## **DRAFT ONLY-USE BANK LETTERHEAD**

Date:

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## **IRREVOCABLE (OR IRREVOCABLE STANDBY) LETTER OF CREDIT**

Corporation of the City of Mississauga (Beneficiary name and address must be To: **300 City Centre Drive** Mississauga, Ontario L5B 3C1

written as here – no additional info.)

We hereby authorize you to draw on (Name of Bank, Address, Postal Code) for account of (Name of Applicant, Address, Postal Code) up to an aggregate amount of (Amount written out in full) Canadian Dollars (\$Amount) available on demand as follows:

Pursuant to the request of our customer, the said (Name of Applicant, we The (Name of Bank), hereby establish and give to you an Irrevocable (or Irrevocable Standby) Letter of Credit in your favour in the total amount of (SAmount of Security) which may be drawn on by you at any time and from time to time upon written demand for payment made upon us by you which demand we shall honour without enquiring whether you have a right as between yourself and our said customers to make such demand and without recognizing any claim of our said customers.

Provided, however, that you are to deliver to us at such time as a written demand for payment is made upon us, a letter signed by you agreeing and/or confirming that monies drawn pursuant to this Letter of Credit are to be retained and used to meet obligations in connection with (provide Legal description of project and/or File number as per instructions from Department requesting the Security).

The amount of this Letter of Credit shall be reduced from time to time as advised by notice in writing given to us from time to time by you.

This Letter of Credit will continue up to (insert Expiry Date of one year) and will expire on that date and you may call for payment of the full amount outstanding under this Letter of Credit at any time up to the close of business on that date. It is a condition of this Letter of Credit that it shall be deemed to be **automatically** extended for one year from the present or any future expiration date hereof, unless thirty days (30) prior to any such date, we shall notify you in writing by Registered Mail or Courier that we elect not to consider this Letter of Credit renewed for any such additional period. Upon receipt by you of such notice, you may draw by means of your demand accompanied by your above written letter.

Partial drawings are permitted.

The drawings under this credit are to state that they are drawn under the (Name of Bank, Address, Postal Code), Letter of Credit (Number).

This Letter of Credit is issued subject to the Uniform Customs and Practice for Documentary Credits (2007 Revision), ICC Publication No. 600.

For (Bank)

Authorized Signature

Authorized Signature



# Corporation of the City of Mississauga Letters of Credit Format

## **NOTES**

Letters of Credit must be issued from Schedule 1 Banks or Schedule 2 Banks with a Dominion Bond Rating Service rating of R-1.

Letters of Credit from other institutions, including Trust Companies and Credit Unions, will not be accepted.

Acceptable alternatives to a Letter of Credit are cash, certified cheque, bank draft or money order. Letters of Guarantee will not be accepted.

Beneficiary Address must appear as on this Format. No Department or Floor number may be added, or attention to any person.

Separate Letters of Credit are required for each City of Mississauga Department requesting same.

#### For Transportation and Works:

If the Letter of Credit is for more than one type of Security ie: Municipal Services Protection, and Lot Grading, etc, it must specify the \$ amount for each Security type.

#### For Planning and Building Department, Development and Design Division:

Paragraph Three (3) is to read as follows:

"Provided, however, that you are to deliver to us at such time as a written demand for payment is made upon us, a letter signed by you agreeing and/or confirming that monies drawn pursuant to this Letter of Credit are to be retained and used to meet obligations in connection with site works as approved under Site Plan Application (provide Site Plan Application file number) or development charges under Building Permit Application (provide Building Permit Number) and municipal address (insert municipal address number and street name)."

Please deliver the completed Letter of Credit to the Department requesting same for processing.