Loblaw Companies Limited

MANAGEMENT PROXY CIRCULAR

LOBLAW COMPANIES LIMITED ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

MAY 4, 2023

THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS:

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS
MANAGEMENT PROXY CIRCULAR



March 24, 2023

Dear Fellow Shareholder,

On behalf of the Board and management of Loblaw Companies Limited (the "Corporation"), I am pleased to invite you to our Annual Meeting of Shareholders which will be held on Thursday, May 4, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (Eastern Daylight Time). This year's meeting will be held as a virtual meeting, by way of a live webcast. Shareholders will be able to listen, participate and vote at the meeting in real time through a web-based platform.

The Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders and related materials are enclosed.

This Management Proxy Circular describes the business to be conducted at the meeting. It also contains information on our corporate governance practices and our approach to executive compensation. At the meeting, shareholders will be voting on important matters and we hope that you take the time to review these meeting materials and exercise your vote. You may vote either by attending the virtual meeting or by completing and sending in your proxy form or voting instruction form. Please refer to the enclosed materials as they contain relevant information for voting on the business to be conducted at the meeting.

We hope you will be able to join us at our meeting, which will occur by live webcast at https://web.lumiagm.com/290698688. This meeting is an opportunity to listen to and ask questions of the people who are responsible for the performance of the Corporation. Additional information on how to attend the virtual meeting is enclosed and a webcast will be archived on our website afterward.

We thank you for your continued support of Loblaw and look forward to your attendance at this year's meeting.

Yours truly,

Galen G. Weston

Chairman and President



MANAGEMENT PROXY CIRCULAR

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Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders

The 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Loblaw Companies Limited (the "Meeting") will be held on Thursday, May 4, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) for the following purposes:

- 1. to receive the consolidated financial statements for the financial year ended December 31, 2022, and the external auditor's report thereon:
- 2. to elect the directors (see "Election of the Board of Directors" in the Management Proxy Circular (the "Circular") for additional details);
- 3. to appoint the external auditor and to authorize the directors to fix the external auditor's remuneration (see "Appointment of the External Auditor" in the Circular for additional details);
- 4. to vote on the advisory resolution on the approach to executive compensation; and
- 5. to transact such other business as may properly be brought before the Meeting or any adjournment or postponement thereof.

Only shareholders of record at the close of business on March 13, 2023 will be entitled to vote at the Meeting.

The Meeting will be held in a virtual meeting format. Shareholders will be able to listen to, participate in and vote at the Meeting in real time through a web-based platform.

You can attend the Meeting by joining the live webcast online at https://web.lumiagm.com/290698688. You will need the latest version of Chrome, Safari, Microsoft Edge or Firefox. Please do not use Internet Explorer as it is not a supported browser for the Meeting. You should allow ample time to join the Meeting to check compatibility and complete the related procedures. See "How do I attend and participate in the Meeting?" in the Circular for detailed instructions on how to attend and vote at the Meeting.

Notice and Access

Loblaw Companies Limited (the "Corporation") is using the "notice and access" procedure adopted by the Canadian Securities Administrators for the delivery of the Circular and the annual consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2022 (the "Annual Report"). Under the notice and access procedure, you are still entitled to receive a form of proxy (or voting instruction form) enabling you to vote at the Meeting. However, instead of paper copies of the Circular and/or Annual Report, you are receiving this Notice of Meeting which contains information about how to access the Circular and/or Annual Report electronically. The principal benefit of the notice and access procedure is that it reduces costs and the environmental impact of producing and distributing paper copies of documents in large quantities. Shareholders who have consented to electronic delivery of materials are receiving this Notice of Meeting in an electronic format.

The Circular and form of proxy (or voting instruction form) for the common shares of the Corporation (the "Common Shares") provide additional information concerning the matters to be dealt with at the Meeting. You should access and review all information contained in the Circular before voting.

Shareholders with questions about the notice and access procedure can call Computershare Investor Services Inc. ("Computershare") toll free at 1-866-964-0492 or by going to: www.computershare.com/noticeandaccess.

Websites Where the Circular and/or Annual Report are Posted

The Circular and/or Annual Report can be viewed online on the Corporation's website, www.loblaw.ca, or under the Corporation's SEDAR profile at www.sedar.com.

Non-Registered and Registered Shareholders

If you would like a paper copy of the Circular and/or the Annual Report, you should first determine whether you are: (i) a non-registered shareholder; or (ii) a registered shareholder.

• You are a non-registered shareholder (also known as a beneficial shareholder) if you own Common Shares indirectly and your Common Shares are registered in the name of a bank, trust company, broker or other intermediary. For example, you are a non-registered shareholder if your Common Shares are held in a brokerage account of any type.

• You are a registered shareholder if you hold a paper share certificate or a direct registration system (DRS) statement and your name appears directly on the share certificate(s) or DRS statement.

How to Obtain Paper Copies of the Circular and/or Annual Report

All shareholders may request that paper copies of the Circular and/or the Annual Report be mailed to them at no cost for up to one year from the date that the Circular was filed on SEDAR.

If you are a non-registered shareholder, a request may be made by going to www.proxyvote.com and entering the 16-digit control number located on your voting instruction form and following the instructions provided. Alternatively, you may submit a request by calling Broadridge Investor Communications Corporation ("Broadridge") at 1-877-907-7643, or outside Canada and the United States, at 303-562-9305 (English) or 303-562-9306 (French). A request must be received by April 21, 2023 (i.e., at least seven business days in advance of the date and time specified in your voting instruction form as the voting deadline) if you would like to receive the Circular and/or the Annual Report in advance of the voting deadline and Meeting date.

If you hold a paper share certificate or certificates and your name appears directly on the share certificate(s), and, if you would like to receive the Circular and/or the Annual Report: (i) in advance of the voting deadline and Meeting date, then a request may be made by calling Computershare at 1-866-962-0498; or (ii) after the Meeting date and within one year from the date the Circular was filed on SEDAR, then a request may be made by calling Computershare at 1-800-564-6253. A request must be received by April 21, 2023 (i.e., at least seven business days in advance of the date and time specified in your proxy form as the voting deadline) if you would like to receive the Circular and/or the Annual Report in advance of the voting deadline and Meeting date.

Voting

Non-registered shareholders

Non-registered shareholders are entitled to vote through Broadridge or their intermediary, as applicable, or during the Meeting by online ballot through the live web-based platform. Non-registered shareholders should exercise their right to vote by following the instructions of Broadridge or their intermediary, as applicable, as indicated on their voting instruction form. Voting instruction forms will be provided by Broadridge or your intermediary. Voting instruction forms may be returned as follows:

INTERNET: <u>www.proxyvote.com</u>

TELEPHONE: 1-800-474-7493 (English) or 1-800-474-7501 (French)

MAIL: Data Processing Centre, P.O. Box 3700, STN. INDUSTRIAL PARK, Markham, Ontario L3R 929

Broadridge or your intermediary, as applicable, must receive your voting instructions at least one business day in advance of the proxy deposit date noted on your voting instruction form. If you are a non-registered shareholder and you wish to attend and vote at the Meeting (or have another person attend and vote on your behalf), you must complete the voting instruction form in accordance with the instructions provided. These instructions include the additional step of registering the person you have designated to attend the Meeting (either yourself or the person you designated to attend on your behalf) with our transfer agent, Computershare, after submitting the voting instruction form. Failure to register the proxyholder you have designated to attend the Meeting with Computershare will result in such proxyholder not receiving a control number to participate in the Meeting and such proxyholder would only be able to attend the Meeting as a guest. Guests will be able to listen to the Meeting but will not be able to ask questions or vote.

