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THE REGISTRAR OF PROBATE
FOR THE COUNTY OF HALIFAX
and THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
OF NOVA SCOTIA, REPRESENTING
HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN IN
RIGHTS OF THE PROVINCE OF
NOVA SCOTIA

- and - HUGH BALDERS and DAVID A. STEWART, AS CO-EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE OF NORA LANGTON BALDERS

Appellants Respondents

C.A. No. 156442 Halifax ROSCOE, J.A.

[Cite as: Nova Scotia (Probate Court) v. Balders Estate, 1999 NSCA 119]

APPEAL HEARD: October 8, 1999

JUDGMENT DELIVERED: October 8, 1999

WRITTEN RELEASE OF ORAL: October 18, 1999

SUBJECT: Evidence, Practice: Admissibility of Affidavit

SUMMARY: Appeal from evidentiary ruling of Supreme Court judge in

Chambers who admitted affidavit of solicitor which contained an opinion on an application to determine the validity of fees

charged by the Registrar of Probate.

ISSUE: Whether Chambers judge erred.

RESULT: Leave to appeal denied. Appeal Court not prepared to interfere

with the exercise of discretion of the Chambers judge in

admitting the affidavit.

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