IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA IN BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY

Citation: RJM Fisheries Ltd. (Re), 2011 NSSC 39

Date: February 1, 2011 **Docket:** Hfx. No. 338236

Registry: Halifax

IN THE MATTER OF: Motion by ISLENSKA UMBODSSALAN HF/

ICELANDIC SALES AGENCY LIMITED for

an Order lifting a stay of proceedings in relation to RJM FISHERIES LIMITED

pursuant to Section 69.4 of the Bankruptcy and

Insolvency Act

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Registrar: Richard W. Cregan, Q.C.

Heard: January 21, 2011

Written Decision: February 1, 2011

Subject: Whether a stay of proceedings imposed under Section 69.3 of

the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act* should be lifted to permit the substantial majority creditor to make an application to the Supreme Court to determine the validity of a proprietary claim

in inventories of fish processed by the bankrupt.

The Trustee's position was that the matter should be settled through the regular proceedings under the *Act*, particularly

under Section 81.

Result: It was held that, as the requirements for using Section 81 are

probably not met and, as the creditor is likely to be materially

prejudiced by the stay, it should be lifted.

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