Registered shareholders

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Registered shareholders are entitled to vote by proxy or during the Meeting by online ballot through the live webcast platform. Registered shareholders who are unable to attend the Meeting should exercise their right to vote by signing and returning the form of proxy, or voting in advance via the internet, in accordance with the directions on the form. Computershare must receive completed proxies no later than 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) on May 2, 2023 or, if the Meeting is adjourned or postponed, 48 hours (excluding Saturdays, Sundays and statutory holidays) before the date of the adjourned or postponed Meeting.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS,

Nick Henn

Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

March 24, 2023

Toronto, Ontario

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About the Meeting

VOTING INFORMATION

ABOUT THIS CIRCULAR AND RELATED PROXY MATERIALS

Loblaw Companies Limited (the "Corporation" or "Loblaw") is providing you with this Management Proxy Circular (this "Circular") and other proxy materials in connection with the 2023 Annual Meeting of Shareholders (the "Meeting") of the Corporation to be held on Thursday, May 4, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. (Eastern Daylight Time). The Meeting will be held in a virtual meeting format, by way of a live webcast. Shareholders will be able to listen, participate and vote at the meeting in real time through a web-based platform.

This Circular describes the items to be voted on at the Meeting as well as the voting process, and provides information about director and executive compensation, the Corporation's corporate governance practices and other relevant matters.

Please see the "Questions and Answers on the Voting Process" section below for an explanation of how you can vote on the matters to be considered at the Meeting, whether or not you decide to attend the Meeting.

Unless otherwise indicated, the information contained in this Circular is given as of March 13, 2023 and all dollar amounts used are in Canadian dollars.

NOTICE AND ACCESS

The Corporation is using the notice and access procedure that allows the Corporation to furnish proxy materials, which includes the annual consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2022 (the "2022 Annual Report"), over the internet instead of mailing paper copies to shareholders. Under the notice and access procedure, the Corporation will deliver proxy-related materials by: (i) posting this Circular, the 2022 Annual Report and other proxy-related materials on a website other than SEDAR, in this case www.loblaw.ca; and (ii) sending the Notice of Meeting informing holders of common shares of the Corporation ("Common Shares") that this Circular, the 2022 Annual Report and proxy-related materials have been posted on the Corporation's website and explaining how to access them.

On or about April 3, 2023, the Corporation will send to shareholders the Notice of Meeting and the relevant voting document (a form of proxy or a voting instruction form). The Notice of Meeting contains basic information about the Meeting and the matters to be voted on, provides instructions on how to access the proxy materials, and explains how to obtain a paper copy of this Circular and/or the 2022 Annual Report.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON THE MEETING

- Q: Who can attend and vote at the Meeting?
- A: Registered shareholders and duly appointed proxyholders who log in to the Meeting online will be able to listen, ask questions and securely vote through a web-based platform, provided that they are connected to the internet and follow the instructions set out in this Circular. Shareholders who wish to appoint a proxyholder to represent them at the Meeting (including non-registered shareholders who wish to appoint themselves as proxyholder to attend, participate and vote at the Meeting) must submit their duly completed proxy or voting instruction form AND register the proxyholder with the Corporation's registrar and transfer agent, Computershare Investor Services Inc. ("Computershare") as described below. Failure to register the proxyholder (the person you have designated to attend the Meeting, who could be yourself or another person) with Computershare will result in that proxyholder not receiving a control number to participate in the Meeting and such proxyholder would only be able to attend the Meeting as a guest.

Non-registered shareholders who have not duly appointed themselves as proxyholder will be able to attend the Meeting as guests, provided that they are connected to the internet. Guests will be able to listen to the Meeting but will not be able to ask questions or vote.

- Q: How do I attend and participate in the Meeting?
- A: How you vote depends on whether you are a registered or a non-registered shareholder. Please read the voting instructions below that are applicable to you.

In order to attend the Meeting, registered shareholders, duly appointed proxyholders (including non-registered shareholders who have duly appointed themselves as proxyholder) and guests (including non-registered shareholders who have not duly appointed themselves as proxyholder) must log in online as set out below.

- Step 1: Log in online at https://web.lumiagm.com/290698688. You will need the latest version of Chrome, Safari, Microsoft Edge or Firefox. Please do not use Internet Explorer as it is not a supported browser for the Meeting. You should allow ample time to join the Meeting to check compatibility and complete the related procedures.
- Step 2: Follow the instructions below:

Registered Shareholders: Click "Login" and then enter your control number and password "**loblaw2023**" (case sensitive). The control number located on the form of proxy or in the email notification you received from Computershare is your control number. If you use your control number to log in to the Meeting, any vote you cast at the Meeting will revoke any proxy you previously submitted. If you do not wish to revoke a previously submitted proxy, you should not vote at the Meeting.

Duly appointed proxyholders: Click "Login" and then enter your control number and password "**loblaw2023**" (case sensitive). Proxyholders who have been duly appointed and registered with Computershare as described in this Circular will receive a control number by email from Computershare after the proxy voting deadline has passed.

Guests: Click "Guest" and then complete the online form.

Registered shareholders and duly appointed proxyholders may ask questions at the Meeting and vote by completing a ballot online during the Meeting. When submitting a question through the virtual platform, please identify whether it relates to a motion being considered as part of the formal business of the meeting, or whether it is general in nature. When requested by the Chair of the Meeting, the Secretary of the Meeting will read the questions submitted through the online platform aloud. If you plan to vote at the Meeting, it is important that you are connected to the internet at all times during the Meeting in order to vote when balloting commences. It is your responsibility to ensure internet connectivity for the duration of the Meeting. You should allow ample time to log in to the Meeting online and complete the check-in procedures.

Non-registered shareholders who have not duly appointed themselves as proxyholders may listen to the Meeting as guests. Guests will not be permitted to ask questions or vote at the Meeting.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ON THE VOTING PROCESS

- Q: What items of business am I voting on?
- A: You will be voting on:
 - the election of directors;
 - the appointment of the external auditor and authorization of the directors to fix the external auditor's remuneration; and
 - an advisory resolution on the Corporation's approach to executive compensation.
- Q: Am I entitled to vote?
- A: You are entitled to vote if you were a holder of Common Shares as at the close of business on March 13, 2023, which is the record date of the Meeting. Each Common Share is entitled to one vote.
- Q: How do I vote?
- A: How you vote depends on whether you are a registered or a non-registered shareholder. Please read the voting instructions below that are applicable to you.
- Q: Am I a registered shareholder?
- A: You are a registered shareholder if you hold Common Shares in your own name and you have a share certificate or direct registration system (DRS) statement. As a registered shareholder, you are identified on the share register maintained by Computershare as being a shareholder.

- Q: Am I a non-registered or beneficial shareholder?
- A: Most shareholders are non-registered shareholders. You are a non-registered shareholder if your Common Shares are held in an account in the name of an intermediary, such as a bank, broker or trust company. As a non-registered shareholder, you do not have Common Shares registered in your name, but your ownership interest in Common Shares is recorded in an electronic system. As such, you are not identified on the share register maintained by Computershare as being a shareholder. Instead, the Corporation's share register shows the shareholder of your Common Shares as being the intermediary or depository through which you own your Common Shares.

The Corporation distributes copies of the proxy-related materials in connection with the Meeting to intermediaries so that they may distribute the materials to the non-registered shareholders. Intermediaries often forward the materials to non-registered shareholders through a service company (such as Broadridge Investor Communications Corporation). The Corporation pays for an intermediary to deliver the proxy-related materials to all non-registered shareholders.

- Q: How do I vote if I am a registered shareholder?
- A: If you are a registered shareholder, you may vote your Common Shares by proxy or during the Meeting by online ballot through the live webcast platform.

1. Voting at the Meeting

If you wish to vote your Common Shares at the Meeting, you are not required to complete or return the form of proxy sent to you. Your vote will be taken and counted at the Meeting through the live webcast platform.

2. Voting by Proxy

You can vote by proxy whether or not you attend the Meeting. To vote by proxy, please complete the enclosed form of proxy (also available online at www.investorvote.com) and return it by either of the following means:

- a by mail, courier or hand to Computershare at the address listed below; or
- b by going online at <u>www.investorvote.com</u>.

