## NOVA SCOTIA COURT OF APPEAL

**Citation:** Cooper v. Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority, 2008 NSCA 94

Date: 20081017 Docket: CA 284552 Registry: Halifax

**Between:** 

Jennifer Ann Cooper and Jane Suttis

**Appellants** 

v.

Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority

Respondent

**Judge:** The Honourable Justice Roscoe

**Appeal Heard:** September 17, 2008

**Subject:** Pleadings; **Civil Procedure Rule** 14.25; claim for breach of fiduciary

duty

Summary: The appellants' statement of claim was struck out pursuant to Civil

Procedure Rule 14 .25 because it did not disclose a reasonable cause

of action for breach of fiduciary duty.

**Issues:** Did the chambers judge commit reviewable error?

**Result:** Appeal dismissed. The statement of claim did not lay a foundation for

breach of fiduciary duty because no material facts were pleaded to support a claim that the defendant acted in its own self interest and

against the interests of the plaintiffs.

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