

There were two updates from the SCJ today:

1. Probate Information Form

Probate applications emailed to the Court must now include the new <u>Information</u> Form. See <u>section D(7)</u> (Email Processes for Estate Certificates (Probate)) of the Court's <u>Consolidated Notice to the Profession, Litigants, Accused Persons, Public</u> and the Media.

2. Class actions: updated best practices guide and model orders

The <u>Best Practices Guide for Class Actions in Ontario</u>, available on the SCJ website, has now been updated to include:

- Information to be filed in advance of Motions
- Use of Compendium
- Case Management of Class Actions
- Case Management Post-Certification

Two new model orders for class actions (litigation funding and fee approval) are also available on the SCJ website:

https://www.ontariocourts.ca/scj/practice/practice-directions/provincial/#mo.