

# FORM E BENEFICIARY(IES) DESIGNATION (Retiree without a spouse)

Member: Identifier:

# TO BE COMPLETED BY THE MEMBER

STEP 1 Complete this section only if your beneficiary was irrevocable. If this is not the case, go to step 2 – (see section – Details of Form E – Beneficiary(ies) designation (Retiree without a spouse), of this form).

STEP 2 Complete the appropriate section to designate the new beneficiary(ies).

STEP 3 Sign the form.

## STEP 1 - REVOCATION OF BENEFICIARY(IES)

Complete this section only if the beneficiary(ies) designation was IRREVOCABLE The beneficiary's written consent is required to revoke an IRREVOCABLE beneficiary. Neither the participant nor the new beneficiary(ies) can serve as witnesses. Neither a beneficiary who is a minor nor their legal guardian can consent to the change until the minor reaches the age of majority. If the irrevocable beneficiary is deceased a death certificate must be provided. As a member, I hereby revoke the designation of: as the current beneficiary(ies) and designate the beneficiary(ies) named in Step 2 - Beneficiary(ies) designation of this form, in accordance with the provisions of the DGPP. Signature of member (handwritten signature only) Date I, the undersigned, consent to the revocation of my designation as irrevocable beneficiary: Name of the revoked beneficiary Name of a witness Date Signature of the revoked beneficiary Signature of a witness (Handwritten signature only) (Handwritten signature only) Name of the revoked beneficiary Name of a witness Date Signature of the revoked beneficiary Signature of a witness (Handwritten signature only) (Handwritten signature only) By signing, the witness confirms that the revoked beneficiary has signed this form in his or her presence.

### STEP 2 - BENEFICIARY(IES) DESIGNATION

| I designated the following as beneficiary(ies) of the pension I have accumulated under the DGPP in the event that I dies before the end of the guaranteed payment period. |              |               |                          |
|---|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Last, first name of beneficiary(ies)  | Distribution | Date of birth | Status                   |
|   | %            | MM/DD/YYYY    | ☐ Revocable☐ Irrevocable |
|   | %            | MM/DD/YYYY    | ☐ Revocable☐ Irrevocable |
|   | %            | MM/DD/YYYY    | ☐ Revocable☐ Irrevocable |
| Total   | 100%         |               |                          |

|  | STEP 3 – SIGNATURE |                                |
|--|--------------------|--------------------------------|
|  |                    |                                |
| Signature of member (handwritten signature only) | Date               | Date of birth (month/day/year) |
|  |                    |                                |
| Name of member                                   | Identifier         |                                |

### DETAILS OF FORM E - BENEFICIARY(IES) DESIGNATION (RETIREE WITHOUT A SPOUSE)

Subject to the Supplemental pension plans act, the law provides at the time of death that:

- A member with a spouse: A spouse has always priority on the others beneficiaries.
- A member without spouse: The beneficiary is the one designated by the member.

Your beneficiary shall only have rights if:

- You have no spouse within the meaning of the Plan on the date of your death; or
- Your spouse has waived his/her right to the death benefit provided for under the legislation.

If you use these words «heirs», «assigns», «estate», «liquidator», «executor», «legal representative» or any similar words, the beneficiary is your estate.

A designation of beneficiary can be revocable or irrevocable:

**REVOCABLE:** Means that the beneficiary designation can be changed without the beneficiary's consent.

IRREVOCABLE: Means that the beneficiary CANNOT be changed without the beneficiary's written consent. The IRREVOCABLE designation of

a minor cannot be changed until he or she reaches the age of majority.

The Civil Code of Quebec contains special rules with respect to the revocability of the designation of beneficiary as indicated below:

- If the beneficiary is your married spouse, the designation is automatically irrevocable, unless you check the box which says «revocable».
- If the beneficiary is a person other than your married spouse, the designation is automatically revocable, unless you check the box which says «irrevocable».

For all other provinces, the beneficiary designation is REVOCABLE, unless otherwise stipulated.

The beneficiary designation may be revoked by a new designation or by a will dated subsequently. In this case, the revocation contained in the member's will must identify the Desjardins Group Pension Plan.

It is also important to note that, under certain circumstances, there may be no benefit payable upon your death.

If you have any questions, please contact the DGPP Member Services, see section – Additional information, on the Benefits statement.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION DGPP Member Services Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. By phone Call us at 1-866-434-3166 or 514-285-3166 By secure messaging Write to us via the secure Contact us section of the DGPP website at rcd-dgp.com

### **HOW TO SEND YOUR DOCUMENTS**

Via secure messaging through the <u>Contact us</u> section of the DGPP website at rcd-dqp.com

By mail or internal mail to Desjardins Insurance LEV 200 – SS – G

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