

**NOTICE TO THE PROFESSION
APPEAL IN BANKRUPTCY AND INSOLVENCY**

June 2, 2006

An appeal in bankruptcy matter is regularly lodged only if it abides by sections 31 and 32 of the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency General Rules* :

31. (1) An appeal to a court of appeal referred to in subsection 183(2) of the Act must be made by filing a notice of appeal at the office of the registrar of the court appealed from, within 10 days after the day of the order or decision appealed from, or within such further time as a judge of the court of appeal stipulates.

(2) If an appeal is brought under paragraph 193(e) of the Act, the notice of appeal must include the application for leave to appeal.

32. The registrar of the court appealed from shall transmit to the court of appeal the notice of appeal and the file.

If it does not respect these sections, the appeal is irregularly lodged and for this reason, could be dismissed following a motion presented in accordance with article 501 of the *Code of Civil Procedure*.

**J.J. MICHEL ROBERT
Chief Justice of Québec**