



**Director's Notification/Notice of Indigenous
Authority Confirmation (Withdrawal)
Form J**

SECTION A: PARENT AND CHILD INFORMATION			
Name(s) of the parent(s)			
Name(s) of the child(ren)		Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	
Indigenous community/communities			
The following is/are the name(s) of the child(ren) and the name(s) of the/each child's Indigenous community or communities:			
Child(ren)'s Name		Name(s) of First Nation(s), Nisga'a Nation, Treaty First Nation, Métis, Inuit or another Indigenous community	

SECTION B: NOTIFICATION/NOTICE FROM			
Name of director's delegate			
Address		City	Province
			BC
Postal Code	Phone	Fax	
Email Address			

SECTION C: NOTIFICATION/NOTICE TO			
Name			
Address		City	Province
Postal Code	Phone	Fax	
Email Address (if applicable)			

SECTION D: CONFIRMATION OF WITHDRAWAL

An Indigenous authority has provided written confirmation to the director that it is or will be providing Indigenous child and family services to the child(ren) listed in **SECTION A** in accordance with an Indigenous law and has requested the director withdraw under the following section of the *Child, Family and Community Service Act*:

- ☐ s. 33.02 *Withdrawal of director due to Indigenous law - before a presentation hearing, or before the conclusion of a presentation hearing*
- ☐ s. 48.1 *Withdrawal of director due to Indigenous law - after a presentation hearing*

SECTION E: INDIGENOUS AUTHORITY INFORMATION

Name of Indigenous authority		
Contact person or position held by a person		
Alternate contact person (if applicable)		
Address	City	Province
Postal Code	Phone	Fax
Email Address (if applicable)		

SECTION F: ACCESSING INDIGENOUS LAW

- ☐ Please contact the Indigenous authority directly about the applicable Indigenous law (see contact information above).
- ☐ The Indigenous authority has provided a link to the Indigenous law (as applicable):

SECTION G: OPTIONS UPON RECEIVING THIS NOTICE

- 1) You may agree that the Indigenous law referred to in this notice applies to the child(ren) listed in **SECTION A** or take no position. If so, you do not need to make an application.

If no one makes an application, the director's withdrawal from court proceedings will take effect on the date and time that the Indigenous authority decides, and any applicable court orders under the *Child, Family and Community Service Act* will be cancelled when the director withdraws.

- 2) You may make an application to the court for an order that the Indigenous law referred to in this notice does not apply to the child(ren) listed in **SECTION A** within 7 days after the date of being notified or served this notice. If you decide to make an application, the following section of the *Child, Family and Community Service Act* applies:

- ☐ s. 33.04(2) *Application as to whether Indigenous law applies - before a presentation hearing or before the conclusion of a presentation hearing, or*
☐ s. 48.3(2) *Application as to whether Indigenous law applies - withdrawal after a presentation hearing.*

- 3) You may make an application to the court for an order to extend the 7-day period to make the above noted application in Option 2. If you decide to make an application for an extension, the following section of the *Child, Family and Community Service Act* applies:

- ☐ s. 33.04(4) *Application as to whether Indigenous law applies - before a presentation hearing or before the conclusion of a presentation hearing, or*
☐ s. 48.3(4) *Application as to whether Indigenous law applies - withdrawal after a presentation hearing.*

SECTION H: TIMING OF NOTIFICATION OR SERVICE OF NOTICE

- ☐ You were notified in accordance with *Child, Family and Community Service Act* s. 33.03(1) *Withdrawal notification - before a presentation hearing, or before the conclusion of a presentation hearing.*

If you choose to make an application, you must do so within 7 days after the date you were first notified, as applicable, by:

- ☐ telephone (date: _____); or
☐ written notification (this notice).

- ☐ You were served with this notice in accordance with *Child, Family and Community Service Act* s. 48.2(1) *Withdrawal notification - after a presentation hearing.*

If you choose to make an application, you must do so within 7 days after the date you were served this notice.

SECTION I: HOW TO MAKE AN APPLICATION

If you choose to make an application, you, or someone on your behalf, must complete Form 3.1 Application for an Order Respecting Indigenous Law and file it with the Provincial Court Registry indicated below within the required timeline indicated in **SECTION H**. Forms are available at the registry or online at www.gov.bc.ca/courtforms/prov-family.

Applications must be filed in person at the Provincial Court Registry location noted below or via email, if email filing is available at the court registry.

Provincial Court Registry Location		
Court Registry File Number	Court Registry Address	Court Registry Telephone

Signature of director's delegate:

Sign, type or print name of the director's delegate _____ Dated _____

Address for service for director's delegate if different than in SECTION B above:		
Address	City	Province
		BC
Postal Code	Phone	Fax
Email Address		