## CHANGES TO COMPANION POLICY 51-102CP CONTINUOUS DISCLOSURE OBLIGATIONS

# 1. Companion Policy 51-102CP Continuous Disclosure Obligations is changed by this Document.

### 2. Subsection 8.1(4) is changed by adding the following at the end of the subsection:

Reporting issuers are reminded that an acquisition may constitute the acquisition of a business for securities legislation purposes, even if the acquired set of activities or assets does not meet the definition of a "business" for accounting purposes.

### 3. Subsection 8.2(1) is replaced with the following:

### 8.2 Significance Tests

- (1) **Application of Significance Tests** Subsection 8.3(2) of the Instrument sets out the required significance tests for determining whether an acquisition of a business by a reporting issuer is a "significant acquisition". The application of the significance tests depends on the status of the reporting issuer such that:
  - (a) if the reporting issuer is not a venture issuer, an acquisition is significant if it satisfies two or more of the significance tests at a 30% threshold; or
  - (b) if the reporting issuer is a venture issuer, an acquisition is significant if it satisfies either of the asset or investment test at a 100% threshold.

The test must be applied as at the acquisition date using the most recent audited annual financial statements of the reporting issuer and the business.

## 4. Paragraph 8.6(4)(b) is replaced with the following:

- (b) When complete financial records of the business acquired do not exist, carve-out financial statements should be prepared.
- 5. These changes become effective on November 18, 2020.