You may authorize the management representatives named in the enclosed proxy form to vote your Common Shares, or **you may appoint another person or company to be your proxyholder.** The names already inserted on the form of proxy are Galen G. Weston, Chairman and President of the Corporation, and Nick Henn, Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary of the Corporation. Unless you choose another person or company to be your proxyholder, you are giving these persons the authority to vote your Common Shares at the Meeting.

To appoint another person or company to be your proxyholder, you must insert the other person's or company's name in the blank space provided. That person or company must attend the Meeting to vote your Common Shares by online ballot through the live webcast platform. If you do not insert a name in the blank space, the management representatives named above are appointed to act as your proxyholder. You may also use a different form of proxy than the one included with the materials sent to you.

If you wish to appoint another person or company to be your proxyholder, you must complete the additional step of registering such proxyholder with Computershare at www.computershare.com/LoblawCompaniesLimited after submitting your form of proxy. Failure to register the proxyholder with Computershare will result in the proxyholder not receiving a control number to participate in the Meeting and such proxyholder would only be able to attend the Meeting as a guest.

Please note that in order for your vote to be recorded, your proxy must be received by Computershare at 100 University Avenue, 8th Floor, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2Y1 or online by no later than 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) on May 2, 2023, or two business days before reconvening any adjourned or postponed Meeting.

- Q: How will my shares be voted?
- A: On the form of proxy, you can indicate how you want your proxyholder to vote your Common Shares or you can let your proxyholder decide for you. If you have specified on the form of proxy how you want your Common Shares to be voted on a particular issue (by marking FOR, AGAINST or WITHHOLD, as applicable), then your proxyholder must vote your Common Shares accordingly. If you have not specified on the form of proxy how you want your Common Shares to be voted on a particular issue, then your proxyholder can vote your Common Shares as your proxyholder sees fit.

Unless contrary instructions are provided, Common Shares represented by proxies appointing management of the Corporation as the proxyholder will be voted:

- FOR the election of the directors;
- FOR the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP ("PwC") as the external auditor of the Corporation and the authorization of the directors to fix the external auditor's remuneration; and
- FOR the advisory resolution on the Corporation's approach to executive compensation.
- Q: How do I vote if I am a non-registered shareholder?
- A: If you are a non-registered shareholder, you may vote your Common Shares in one of the following ways:

1. Through your intermediary

A voting instruction form will be included with the materials sent to you. The purpose of this form is to instruct your intermediary on how to vote on your behalf. Please follow the instructions provided on the voting instruction form.

2. Attend the Meeting

If you wish to vote your Common Shares during the Meeting by online ballot through the live webcast platform, you should take these steps:

- Step 1: Insert your name in the space provided on the voting instruction form provided by your intermediary and sign and return it in accordance with the instructions provided. By doing so, you are instructing your intermediary to appoint you as proxyholder. You are not required to complete the other parts of the form, as you will be voting at the Meeting.
- Step 2: Register yourself as a proxyholder with Computershare at www.computershare.com/LoblawCompaniesLimited by no later than 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) on May 2, 2023, or two business days before reconvening any adjourned or postponed Meeting. Failure to register yourself as a proxyholder with Computershare will result in you not receiving a control number to participate in the Meeting and you would only be able to attend the Meeting as a guest.
- 3. Designate another person to be appointed as your proxyholder

You can choose another person (including someone who is not a shareholder of the Corporation) to vote for you as a proxyholder. If you appoint someone else, that person must attend the Meeting to vote for you. If you wish to appoint a proxyholder, you should insert that person's name in the space provided on the voting instruction form provided to you by your intermediary and sign and return it in accordance with the instructions provided. By doing so, you are instructing your intermediary to appoint that person as proxyholder. You are not required to complete the other parts of the form, as your proxyholder will be voting at the Meeting. You must also register your proxyholder with Computershare at www.computershare.com/LoblawCompaniesLimited by no later than 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) on May 2, 2023, or two business days before reconvening any adjourned or postponed Meeting. Failure to register the proxyholder you have designated to attend the Meeting on your behalf with Computershare will result in the proxyholder not receiving a control number to participate in the Meeting and such proxyholder would only be able to attend as a guest.

United States Beneficial holders: To attend and vote at the Meeting, you must first obtain a valid legal proxy from your broker, bank or other agent and then register in advance to attend the Meeting. Follow the instructions from your broker or bank included with these proxy materials, or contact your broker or bank to request a legal proxy form. After first obtaining a valid legal proxy from your broker, bank or other agent, to then register to attend the Meeting, you must submit a copy of your legal proxy to Computershare. Requests for registration should be directed to: Computershare, 100 University Avenue; 8th Floor; Toronto, Ontario; M5J 2Y1 or by email to: uslegalproxy@computershare.com.

- Q: Can I revoke my proxy or voting instructions?
- A: If you are a registered shareholder, you may revoke your proxy by taking one of the following steps:
 - you may submit a new proxy to Computershare before 5:00 p.m. (Eastern Daylight Time) on May 2, 2023, or two business days before any adjourned or postponed Meeting is reconvened;
 - you (or your attorney, if authorized in writing) may sign a written notice of revocation addressed to the Secretary of the Corporation and deposit it at the registered office of Computershare at any time up to and including the last business day preceding the day of the Meeting or any reconvening of an adjourned or postponed Meeting, at which the proxy is to be used;
 - you (or your attorney, if authorized in writing) may sign a written notice of revocation and deliver it to the Chair of the Meeting on the day of the Meeting or the reconvening of an adjourned or postponed Meeting, at which the proxy is to be used; or
 - · you may vote during the Meeting by submitting an online ballot through the live webcast, which will revoke your previous proxy.

If you are a **non-registered shareholder**, you should contact your intermediary through which you hold Common Shares and obtain instructions regarding the procedure for the revocation of any voting or proxyholder instructions that you have previously provided to your intermediary.

- Q: What if there are amendments or if other matters are brought before the Meeting?
- A: Your proxyholder has discretionary authority to vote in respect of amendments that are made to matters identified in the Notice of Meeting and other matters that may properly come before the Meeting or any adjourned or postponed Meeting. As of the date of this Circular, management of the Corporation is not aware of any such amendments or other matters to be presented at the Meeting; however, if any such matter is presented, your Common Shares will be voted in accordance with the best judgment of the proxyholder you appointed. If you have not specifically appointed a person as proxyholder, a management representative (Galen G. Weston, Chairman and President of the Corporation or Nick Henn, Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary of the Corporation) will be your proxyholder, and your Common Shares will be voted in accordance with the best judgment of the management representative.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Q: How many shares are entitled to be voted?
- A: As of March 13, 2023, there were 321,566,097 Common Shares outstanding. Each Common Share is entitled to one vote on each matter to be voted upon at the Meeting.
- Q: Who counts the vote?
- A: Votes cast in advance by way of proxy and votes cast at the Meeting through the live webcast platform will be counted by representatives of Computershare who will be appointed as scrutineers at the Meeting.
- Q: Who is soliciting my proxy?
- A: Management of the Corporation is soliciting your proxy. Proxies will be solicited primarily by mail, but employees and agents of the Corporation may also use electronic means. Intermediaries will be reimbursed for their reasonable charges and expenses in forwarding proxy materials to non-registered shareholders.

The Corporation will bear the cost of all proxy solicitations on behalf of management of the Corporation.

- Q: Can I access the annual disclosure documents electronically?
- A: The Corporation's 2022 Annual Report, which includes its annual financial statements and notes, this Circular and the Annual Information Form, are available for review on its website at www.loblaw.ca or under the Corporation's SEDAR profile at www.sedar.com.
- Q: Who do I contact if I have questions?
- A: If you have any questions, you may call Computershare at 1-800-564-6253 for further information.

