former members of the Union formerly employed by the Applicants.

I hereby retain the Firm to act as my lawyers in connection with Benefits and the Insolvency Proceedings and to represent me in any proceeding before any body in connection with the Pension Plans. I understand and acknowledge that the Union has agreed to provide day-to-day instructions to the Firm, and I agree that I am bound by those instructions. I also agree and acknowledge that this retainer may be terminated by the Firm in the event that the Firm is not appointed as representative counsel in the Insolvency Proceedings.

Protection of Privacy: I further authorize and direct the Union and the Firm, as well as any agents retained on my behalf, including actuaries, advisors, and third party

service providers, (collectively, the "Receiving Parties"), to obtain all documents and information legally available to me in respect of the Pension Plans, Benefits and the Insolvency Proceedings, including my personal information and any such information that may otherwise be subject to the protections of governing privacy and pension legislation. The Receiving Parties undertake to keep any personal information so collected in confidence and such information will be used only for the purposes of representing me and advancing my rights in respect to the foregoing.

Name

Signature

Street Address:_____	City:_____
Province:_____	Postal Code:_____
Email:_____	Phone:_____
Occupation:_____	

I am a:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Pensioner
<input type="checkbox"/>	Deferred Vested Member
<input type="checkbox"/>	Survivor of a Pensioner
<input type="checkbox"/>	Terminated (Cash-Out)

Upon completion please fax to Jesse Kugler at 416 366-3293.