

LAWPRO[®] celebrates 20 years operating E & O insurance program

Toronto, ON, January 5, 2015 - Twenty years ago, a task force appointed by the Law Society of Upper Canada recommended that the primary errors and omissions insurance program for Ontario lawyers be managed by an independent insurance company and operated in a commercially reasonable manner.

That professional liability program is now underwritten by LAWPRO, a highly specialized, innovative, and solvent licensed insurance company that not only manages the Ontario mandatory program but also offers excess and title insurance coverage.

“We’re celebrating 20 years of professionalism: 20 years of insurance discipline, actuarial expertise, financial rigour, commercial viability and fair treatment of our insureds,” says Kathleen Waters, President and CEO, LAWPRO. “That’s the “PRO” in LAWPRO, and it is a constant reminder of our mandate to act with innovation, integrity, service and leadership.”

The company continues to develop a deeper understanding of claims trends, and is well positioned to identify and cope with emerging risks including sophisticated mortgage frauds and cybercrime.

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About LAWPRO

LAWPRO is owned by the Law Society of Upper Canada and is licensed to provide professional liability insurance and title insurance in numerous jurisdictions across Canada. Through its malpractice insurance program, LAWPRO insures almost 25,000 lawyers in private practice in Ontario as well as providing them with risk and practice management information under the practicePRO[®] banner to assist them in their law practices.

LAWPRO’s TitlePLUS[®] title insurance program is available to thousands of Canadian lawyers and Quebec notaries to better meet their clients' needs for professional legal advice and superior protection for their real estate transactions.

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