SHARE CAPITAL AND PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDER

As of March 13, 2023, the record date for the Meeting, there were 321,566,097 Common Shares issued and outstanding. George Weston Limited ("Weston") beneficially owned, directly and indirectly, a total of 169,290,955 Common Shares, representing approximately 52.6% of the then outstanding Common Shares. Weston is controlled by Mr. Galen G. Weston. As of March 13, 2023, Mr. Weston also directly and indirectly owned 473,636 Common Shares, representing approximately 0.15% of the outstanding Common Shares. To the knowledge of the Corporation, no other person beneficially owns, directly or indirectly, or exercises control or direction over, 10% or more of the outstanding Common Shares.

BUSINESS TO BE TRANSACTED AT THE MEETING

The following business will be transacted at the Meeting:

1. RECEIVE THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Management will present the annual audited consolidated financial statements at the Meeting and shareholders or their proxyholders will be given an opportunity to discuss the financial results with management.

2. ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Twelve director nominees are proposed for election to the board of directors of the Corporation (the "Board"). Shareholders or their proxyholders will vote on the election of the directors.

3. APPOINTMENT OF THE EXTERNAL AUDITOR

The Board, on the advice of its Audit Committee, recommends the appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as the Corporation's external auditor. Shareholders or their proxyholders will vote on the appointment of the external auditor and the authorization of the Board to fix the external auditor's remuneration.

4. VOTING ON THE APPROACH TO EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

Shareholders or their proxyholders will vote on the advisory resolution on the Corporation's approach to executive compensation, as discussed in more detail under the "Advisory Resolution on Approach to Executive Compensation" section of this Circular.

RECEIVE THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Corporation's audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022, together with the external auditor's report thereon and management's discussion and analysis (the "2022 MD&A"), will be placed before the shareholders at the Meeting. These documents are included in the Corporation's 2022 Annual Report. Copies of the 2022 Annual Report in English or French may be obtained from the Secretary of the Corporation upon request. The 2022 Annual Report in English or French is also available under the Corporation's SEDAR profile at www.sedar.com or on the Corporation's website at www.loblaw.ca.

ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board has determined that 12 director nominees will be elected at the Meeting. On February 22, 2023, the Board approved an increase to the number of directors from 11 to 12. Eleven of the 12 nominees are currently directors of the Corporation and all of the nominees have established their eligibility and willingness to serve on the Board for the next annual term. Management does not believe that any of the nominees will be unable to serve as a director, but if that should occur for any reason prior to the Meeting, the proxyholder may vote for another nominee at the proxyholder's discretion. At the Meeting, the nominees will be voted on individually, and in accordance with applicable Canadian securities legislation, the voting results for each nominee will be publicly disclosed. The persons named in the enclosed form of proxy intend to vote for the election of the director nominees. Each director will be elected to hold office until the next annual meeting of shareholders or until such office is earlier vacated.

The director nominee profiles, starting on page 9, tell you about each director nominee's experience and other important information to consider, including how much equity they own in the Corporation, and any other public company boards they sit on. The director nominees have been selected based on their sound leadership and professional reputation and their collective ability to address the broad range of issues the Board considers when overseeing the Corporation's business and affairs. As a group, the director nominees complement each other in respect of their respective skills and experiences and diversity of perspectives.

Independence

Ten of the 12 director nominees are independent. None of these independent director nominees have ever served as an executive of the Corporation or any of its subsidiaries nor do they have relationships with the Corporation that would interfere with the exercise of their independent judgment.

Skills

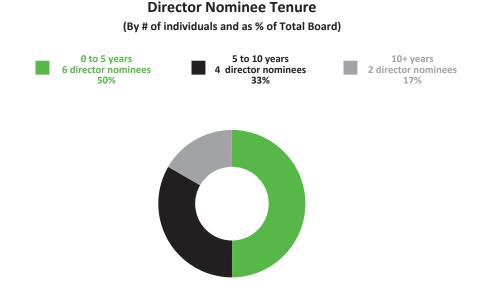
Each director nominee has a wealth of experience in leadership, governance and strategic planning and collectively they possess the skills and expertise that enable the Board to carry out its responsibilities. The skills matrix set out below is used to assess the Board's overall strengths and to assist in the Board's ongoing renewal process, which balances the need for experience and knowledge of the Corporation's business with the benefit of board renewal and diversity. Although the director nominees have a breadth of experience in many areas, the skills matrix lists 11 important qualifications determined by the Board and highlights five key skills for each director nominee. The matrix is not intended to be an exhaustive list of each director nominee's skills.

Skills	Bonham	Broader	Clark	Debow	Downe	Fukakusa	Harris	Holt	Kotchka	Raiss	Weston	Wright
Executive Leadership/Strategic Planning	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Financial Expertise / Accounting and Financial Reporting	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Risk Management/Compliance			✓		✓	✓	✓				✓	✓
HR/Compensation			✓		✓				✓	✓	✓	✓
Governance		✓	✓			✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
Environmental and Social							✓		✓			✓
Retail/Consumer/Marketing		✓		✓				✓	✓		✓	
Digital/Technology	✓			✓	✓			✓		✓		
Health & Wellness (Pharmacy & Drug)				✓						✓		
Real Estate	✓					✓					✓	
US Market	✓	✓						✓	✓			

Each director nominee was nominated in large part because of the nominee's key leadership attributes. The director nominees have demonstrated informed judgment, knowledge of important business issues and a commitment to operational excellence. Every director is expected to act ethically and with integrity. Directors must understand the Corporation's strategic objectives and reflect its values. Directors are expected to prepare for and actively participate in Board and committee meetings. They must understand the Corporation's corporate governance policies and practices and comply with the Corporation's Code of Conduct (the "Code").

Tenure and Diversity

The Board has a diversity policy and tenure guidelines. The tenure guidelines provide that the Chairman and President and the Governance, Employee Development, Nominating and Compensation Committee (the "Governance Committee") will undertake an assessment of a director's continued participation on the Board upon the director reaching the age of 75, and annually thereafter, or upon a change in the director's principal occupation. The average tenure of the director nominees is 5.8 years. The following diagram shows director nominee tenure broken down by the applicable time periods set out below:



The Corporation does not have term limits for directors because the Board believes that its existing renewal process is working effectively, as demonstrated by the tenure statistics above, and the high calibre of director nominees who have joined the Board in the past several years.

The Corporation has a target that people who identify as women comprise at least 40% of the Board's directors and that, by 2024, people who identify as visible minorities will comprise at least 25% of the Board's directors. This year, 42% of the director nominees are people who identify as women and 17% of the director nominees are people who identify as visible minorities. Further details on the Corporation's director tenure guidelines and board diversity policy can be found on pages 7 and 40, respectively, of this Circular.

Majority Voting

The directors are elected annually by the shareholders. The Corporation has established a majority voting policy. Under the policy, the Governance Committee reviews and considers the voting results for each director nominee after the Meeting. Any nominee proposed for election as a director in an uncontested election who does not receive a majority of votes cast in favour of their election must immediately tender his or her resignation to the Chairman. In such circumstances, the Governance Committee will expeditiously consider the director's resignation and (absent exceptional circumstances) make a recommendation to the Board to accept the resignation. The Board will have 90 days from the date of the Meeting to make a final decision and will promptly announce that decision (including, if applicable, the reasons for rejecting the resignation) through a news release. Any such resignation will take effect on acceptance by the Board. Any director who tenders his or her resignation will not participate in any meeting of the Board or any committee of the Board at which the resignation is considered. This policy applies only to uncontested elections of directors where the number of nominees is equal to the number of directors to be elected.

Voting Results from the 2022 Annual Meeting of Shareholders

In 2022, each director who stood for election at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders received votes in favour from at least 97% of the votes cast. Below are the voting results for the election of directors at the Corporation's Annual Meeting of Shareholders held on May 5, 2022:

Name of Nominee	Votes Fo	r	Votes Withheld			
Scott B. Bonham	285,247,093	99.83 %	490,699	0.17 %		
Christie J.B. Clark	280,224,230	98.07 %	5,513,233	1.93 %		
Daniel Debow	285,304,181	99.85 %	433,611	0.15 %		
William A. Downe	283,252,971	99.13 %	2,484,821	0.87 %		
Janice Fukakusa	284,269,174	99.49 %	1,468,618	0.51 %		
M. Marianne Harris	285,381,944	99.88 %	355,848	0.12 %		
Claudia Kotchka	284,729,159	99.65 %	1,008,633	0.35 %		
Sarah Raiss	284,743,481	99.65 %	994,311	0.35 %		
Galen G. Weston	279,503,955	97.82 %	6,233,837	2.18 %		
Cornell Wright	284,257,789	99.48 %	1,480,003	0.52 %		

Director Interlock Policy

The Board has established a Director Interlock Policy with the aim of ensuring that interlocking director relationships will not adversely affect the relevant directors' independent judgment. The Board determines that a prohibited interlock occurs when more than two Board members serve together on the board of another public entity. The Director Interlock Policy prohibits such an interlock unless otherwise approved by the Governance Committee. The Governance Committee reviews each interlock and determines if the interlock adversely affects the ability of the relevant directors to exercise their independent judgment. The policy does not apply to the Chairman of the Board or any management directors. There are currently no prohibited interlocks among the directors or among the director nominees.

Director Profiles

The following is a summary of relevant biographical and compensation information of each director nominee including a description of the nominee's background and experience, year first elected or appointed as a director, age, meeting attendance, other boards on which the nominee sits, public board interlocks with other director nominees, and director fees received. "Director Fees Received" includes compensation received as a director of the Corporation and its subsidiaries. The 2022 and 2021 equity holdings of each director nominee of the Corporation as of March 13, 2023 and March 14, 2022, respectively, consisting of Common Shares and Deferred Share Units ("DSUs") are also indicated. "Total Market Value of Common Shares and DSUs" for non-management directors is calculated for 2022 based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the Toronto Stock Exchange ("TSX") on March 13, 2023, which was \$114.59, and for 2021 based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on March 14, 2022, which was \$114.54.

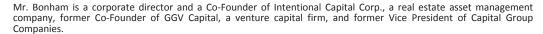
The Corporation's representatives named in the accompanying form of proxy intend to vote FOR the nominees listed below:



Scott B. Bonham Atherton, California, United States

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Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2016 Independent



Mr. Bonham holds a B.Sc. (Honours) in electrical engineering from Queen's University and an M.B.A. from Harvard Graduate School of Business.

In addition to the public board memberships below, Mr. Bonham is a board member of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research and the DenmarkBridge, an initiative connecting Danish companies to Silicon Valley.

BOARD/COMMITTEE M	/IEMBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendan	ce Total	Director Fee	s Received
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Audit Committee			5/5	17/17	100%	2022	\$260,000
Risk and Compliance Comr		4/4			2021	\$240,000	
EQUITY OWNERSHIP			Total Common	Total Market Value of		Minimum	In Progress or Satisfies Share
Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Shares and DSUs		on Shares and DSUs	Equity Ownership	Ownership Policy
2022	_	20,513	20,513	\$	2,350,585	\$960,000	Yes
2021	_	17,956	17,956	\$	2,056,680	\$300,000	163
					Publ	ic Board Interlocks	s
CURRENT PUBLIC BOAI	RD MEMBERSHIP	PS			Directors		Boards
The Bank of Nova Scotia							
PAST PUBLIC BOARD N	TEMBERSHIPS (LA	AST FIVE Y	EARS)		-		_
Magna International Inc.			2012 to 2021				



Shelley G. Broader Naples, Florida, United States

Age 58

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2022 Independent Ms. Broader, a corporate director, is the former President and Chief Executive Officer of Chicos FAS, Inc. Prior to her role at Chicos, Ms. Broader held various executive positions at Walmart Inc., including President and Chief Executive Officer of Walmart EMEA Ltd. and Walmart Canada. Ms. Broader is also former President and Chief Operating Officer of The Michaels Companies, Inc.

Ms. Broader holds a B.A. (Communications) from Washington State University.

In addition to her public board memberships listed below, Ms. Broader serves as a director of IFCO Systems US LLC and sits on the U.S. Advisory Board of Amoobi SA. Ms. Broader was formerly a director of Walmart Canada Corporation and Walmart Mexico.

BOARD/COMMITTEE I	MEMBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendance Total		Director Fee	es Received
Board			1/1	#	%	Year	Amount
Audit Committee ⁽¹⁾ Risk and Compliance Com	mittee ⁽¹⁾		- -	1/1	100%	2022	\$36,350
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Total Common Shares and DSUs	Comm	al Market Value of on Shares and DSUs	Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy ⁽²⁾
2022	_	299	299		\$34,262	\$960,000	Yes
					Publ	ic Board Interlock	s
CURRENT PUBLIC BOA	RD MEMBERSHIP	s		Directors			Boards
Dutch Bros Inc. Inspire Medical Systems In							
PAST PUBLIC BOARD	ST FIVE Y		_		_		
Raymond James Financial, Inc. 2008 to 2020							
Chico's FAS, Inc.			2015 to 2019				

⁽¹⁾ Ms. Broader was appointed to the Audit and Risk and Compliance Committees on November 16, 2022.

⁽²⁾ Ms. Broader has until November 2027 to satisfy her ownership target under the Director Share Ownership Policy. Please see pages 15 and 16 for more details on the Director Share Ownership Policy.



Christie J.B. Clark, F.C.P.A., F.C.A. Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 69

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2011 Independent Mr. Clark, a corporate director, previously held a variety of positions at PwC including that of Chief Executive Officer from 2005 to 2011. Prior to being elected as Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Clark was a National Managing Partner and a member of the firm's Executive Committee from 2001 to 2005.

Mr. Clark graduated from Queen's University with a B.Comm. and the University of Toronto with an M.B.A. He is a Fellow Chartered Accountant and a Fellow Chartered Professional Accountant.

In addition to his public board memberships listed below, Mr. Clark is a member of the boards of the Canadian Olympic Committee, the Canadian Olympic Foundation, Own The Podium, the Sunnybrook Foundation and an emeritus member of the Advisory Council of The Stephen J.R. Smith School of Business at Queen's University.

BOARD/COMMITTEE ME	MBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendance Total		Director Fees Received	
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Audit Committee (Chair)	Audit Committee (Chair)		5/5		100%	2022	\$291,500
Pension Committee			4/4			2021	\$271,500
Risk and Compliance Commi	ttee		4/4				
EQUITY OWNERSHIP							
			Total Common	Tot	al Market Value of	Minimum	In Progress or Satisfies Share
	Common		Shares	Comm	on Shares	Equity	Ownership
Year	Shares	DSUs	and DSUs		and DSUs	Ownership	Policy
2022	16,743	13,338	30,081	\$	3,446,982	\$960,000	Yes
2021	16,743	11,879	28,622	\$	3,278,364	\$500,000	165
				Public Board Interlocks ⁽¹⁾			(1)
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARD	MEMBERSHIP:	S		Directors			Boards
Air Canada			2013 to present				
Choice Properties Real Estate Trust	e Investment		2013 to present				
SNC-Lavalin Group Inc.			2020 to present		-		-
PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME	MBERSHIPS (LA						
Hydro One Limited/Hydro On	e Inc.		2015 to 2018				



Daniel Debow Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 49

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2020 Independent Mr. Debow is currently Vice President, Product at Shopify. He was the former founder and Chief Executive Officer of Helpful.com, a video messenger platform for professionals, the co-founder and former Co-Chief Executive Officer of Rypple, a social performance management platform, and a founding team member of Workbrain, a publicly traded workforce management software company.

Mr. Debow holds a B.A. from the University of Western Ontario. He received a J.D./M.B.A. from the University of Toronto, Faculty of Law and Rotman School of Management and an L.L.M. from Stanford Law School.

Mr. Debow is a founding partner of the Creative Destruction Lab at the Rotman School of Management and an adjunct professor at the Faculty of Law at the University of Toronto.

