

INSTRUCTION SHEET
Complaint Concerning Work Stoppage - Request for a Cease and Desist Order
(Trade Union Act, Section 51)

This form can be used to request that the Labour Board issue a cease-and-desist order to any persons engaged in illegal work stoppage activities. If your complaint relates a jurisdictional dispute in the construction industry, use TUA s.52 form).

By filing this complaint, the complainant claims that:

- They are involved in or affected by an illegal work stoppage or the threat of an illegal work stoppage.
- They have identified the persons by name in this form who are allegedly engaged in illegal work stoppage activities.

Important to note:

- Do not modify this form.
- This form must be completed in its entirety and properly signed before the application will be processed.
- Applications may be delivered by email, personal service, or by registered mail or other similar mail services.
- If an application is filed on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday, it will be deemed to be filed on the following business day, as set out in the *Trade Union Act General Regulations*.
- The authority to issue a cease and desist order is covered by Sections 50, and 51 of the *Trade Union Act*.
- This Application applies to both Part 1 and Part 2 of the Act
- If a work stoppage occurs because of a concern raised about workplace safety, the appropriate venue for expressing concern and seeking help is the Occupational Health and Safety Division of the Department of Labour, Skills and Immigration.

Useful resources are available at <https://novascotia.ca/lae/labourboard/>, including:

- [The Nova Scotia Trade Union Act and Regulations](#)
- [Labour Board Rules of Procedure](#)
- [Past decisions of the Labour Board \(CanLII\)](#)
- [Information Bulletin: Dispute Resolution Alternatives](#)

Applications can be submitted to:

Labour Board
1601 Lower Water Street, 3rd Floor
PO Box 202
Halifax NS B3J 2M4
Email: labourboard@novascotia.ca

Access

The Board aspires to provide services that are universally accessible. Once your application is submitted, the Board will contact you to provide information about the process. Any accessibility requests that you have can be discussed at that time including language translation and any accommodation that may be required. The Labour Board does not provide legal advice. You may want to contact the [Legal Information Society of Nova Scotia](#) for legal assistance.

Privacy Statement

Any personal information requested in this form is collected under the authority of the Nova Scotia *Trade Union Act* ("TUA") and the Nova Scotia *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* ("FOIPOP"). It is collected for the purpose of processing your Application to the Labour Board. The collection, use and disclosure of this information is managed under the TUA and FOIPOP. Any information provided to the Board may be shared with all parties affected by this application, subject to the discretion and policies of the Board. The Board's decision in this matter will be published online on CanLII and Carswell, both of which are publicly accessible database.

SECTION A – CONTACT INFORMATION

We need to know how to reach the individuals involved in this complaint. Fill out as much of this section as possible. It is your responsibility to update the Board if there are any changes in your contact information.

COMPLAINANT INFORMATION

Full Legal Name:		
Contact Person and Position:		
Gender Pronouns:	Phone No.:	
Email Address:		
Street Address:		
Town/City:	Province:	Postal Code:

RESPONDENT INFORMATION

Full Legal Name:		
Contact Person and Position:		
Gender Pronouns:	Phone No.:	
Email Address:		
Street Address:		
Town/City:	Province:	Postal Code:

SECTION B – Other Parties That May Be Affected

Full Legal Name of Affected Party 1 :		
Contact Person and Position:		
Gender Pronouns:	Phone No.:	
Email Address:		
Street Address:		
Town/City:	Province:	Postal Code:

Full Legal Name of Affected Party 2 :		
Contact Person and Position:		
Gender Pronouns:	Phone No.:	
Email Address:		
Street Address:		
Town/City:	Province:	Postal Code:

