



COLLABORATIVE
ROSTER SOCIETY

"Confidence in Quality"

PRACTICE DIRECTIVE DATED DECEMBER 7, 2020

**RE: B.C. COLLABORATIVE ROSTER SOCIETY PRACTICE DIRECTIVE ON
OBTAINING AS SECOND OPINION IN THE COLLABORATIVE PROCESS**

The B.C. Collaborative Roster Society confirms that obtaining a second opinion from another lawyer during the collaborative process is not a breach of the Participation Agreement if either party wishes to do so.

The client seeking a second opinion does not need to get the consent of the other party or his or her lawyer to obtain a second opinion. The client is not required to disclose either the fact that a second opinion was obtained or the content of the opinion.