

Note: In this document, words importing the singular include the plural and vice versa and words importing a specific gender include all genders.

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

<b>Business Name:</b>		<b>Sector (Forestry, Tourism, Service, etc):</b>		
Location (Street, Unit #, etc.)		City:		Postal Code:
Business Phone:		Cell Phone:		
E-mail Address:				
Business start date:		Type:	Corporation          Partnership          Sole Proprietorship	

### Officers and shareholders:

Name	Address	Position/Office	%Interest	Years with Firm
Partnership agreement attached:	Yes          No	Date of Execution of Agreement:		

*Note: Each partner is required to complete a Statement of Personal Assets and Liabilities with this application.*

## FINANCING

ESTIMATED PROJECT COSTS		EXPECTED FINANCING	
Land	\$	Nord-Aski Loan	\$
Building/Leaseholds	\$	Investment by Owners	\$
Equipment	\$	Other Financing	\$
Working Capital	\$	Grants	\$
Other	\$	Other	\$
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>

*The Applicant will notify Nord-Aski REDC of any application pending and under consideration by another lender, or if negotiations are entered into, or an offer of financing is received, during the period of Nord-Aski REDC's consideration of this application.*

The Applicant carries bank account(s) at the following institution(s) and will allow the Financial Institution(s) to give Nord-Aski REDC full information concerning the Applicant's affairs.

Name of Financial Institution	Address

## OUTCOMES

<b>This project is expected to influence the following:</b>	<b>New jobs:</b>		<b>Jobs Maintained:</b>	
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a) There has been no material adverse change in the financial position or operations of the Applicant since the end of the last fiscal year of the Applicant for which a balance sheet and a profit and loss statement have been furnished. being

b) There is no litigation in course or threatened, nor any proceedings before any court, tribunal, governmental board or agency now in course or threatened, and that there is no unexecuted judgement rendered against the Applicant except:

*(Litigation/proceedings involving the Applicant and/or any close related individual or corporation should be reported).*

**ENVIRONMENT: Is the Applicant, and if applicable, the Guarantor(s) engaged in operations and processes that require**

a) Disposal and/or treatment (either onsite or offsite) of industrial wastes or by-products that could contaminate the soil or groundwater (e.g., hydrocarbon/water mixtures and emulsions, solid, liquid, or gaseous chemical products, organic solvents or wastes, organic wood-preserving chemicals, infectious waste, radioactive waste, PCB's etc.)?	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>N/A</b>
b) Discharge of waster that contains such wastes or by-products into water bodies or into a sewage system?	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>	<b>N/A</b>

If yes, to either one of the above, please provide details on nature of the activities and the address of the site(s) on which they are undertaken:

**DISCLOSURE & RELEASE STATEMENT**

**THE APPLICANT UNDERSTANDS AND AGREES THAT:**

- a) The Applicant will be responsible for payment of all charges relative to preparation, execution and registration of such documents as may be required by Nord-Aski REDC or its solicitors and an administration fee of 0.5% will be charged for all approved loans.
- b) The terms and conditions of any financing which may be authorized will be set forth in a Letter of Offer, for agreement and acceptance by the Applicant; or
- c) The statements made herein are for the express purpose of obtaining from Nord-Aski REDC and are to the best of the Applicant's knowledge and belief true and correct. The Applicant understands that additional information in support for this application must be supplied to Nord-Aski REDC, if requested, before adequate consideration can be given to this application. The Applicant realizes that any present future indebtedness of the Applicant, or the Applicant's business, to Nord-Aski REDC may become due and payable if any information provided by the Applicant proves to be inaccurate or incomplete.
- d) In applying for this financing and, if Nord-Aski REDC approves such application, the Applicant's personal and confidential business information will be requested from the Applicant and/or collected from third parties that have information about the Applicant's business and personal financial status for the purposes of determining the Applicant's eligibility for financing and reporting to FedNor.