BOARD/COMMITTEE ME	EMBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendan	ce Total	Director Fee	s Received
Board			6/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Audit Committee ⁽¹⁾			3/4	11/14	79%	2022	\$256,350
Governance Committee ⁽¹⁾			-			2021	\$232,500
Risk and Compliance Commi	ttee						
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Common Shares Year Shares DSUs and DSUs					cal Market Value of on Shares and DSUs	Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy ⁽²⁾
2022	_	7,464	7,464		\$855,300	\$960,000	Yes
2021	_	5,117	5,117		\$586,101	\$500,000	
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARD	MEMBERSHIPS				Directors		Boards
-			-				
PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME	MBERSHIPS (LAS		-		_		
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⁽¹⁾ Mr. Debow stepped down from the Audit Committee effective November 15, 2022 and was appointed to the Governance Committee effective November 16, 2022.

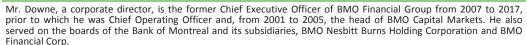
⁽²⁾ Mr. Debow has until April 2025 and January 2027 to satisfy his initial and incremental ownership targets, respectively, under the Director Share Ownership Policy. Please see pages 15 and 16 for more details on the Director Share Ownership Policy.



William A. Downe, C.M. Winnetka, Illinois, United States

Age 70

Loblaw Board Details: Independent Lead Director Director since 2018 Independent



Mr. Downe holds a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Wilfrid Laurier University, an M.B.A. from the University of Toronto and has been awarded honorary doctorates from Wilfrid Laurier University, the University of Windsor, Cape Breton University and the University of Toronto.

In addition to his public board membership listed below, Mr. Downe serves as the Chairman of Trans Mountain Corporation, as a Director of Rush University System for Health, and on the Social and Economic Policy Advisory Board of Rand Corporation. Mr. Downe has served as a board member and advisor to numerous public and non-profit organizations including the Business Council of Canada, the International Monetary Conference, the Federal Reserve Board's Federal Advisory Council, Catalyst Inc., the Martin Prosperity Institute at the University of Toronto and St. Michael's Hospital.

BOARD/COMMITTEE MI	EMBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendance Total Director Fees Re			s Received
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Governance Committee (Ch	air)		5/5	13/13	100%	2022 2021	\$326,500 \$311,500
Year 2022 2021	Common Shares DSUs and DSU 2022 20,515 18,362 38,87		Total Common Shares and DSUs 38,877 35,765	Total Market Value of Common Shares and DSUs \$4,454,915 \$4,096,523		Minimum Equity Ownership \$960,000	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy Yes
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	
CURRENT PUBLIC BOAR	D MEMBERSHIPS	5			Directors		Boards
Manpower Group Inc. PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME —	EMBERSHIPS (LA	ST FIVE YE	2011 to present ARS)		-		_



Ms. Fukakusa holds the professional designations of Fellow Chartered Professional Accountant (FCPA and CPA) and Chartered Business Valuator. She obtained a Bachelor of Arts from University of Toronto and a Master of Business Administration from Schulich School of Business and holds an Honorary Doctorate of Laws from York University. Ms. Fukakusa is a Member of the Order of Canada.

Ms. Fukakusa is Chancellor of Toronto Metropolitan University.

BOARD/COMMITTEE ME	BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP A					Attendance Total Director Fees R		
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount	
Audit Committee			5/5	15/15	100 %	2022	\$269,050	
Risk and Compliance (Chair)			2/2			2021	\$232,500	
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Total Common Shares and DSUs	Comm	al Market Value of on Shares and DSUs	Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy	
2022	2,900	11,088	13,988	\$	1,602,885	\$960,000	Yes	
2021	2,900	8,582	11,482	\$	1,315,148	\$960,000	res	
					Publi	c Board Interlocks		
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARD	MEMBERSHIPS			Directors			Boards	
Cineplex Inc.			2017 to present					
Brookfield Asset Managemen	nt Inc.		2020 to present					
RioCan REIT	2021 to present		-		_			
PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME	MBERSHIPS (LAS	ST FIVE YE	ARS)					
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Janice Fukakusa, C.M., F.C.P.A., F.C.A. Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 68

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2019 Independent



M. Marianne Harris Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 65

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2016 Independent Ms. Harris is a corporate director. In addition to her directorships of the public companies listed below, Ms. Harris is a director of the Public Sector Pension Investment Board, a Crown Corporation. Prior to 2013, she was the Managing Director and President of Corporate and Investment Banking for Merrill Lynch Canada Inc. ("Merrill Lynch") and Head of Financial Institutions Group Americas, Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith. Prior to Merrill Lynch, she held various investment banking positions with RBC Capital Markets from 1984 to 2000.

Ms. Harris holds an M.B.A. from the Schulich School of Business, a J.D. (Juris Doctor) degree from Osgoode Hall Law School and a B.Sc. (Honours) from Queen's University.

Ms. Harris is also a director of President's Choice Bank, a member of the Dean's Advisory Council at the Schulich School of Business, and the Advisory Council of the Hennick Centre for Business and Law. Ms. Harris is a former Chair of the board of the Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada (IIROC).

BOARD/COMMITTEE MI	EMBERSHIP		Attendance ⁽¹⁾	Attendand	ce Total	Director Fee	s Received
Board			7/7	#	%	Year	Amount
Audit Committee			5/5	20/20	100%	2022	\$322,000
Governance Committee			2/2			2021	\$303,500
Pension Committee			4/4				
Risk and Compliance Comm	ittee		2/2				
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Total Common Shares and DSUs	Total Market Value of Common Shares and DSUs		Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy
2022	2,337	22,502	24,839	\$2	2,846,301	4050 000	.,
2021	2,337	19,830	22,167	\$2	2,539,008	\$960,000	Yes
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	(2)
CURRENT PUBLIC BOAR	D MEMBERSHIPS	5		ı	Directors		Boards
Sun Life Financial Inc.			2013 to present	Cornell Wright		Georg	e Weston Limited
George Weston Limited	2021 to present	Galen	G. Weston	Georg	e Weston Limited		
PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME	EMBERSHIPS (LA						
Hydro One Limited/Hydro O	ne Inc.		2015 to 2018				

- (1) Ms. Harris did not attend one Board meeting due to a conflict of interest.
- (2) The Director Interlock Policy does not apply to Mr. Weston. Please see page 8 for details on the Director Interlock Policy.



Kevin Holt Quincy, Massachusetts, United States

Age 64

Loblaw Board Details: Director Nominee Independent Mr. Holt is Chief Executive Officer of Ahold Delhaize USA. Mr. Holt previously served as Chief Operating Officer of Ahold USA, Chief Operating Officer of Delhaize America, Executive Vice President of Delhaize Group, Chief Executive Officer of Delhaize America and in executive roles at Supervalu Inc., Sears Holdings Corporation and Meijer, Inc.

Mr. Holt holds a B.Sc. (Business Economics) from Ferris State University.

Mr. Holt serves on the boards of Ahold Delhaize USA Inc. and Ahold Delhaize NV. Mr. Holt also serves as a director and Vice Chair, Industry Relations of Food Marketing Institute.

BOARD/COMMITTEE MEI	MBERSHIP		Attendance Total		ce Total	Director Fee	s Received
_			-	#	%	Year	Amount
				-	-		_
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Common Shares		DSUs	Total Common Shares DSUs and DSUs		al Market Value of on Shares nd DSUs ⁽¹⁾	Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy
_	_	_	_		_	\$960,000	Yes
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARD	MEMBERSHIPS				Directors		Boards
Ahold Delhaize USA Inc.			2018 to present				
PAST PUBLIC BOARD MEN							
				_		_	

⁽¹⁾ If elected, Mr. Holt will have until May 2028 to satisfy his ownership target under the Director Share Ownership Policy. Please see pages 15 and 16 for more details on the Director Share Ownership Policy.



Claudia Kotchka Los Angeles, California, United States

Director since 2016



Ms. Raiss, a corporate director, formerly held senior positions at TransCanada Corporation, including Executive Vice

Ms. Raiss has a B.S. in Applied Math and an M.B.A. from the University of Michigan. She is also a Fellow of the Institute of Corporate Directors.

