

## Financial Services Commission of Ontario

## Form 4.1 - Waiver of Survivor's Benefit from an Ontario Locked-in Account (LIRA, LIF or LRIF)

Approved pursuant to the Ontario Pension Benefits Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.8 (PBA). This form is prescribed by Regulation 909, R.R.O. 1990 (Regulation 909), Schedule 1, Schedule 1.1, Schedule 2 or Schedule 3 to the Regulation 909.

Ontario Locked-in Account Information		
Name of spouse of Ontario locked-in account owner		
Name of Ontario locked-in account owner		
Name of financial institution administering the Ontario locked-in account		Policy or account number
Spouse's Declaration and Waiver		
I am the spouse, within the meaning of the Pension Benefits Act, of the owner of an Ontario locked-in account (locked-in retirement account (LIRA), life income fund (LIF) or locked-in retirement income fund (LRIF)) mentioned in the Ontario Locked-in Account Information section of this form.		
I understand that upon the death of the owner, I am entitled to receive a survivor's benefit equal to the value of the assets in the Ontario locked-in account, and that I may waive my right to receive any survivor's benefit by signing this waiver and delivering it to the financial institution that administers the Ontario locked-in account.		
I understand that if I sign this waiver, I will not be paid, upon the death of the owner of the Ontario locked-in account, any survivor's benefit provided by Regulation 909 made under the Pension Benefits Act in regard to the Ontario locked-in account referred to above. Instead, payment of this benefit will be made to either,		
(a) a beneficiary designated by the owner of the Ontario locked-in account, or		
(b) the personal representative of the owner of the Ontario locked-in account for distribution as part of his or her estate.		
I hereby waive my right to receive any survivor's benefit provided by Regulation 909 made under the Pension Benefits Act in regard to the Ontario locked-in account referred to above, by signing this waiver in the presence of a witness.		
I understand that I may cancel this waiver at any time prior to the date of the death of the owner of the Ontario locked-in account by delivering a written and signed notice of cancellation to the financial institution which administers the Ontario locked-in account.		
Signature of spouse of Ontario locked-in account owner	Signature of witness	Date (yyyy/mm/dd)
Witness Information		
Name		
Address		

Prior to completing this form, you should get legal advice concerning your rights and the effect of this waiver.

**Note**: This waiver is not effective unless it is delivered to the financial institution that administers the Ontario locked-in account.

**Note**: Under privacy legislation, it is the responsibility of the financial institution to advise the owner and spouse of the purposes for which personal information is collected, used or disclosed, and to obtain any necessary prior consent from the owner and the spouse to any such collection, use or disclosure.