

# **Risk Assessment Form**



Form 639 for use in the Province of Ontario

Part 1  The purpose of this form is to assist you in assessing and do laundering and terrorist financing to which your brokerage m completed at least once every two years and kept on file for	ay be expos					-
Date:						
Office:						
Completed By:						
Broker Verification: (Signature)	(Date)					
Part 2  The following checklist provides examples to facilitate your riexhaustive list. You can customize this checklist if you feel the your brokerage's risks related to money laundering and terro	nat this is app	oropriate in ord				
	Frequently	Occasionally	Seldom	Never	N/A	Don't Know
Identify whether your Brokerage provides any of the following se	ervices:					
Do you offer services that make it difficult to fully identify clients?						
Do you offer electronic funds payment services?						
Do you offer funds transfers (domestic and international)?						
Identify whether you deal with clients or provide products or ser	vices in the f	ollowina aeoara	phic locat	ions:		
Are client properties located in a high-crime rate area?			•			
Do you or your clients operate or undertake activities in the						
following countries:						
Any country subject to sanctions, embargoes or similar measures						
issued by, for example, the United Nations ("UN"). In some						
circumstances, sanctions or measures similar to those issued by						
bodies such as the UN, but which may not be universally						
recognized. (Please see URL information #1 and #2 on page 2)						
<ul> <li>Any country identified as financial secrecy havens or</li> </ul>						
jurisdictions. (Please see URL information #3 and #4 on page 2)						
Any country identified by the Financial Action Task Force (FATF)						
As non-cooperative in the fight against money laundering or						
subject to an FATF statement?						
You can consult the current Non-Cooperative Countries and Territories listed on the FATF's Website.						
(Please see URL information #5 on page 2)						
Any country identified by credible sources						
- As lacking appropriate money laundering laws and regulations						
- As providing funding or support for terrorist activities?						
- As having significant levels of corruption, or other criminal activity?						
(Please see URL information #5-8 on page 2)						
Identify whether any of the following applies to individual clients	): ::					
Have you dealt with successive transactions of the same property						
in a short period of time?						
Do your clients operate a "cash business"?						
Do your clients conduct transactions involving multiple cash deposits?						
Do your clients' businesses generate large amounts of cash for						



certain transactions that are not normally cash intensive?

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Identify whether any of the following applies to individual clients:						
Does your client use intermediate vehicles (such as corporations,						
trusts, foundations, partnerships) or other structures that do not seem						
usual for their business or seem very complex and unnecessary?						
Are your clients foreign residents, do you have clients that are						
foreign residents?						
Have any clients been identified as having engaged in activity that						
is consistent with the indicators identified for Suspicious						
Transactions? (Please see URL information #9 on page 2)						
Are 3rd party vehicles (i.e. trusts) used to obscure the true owner of						
the transaction?						
Are your clients intermediaries?						
Do your clients use unsupervised intermediaries?						
Do you deal with assignments of a legally binding contract?						
Identify whether any of the following applies to Corporate or bus	iness clients	:				
Is the client an unregistered charity or other unregulated "not for profit"						
organization (especially one operating on a "cross-border" basis)?						
Does the client's structure or nature of its business or relationship						
make it difficult to identify the true owners or controllers?						
Are 3rd party vehicles (i.e. trusts) used to obscure the true owner of						
the transaction?						
Are your clients intermediaries?						
Do your clients use unsupervised intermediaries?						
Do you deal with assignments of a legally binding contract?						
Identify whether any of the following apply to your business practices:						
Do you rely on a salesperson for such obligations						
as client identification?						
Does client identification take place other than face-to-face?						
Is your client base primarily repeat business?						
Is your client base primarily referral business?						
Is your client base primarily new business?						

# 1) UN:

http://www.un.org/sc/committees/index.shtml http://www.un.org/Docs/sc/unsc resolutions.html

## 2) Canada:

http://www.international.gc.ca/trade/sanctions-en.asp

#### 3) OECD:

http://www.oecd.org/countries/monaco/listofunco-operativetaxhavens.htm

# 4) International Money Laundering Information Network:

http://www.imolin.org/imolin/finhaeng.html#Map.%20%20Major%20Financial%20Havens

#### 5) FATF:

http://www.fatf-gafi.org/topics/high-riskandnon-cooperativejurisdictions/

#### 6) MONEYVAL:

http://www.coe.int/t/dghl/monitoring/moneyval/

#### 7) IMF:

http://www.imf.org/external/country/index.htm

#### 8) IMol IN:

http://www.imolin.org/imolin/amlid/index.jspx?lf\_id=

# 9) FINTRAC Guideline 2 - Suspicious Transactions:

http://www.fintrac.gc.ca/publications/guide/Guide2/2-eng.asp#s8-9





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# Part 3

Based on all of your responses in Part 2, and any other factor that you think may be relevant, rank your brokerage's overall risk of a money laundering offence or a terrorist financing offence and explain how you arrived at this rationale in the space below.

For greater clarity, if you are completing this form as part of a mandatory two year review, you are required to explain the rationale used to determine your brokerage's risk level during this review even if your risk level has not changed.

Attach additional pages if necessary.

Brokerage Overall Risk Level:	Low	Medium	High	
Explanation:				

# Part 4

## **Risk Mitigation Strategy**

You are required to develop written Proceeds of Crime (Money Laundering) and Terrorist Financing Act compliance policies and procedures. CREA has prepared an Office Compliance Manual to use as a reference tool to help you get started. It is available on REALTOR Link®. If you incorporate the Office Compliance Manual into your compliance policies and procedures, you must tailor it to reflect the nature, size and complexity of your operations.

If you determined in Part 3 that your brokerage overall risk level is high, you must consult and apply the section of your compliance policies and procedures relating to mitigating high risks. This means if the overall risk level is high, your Compliance Manual must specifically address any areas that place your brokerage at high risk for money laundering and terrorist financing by explaining how your brokerage will mitigate these risks.