Ms. Raiss became Lead Director for Commercial Metals Company in 2022 and is the former Chair of the Alberta Electric System Operator board of directors. Ms. Raiss was named to the 2015 National Association of Corporate Directors ("NACD") 'Directorship 100' and is also a Board Leadership Fellow of the NACD.

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BOARD/COMMITTEE ME	MBERSHIP		Attendance	Attendance Total		Director Fees	s Received
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Governance Committee			5/5	17/17	100%	2022	\$265,000
Pension Committee (Chair)			4/4			2021	\$247,500
EQUITY OWNERSHIP				Tot	al Market		In Progress or
Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Total Common Shares and DSUs	Total Market Value of Common Shares and DSUs		Minimum Equity Ownership	Satisfies Share Ownership Policy
2022	907	46,852	47,759	\$!	5,472,704	¢050,000	V
2021	907	45,052	45,959	\$!	5,264,144	\$960,000	Yes
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARD	MEMBERSHIPS	5		Direct	ors	Воа	rds
Commercial Metals Company 2011 to present							
Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Inco							
PAST PUBLIC BOARD ME	MBERSHIPS (LAS	ST FIVE YE	ARS)		_		_
Vermilion Energy Inc.			2014 to 2018				





President of Corporate Services.

Sarah Raiss Calgary, Alberta, Canada

Age 65

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2014 Independent

Ms. Kotchka, a corporate director, is former Vice President, Design Innovation and Strategy at Procter & Gamble.

Ms. Kotchka obtained a B.B.A., Cum Laude, from Ohio University and is a Certified Public Accountant.

Ms. Kotchka serves on the board of the American Red Cross, Los Angeles Region and is Chair of the Mission Committee. She also serves on the board of the International Women's Forum, Southern California. Ms. Kotchka is a former board member of the American Red Cross, Greater Miami and the Keys, and is a former Trustee of the Cooper Hewitt Smithsonian Design Museum. Ms. Kotchka is a member of International Women's Forum and of The Institute of Corporate Directors. She is also a regular guest lecturer on innovation at Stanford University.

BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP Attendance				Attendan	ce Total	Director Fee	s Received
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount
Governance Committee			5/5	17/17	100 %	2022	\$260,000
Risk and Compliance Commi	ittee		4/4			2021	\$240,000
EQUITY OWNERSHIP Year	Common Shares	DSUs	Total Common Shares and DSUs	Comm	al Market Value of on Shares and DSUs	Minimum Equity Ownership	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership Policy
2022	_	21,851	21,851	\$2,503,906		¢050,000	V
2021	_	19,276	19,276	\$2,207,873		\$960,000	Yes
					Publi	c Board Interlocks	i
CURRENT PUBLIC BOARI	D MEMBERSHIPS	5			Directors		Boards
PAST PUBLIC BOARD MEMBERSHIPS (LAST FIVE YEARS)					_		_
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Galen G. Weston Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 50

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2006 Non-Independent Mr. Weston is Chairman and President of the Corporation and Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of George Weston Limited. He previously held several senior executive positions with the Corporation and its subsidiaries. Prior to joining the Corporation, he was an investment banking analyst for Salomon Brothers in the U.K.

Mr. Weston graduated from Harvard University with a B.A. and from Columbia University with an M.B.A.

Mr. Weston is Chairman of President's Choice Bank, Chairman of Wittington Investments, Limited ("Wittington") and is President of the Weston Family Foundation. Mr. Weston is the former Chair and trustee of Choice Properties Real Estate Investment Trust.

BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP			Attendance	Attendance Total		Director Fees Received	
Board			8/8	#	%	Year	Amount ⁽¹⁾
				8/8	100%	2022	_
						2021	_
EQUITY OWNERSHIP							
	Common		Total Common Shares			ston's current eligi Weston satisfies	
Year	Shares	DSUs	and DSUs	Share Owne	rship Polic	y. For details relatin p as an executive,	g to his equity-
2022	473,636	_	473,636	table on pag		p as all executive,	piease see tile
2021	473,636	-	473,636				
					Publ	ic Board Interlocks ⁽²⁾)
CURRENT PUBLIC BOA	RD MEMBERSHIPS			Direct	ors		Boards
George Weston Limited			2016 to present	M. Maria	nne Harris	George	Weston Limited
PAST PUBLIC BOARD MEMBERSHIPS (LAST FIVE YEARS)			Corr	nell Wright	George	Weston Limited	
Choice Properties Real Estate Investment Trust 2019 t			2019 to 2021				
Choice Properties Real Est	Choice Properties Real Estate Investment Trust 2013 to 2017						

- (1) Directors who are members of management do not receive any remuneration for their role as directors of the Corporation.
- (2) The Director Interlock Policy does not apply to Mr. Weston. Please see page 8 for details on the Director Interlock Policy.



Cornell Wright
Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Age 49

Loblaw Board Details: Director since 2022 Non-Independent Mr. Wright is President and a Director of Wittington. Mr. Wright joined Wittington in 2021 following a 20-year career at the law firm of Torys LLP, where he was a leading corporate lawyer. Mr. Wright served as Chair of the firm's Corporate practice and former co-head of the firm's M&A practice. Mr. Wright has a broad range of experience in complex transactional, securities, private equity, regulatory, governance and compliance matters. Mr. Wright is a Fellow of The American College of Governance Counsel.

In addition to his public board memberships listed below, Mr. Wright is the Chair of the Board of Directors of the National Ballet of Canada, a Trustee of University Health Network and Executive in Residence at the University of Toronto's Rotman School of Management.

Mr. Wright holds J.D. and M.B.A. degrees from the University of Toronto and a B.A. from McGill University.

BOARD/COM	BOARD/COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP Att		Attendance	Attendance Total		Director Fees Received	
Board			4/4	#	%	Year	Amount
Risk and Compliance Committee			2/2	6/6	100%	2022	\$158,750
EQUITY OWN	NERSHIP Common		Total Common Shares		Total Market Value of Common Shares	Minimum Equity	In Progress or Satisfies Share Ownership
Year	Shares	DSUs	and DSUs		and DSUs ⁽¹⁾	Ownership	Policy
2022	315	1,389	1,704		\$195,261	\$960,000	Yes
					Public Board Inte	erlocks ⁽²⁾	
CURRENT PU	IBLIC BOARD MEM	BERSHIPS			Directors		Boards
BCE, Inc.			2021 to present		Christie J.B. Clark	Choic	e Properties REIT
Choice Propert	Choice Properties Real Estate Investment Trust 2021 to present			M. Marianne Harris George Weston Limited			e Weston Limited
George Weston Limited 2021 to present			Galen G. Weston	George	e Weston Limited		
PAST PUBLIC	BOARD MEMBERS	SHIPS (LAS	T FIVE YEARS)				
-	-		-				

⁽¹⁾ Mr. Wright has until May 2027 to satisfy the Director Share Ownership Policy.

⁽²⁾ Mr. Clark is not standing for election at Choice Properties' Annual Meeting of Unitholders on April 25, 2023. Ms. Harris, Mr. Wright and Mr. Weston are each standing for election at Weston's Annual Meeting of Shareholders on May 9, 2023. If Ms. Harris and Mr. Wright are elected at both the Meeting and at Weston's Annual Meeting of Shareholders, Mr. Wright will be in a Board interlock with Ms. Harris. The Director Interlock Policy does not apply to Mr. Weston. Please see page 8 for details on the Director Interlock Policy.

