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*Securities Act, RSBC 1996, c. 418*

## **Application**

<b>Panel</b>	Bradley Doney Don Rowlett Suzanne K. Wiltshire	Commissioner Commissioner Commissioner
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**Submissions filed by**  
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## **Ruling**

### **I Introduction**

- ¶ 1 On July 29, 2009, the Executive Director issued a temporary order and a Notice of Hearing against Sungro Minerals Inc.
- ¶ 2 On August 8, 2011, the Executive Director amended the Notice of Hearing and added allegations against various respondents, including against Erik John Benson.
- ¶ 3 On September 26, 2011, the Commission set dates for the hearing of the allegations, which starts May 24, 2012.
- ¶ 4 On March 2, 2012, Benson applied to have the allegations against him severed from those against the other respondents.
- ¶ 5 After considering the submissions from Benson and the Executive Director, we dismiss Benson's severance application. We will provide reasons in our findings ruling, following the hearing.
- ¶ 6 April 27, 2012

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## ¶ 7 For the Commission

Bradley Doney  
Commissioner

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Commissioner