

Court File No.: 499/16

ONTARIO SUPERIOR COURT OF JUSTICE DIVISIONAL COURT

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**BEFORE THE HONOURABLE JUSTICE NORDHEIMER**  OF FEBRUARY, 2017

BETWEEN:

THE CHRISTIAN MEDICAL AND DENTAL SOCIETY OF CANADA, THE CANADIAN FEDERATION OF CATHOLIC PHYSICIANS' SOCIETIES, CANADIAN PHYSICIANS FOR LIFE, DR. MICHELLE KORVEMAKER, DR. BETTY-ANN STORY, DR. ISABEL NUNES, DR. AGNES TANGUAY and DR. DONATO GUGLIOTTA

Applicants

- and -

## COLLEGE OF PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS OF ONTARIO

- and -

Respondent

## ATTORNEY GENERAL OF ONTARIO

- and -

Intervener

DYING WITH DIGNITY CANADA, CANADIAN CIVIL LIBERTIES ASSOCIATION, THE EVANGELICAL FELLOWSHIP OF CANADA, ASSOCIATION OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS OF ONTARIO and CHRISTIAN LEGAL FELLOWSHIP, B'NAI BRITH OF CANADA LEAGUE FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, JUSTICE CENTRE FOR CONSTITUTIONAL FREEDOMS, CATHOLIC CIVIL RIGHTS LEAGUE and FAITH AND FREEDOM ALLIANCE and PROTECTION OF CONSCIENCE PROJECT, CANADIAN HIV/AIDS LEGAL NETWORK and HIV & AIDS LEGAL CLINIC ONTARIO and CANADIAN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR TRANSGENDER HEALTH

Moving Parties/Proposed Interveners

## <u>ORDER</u>

UPON THESE MOTIONS from the Proposed Interveners, B'nai Brith of Canada League for

Human Rights; Canadian Civil Liberties Association; The Evangelical Fellowship of Canada, the

Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario and Christian Legal Fellowship; Catholic Civil Rights

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League, Faith and Freedom Alliance and Protection of Conscience Project; Dying with Dignity Canada; Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms; HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic Ontario, Canadian HIV/AIDS Legal Network and Canadian Professional Association for Transgender Health;

AND UPON READING the materials as filed by the proposed interveners;

AND UPON READING the Consent of the parties;

## **IT IS ORDERED:**

- 1. The Motions for leave to intervene as friends of the Court by the following parties are granted:
  - a. B'nai Brith of Canada League for Human Rights;
  - b. Canadian Civil Liberties Association;
  - c. The Evangelical Fellowship of Canada, the Assembly of Catholic Bishops of Ontario and Christian Legal Fellowship;
  - d. Catholic Civil Rights League, Faith and Freedom Alliance and Protection of Conscience Project;
  - e. Dying with Dignity Canada;
  - f. Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms; and,
  - g. HIV & AIDS Legal Clinic Ontario, Canadian HIV/AIDS Legal Network and Canadian Professional Association for Transgender Health
- 2. These Interveners are not to raise new issues, adduce evidence or supplement the record in any way;

- 3. These Interveners are to file one single factum not exceeding 15 pages for use in these proceedings and in 500/16;
- 4. These Interveners are to present one set of oral arguments not exceeding 20 minutes for these proceedings and for 500/16;
- 5. The Applicants and the Respondents will each have one and a half days for oral arguments respectively (for both these proceedings and for 500/16). This allocation of time will include the oral arguments of the interveners supporting them;
- 6. These Interveners will not delay the proceedings in any way;
- 7. The Interveners supporting the Applicants will serve their materials on the same date as the party whose position they support;
  - a. March 30, 2017 for the Applicants;
  - b. May 8, 2017 for the Respondent;
- 8. These Interveners shall not seek costs and shall not be subject to any cost award, including for this motion.

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