

## Adjudicative Board Selection Criteria

<b>ADJUDICATIVE BOARD</b>		<b>Crop and Livestock Insurance Arbitration Board</b>
1	Statute	<i>Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Act</i> and Arbitration Proceedings Regulations
2	Purpose	The Arbitration Board has sole jurisdiction to hear and settle disputes between the Nova Scotia Crop and Livestock Insurance Board and an insured person arising out of the adjustment of a loss under a Contract of Insurance.
3	Functions	The Board settles disputes and comments on Board policy or process in the adjustment of claims with insured persons.
4	Composition	The Board is appointed by Governor in Council and is comprised of one or more persons. The preference is for three individuals. The Governor in Council may designate one of the members as the Chair.
5	Formal Qualifications	None
6	Work & Experience Requirements	Members should have past experience in community related organizations ie. having served on boards and or active involvement in industry organizations. The Chair should have demonstrated abilities and/or experience in mediation and/or arbitration.
7	Skills Required	<p>All members must have: proven ability to judge fairly and impartially; high degree of integrity; ability to deal with confidential information; experience in community related organizations ie. having served on boards and/or active involvement in industry organizations; arbitration or mediation experience.</p> <p>Familiarity with modern agricultural production and an understanding of agricultural risk factors would be an asset.</p> <p>In addition, the Chair should have: legal or arbitration experience, strong leadership skills; ability to interpret contract language.</p>

8	Statutory Nomination Requirements	None
9	Traditional Nomination Requirements	It is preferred that the Chair be a lawyer.
10	Remuneration	Chair: \$125/day + any reasonable/necessary expenses Members: \$100/day + any reasonable/necessary expenses
11	Anticipated Time Commitments	The need to meet and the duration of meetings varies based on the number of claims.
12	Other Notes	May be appointed for terms up to three years.