**DISCLOSURE, RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

- a) The Applicant acknowledges that he approached Nord-Aski REDC to obtain information about business and has or is preparing a business plan.
- b) The Applicant acknowledges that he is solely responsible for the success or failure of his business, and that any information which is provided to the Applicant by representatives of Nord-Aski REDC is for the Applicant's understanding only. It is the Applicant's responsibility to verify the accuracy of such information or to seek additional information concerning any aspects of the Applicant's proposed business.
- c) The Applicant further agrees to hold Nord-Aski REDC, its employees, volunteers, representatives, and agents harmless and hereby releases and discharges Nord-Aski REDC from any actions, damages, claims or demands which may arise, directly or indirectly, as a result of any act or omission by Nord-Aski REDC in providing information to the Applicant, and to indemnify Nord-Aski REDC from any such actions, damages, claims or demands which might be suffered by the Applicant's business or any guarantor in connection with any such information, the Applicant's participation in any and all of Nord-Aski REDC's services, or non-compliance with Federal and Provincial laws and regulations.
- d) The Applicant acknowledges that he is solely responsible for the hiring, employment, dismissal, and all related matters with respect to persons employed as well as contractual arrangements with individuals or firms.
- e) The Applicant acknowledges that he is responsible for payment of all legal fees, property appraisals, and other costs or expenses incurred in connection with this application and, if Nord-Aski REDC approves funding, the completion of the transaction.

**ENVIRONMENT DECLARATION**

The Applicant and, if applicable, the Guarantor(s):

- a) Are operating their business in conformity with all environmental legislation;
- b) Confirm that their assets, including real estate, comply with all environmental legislation;
- c) Have not used their assets in violation of environmental laws and no proceedings are underway, nor have any notice(s) been received concerning any alleged violation(s) of environmental laws;
- d) Have not given a waiver concerning any compliance and/or violation of environmental laws to the prior owners of their assets;
- e) Warrants that any environmental issues or concerns as known to the Applicant and/or the Guarantor(s) have been disclosed to Nord-Aski REDC, and that activities as required, are in compliance with all applicable legislation, including the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act and the Canadian Environmental Protection Act.

**COLLECTION, USE, AND DISCLOSURE OF PERSONAL AND BUSINESS INFORMATION**

- a) The Applicant acknowledges that, as the operation of Nord-Aski REDC is financially supported by the Government of Canada, representatives of FedNor are permitted access to the files of Nord-Aski REDC for monitoring and evaluation purposes and that the Applicant may be contacted by representatives of FedNor and that, such information as is acquired by the Ministry will be treated as confidential.
- b) The Applicant acknowledges that, any recipient of Nord-Aski REDC's services shall assist in completing any evaluation of the outcomes and impacts (current or in the future) that result from obtaining services from Nord-Aski REDC. A representative of FedNor, or a consultant obtained on their behalf, may contact you or your business to gather pertinent information to provide an evaluation of the impact of Nord-Aski REDC's services and to request your cooperation to ensure a successful outcome. The Applicant is assured that all information will remain confidential.
- c) The Applicant acknowledges that this application and other personal information may be retained by Nord-Aski REDC whether or not any transaction is completed.
- d) The Applicant acknowledges receipt of Nord-Aski REDC's Privacy Statement and hereby consents to his personal and business information being collected, used, retained, and disclosed by Nord-Aski REDC for the limited purposes as set out above. The Applicant further understands that under Federal privacy law, he has access to the information held by Nord-Aski REDC and knows to refer to Nord-Aski REDC's Privacy Policy or contact the Chief Privacy Officer if a questions or concern arises about the handling of the Applicant's personal information.
- e) The Applicant further understands and consents to Nord-Aski REDC publicizing the Applicant's business venture if the Applicant is successful in obtaining financing from Nord-Aski REDC, which may not include personal information such as the name of the Applicant and name of the business.

I/We have read and understand the Disclosure and Release Statement, Environmental Declaration, and the Collection, Use and Disclosure of Personal and Business Information.

Applicant(s) name(s)	Applicant(s) signature(s)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_