Meeting Attendance

The following table provides a summary of each director's attendance at Board and committee meetings in 2022:

					_	Overall A	ttendance
Name	Board (8 meetings)	Audit Committee (5 meetings)	Governance Committee (5 meetings)	Risk and Compliance Committee (4 meetings)	Pension Committee (4 meetings)	(#)	(%)
Paviter S. Binning ⁽¹⁾	4/4	_	_	_	_	4/4	100%
Scott B. Bonham	8/8	5/5	_	4/4	_	17/17	100%
Shelley G. Broader ⁽²⁾	1/1	_	_	_	_	1/1	100%
Warren Bryant ⁽¹⁾	4/4	_	3/3	2/2	_	9/9	100%
Christie J.B. Clark	8/8	5/5	_	4/4	4/4	21/21	100%
Daniel Debow ⁽³⁾	6/8	3/4	_	2/2	_	11/14	79%
William A. Downe	8/8	_	5/5	_	_	13/13	100%
Janice Fukakusa	8/8	5/5	_	2/2	_	15/15	100%
M. Marianne Harris	7/7 ⁽⁴⁾	5/5	2/2	2/2	4/4	20/20	100%
Claudia Kotchka	8/8	_	5/5	4/4	_	17/17	100%
Beth Pritchard ⁽¹⁾	4/4	_	3/3	2/2	_	9/9	100%
Sarah Raiss	8/8	_	5/5	_	4/4	17/17	100%
Galen G. Weston	8/8	_	_	_	_	8/8	100%
Cornell Wright ⁽⁵⁾	4/4	_	_	2/2	_	6/6	100%
Total	98%	96%	100%	100%	100%		98%

- (1) Messrs. Binning and Bryant and Ms. Pritchard did not stand for re-election at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders held on May 5, 2022.
- (2) Ms. Broader was appointed to the Board on November 15, 2022 and to the Audit and Risk and Compliance Committees effective November 16, 2022.
- (3) Mr. Debow stepped down from the Audit Committee effective November 15, 2022 and was appointed to the Governance Committee effective November 16, 2022.
- (4) Ms. Harris did not attend one Board meeting due to a conflict of interest.
- (5) Mr. Wright was elected to the Board on May 5, 2022.

DIRECTOR COMPENSATION

The Corporation's director compensation program is structured to compensate directors appropriately for their time, commitment and responsibility as Board members and to remain competitive with director compensation practices in Canada. The program is designed to attract and retain committed and qualified directors and to align their compensation with the long-term interests of the shareholders. To achieve these objectives, directors are required to take 100% of their board retainer and committee fees in DSUs until they satisfy the Director Share Ownership Policy, after which a director has the option to receive up to 50% of all fees in cash, with the balance taken in DSUs. Directors who are employees of the Corporation receive no additional compensation for serving as directors.

Director Deferred Share Unit Plan

A DSU is a right to receive an amount from the Corporation equal to the value of one Common Share. The number of DSUs awarded to a director is equal to the value of the compensation that the director elects or is required to receive in the form of DSUs divided by the volume-weighted average trading price of a Common Share on the TSX for the five trading days prior to the date of the award. DSUs are not paid out until the director ceases to serve on the Board and ceases to hold any position with the Corporation and any company related to the Corporation, thereby providing an equity stake in the Corporation throughout the director's term as a Board member. Dividend equivalents, in the form of additional DSUs that are equal in value to dividends paid on Common Shares, are credited to the director's account on each dividend payment date based on the number of DSUs in the account as of the dividend record date. Following cessation of service with the Corporation and its related entities, payment of DSUs is made in Common Shares purchased on the open market. A Canadian director may elect to defer payment until December 15th of the calendar year following the year in which he or she ceases to hold any position with the Corporation and any of its related entities. DSUs do not entitle the director to any voting or other shareholder rights.

Director Share Ownership Policy

The Corporation believes that it is important that directors demonstrate their commitment to the Corporation through share ownership. In that regard, the Corporation has established a Director Share Ownership Policy for non-management directors. Under this Policy, non-management directors are required to hold Common Shares or DSUs with a value of not less than four times the amount of the director's annual retainer. Effective January 1, 2022, the ownership requirement under the Director Share Ownership Policy increased from \$900,000 to \$960,000. For purposes of this Policy, securities are valued at their market value and directors are expected to meet the required level of share ownership within five years of initially being elected or appointed to the Board. To the extent the directors receive an increase in their annual retainer, they have a five-year period from the date of the increase to attain the incremental ownership requirement. Directors elected or appointed to the Board who, at the time of election or appointment, were directors or trustees of either Weston and/or Choice Properties are

permitted under the Policy to count their then holdings in Weston and/or Choice Properties towards their target ownership, provided that any such holdings were eligible for inclusion toward the individual's previous ownership requirement at Weston and/or Choice Properties. All directors either meet the required level of share ownership or are in the process of accumulating securities as required under the Policy. For the status of each director nominee under the Policy, see their profiles on pages 9 to 14 of this Circular. Management directors are not subject to the Policy but instead must satisfy the Executive Share Ownership Policy described on page 66.

2022 Director Compensation Amounts

A summary of the 2022 director compensation amounts is set out below:

Type of Fee	Amount (\$)
Annual Fees	
Total Board Retainer	240,000
Chair and Committee Fees	
Independent Lead Director retainer	50,000
Audit Committee Chair	30,000 ⁽¹⁾
Governance Committee Chair	30,000 ⁽¹⁾
Risk and Compliance Committee Chair	30,000 ⁽¹⁾
Pension Committee Chair	15,000 ⁽¹⁾
Member of Board committee	10,000

(1) Includes fees received as a Committee member.

Mr. Weston did not receive any remuneration for his role as a director of the Corporation in 2022. The details of Mr. Weston's executive compensation are set out in the section of this Circular titled "Compensation Discussion and Analysis". If elected, Mr. Weston will not receive any remuneration in 2023 for his role as a director of the Corporation.

2022 Director Compensation Table

The following table sets out the compensation elements and total compensation earned by each non-management director in 2022 and the manner in which the compensation was paid:

		Fees Breakdown		Allocation of Total Director Fees					
Name	Board Retainer ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Committee Chair Retainer (\$)	Committee Member Retainer (\$)	Total Director Fees Earned (\$)	All Other Compensation (\$)	Total Compensation (\$)	Cash (\$)	DSUs ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Allocation of Fees between Cash and DSUs (%)
Paviter S. Binning ⁽³⁾	87,600	_	_	87,600	_	87,600	43,800	43,800	50% DSUs
Scott B. Bonham	240,000	_	20,000	260,000	_	260,000	_	260,000	100% DSUs
Shelley G. Broader ⁽⁴⁾	33,600	_	2,750	36,350	_	36,350	-	36,350	100% DSUs
Warren Bryant ⁽³⁾	87,600	10,950	3,650	102,200	_	102,200	_	102,200	100% DSUs
Christie J.B. Clark	240,000	30,000	21,500 ⁽⁵⁾	291,500	_	291,500	145,750	145,750	50% DSUs
Daniel Debow	240,000	_	16,350	256,350	_	256,350	_	256,350	100% DSUs
William A. Downe	240,000	85,000 ⁽⁶⁾	1,500 ⁽⁵⁾	326,500	_	326,500	-	326,500	100% DSUs
Janice Fukakusa	240,000	19,050	10,000	269,050	_	269,050	_	269,050	100% DSUs
M. Marianne Harris	240,000	_	30,000	270,000	52,000	(7) 322,000	_	270,000	100% DSUs
Claudia Kotchka	240,000	_	20,000	260,000	_	260,000	_	260,000	100% DSUs
Beth Pritchard ⁽³⁾	87,600	_	7,300	94,900	-	94,900	_	94,900	100% DSUs
Sarah Raiss	240,000	15,000	10,000	265,000	_	265,000	132,500	132,500	50% DSUs
Cornell Wright ⁽⁸⁾	152,400	-	6,350	158,750	-	158,750	_	158,750	100% DSUs
Total (\$)	2,368,800	160,000	149,400	2,678,200	52,000	2,730,200	322,050	2,356,150	

⁽¹⁾ Directors are required to take 100% of their board retainer and committee fees in DSUs until they satisfy the Director Share Ownership Policy, after which they may elect to receive up to 50% of their total fees in cash, with the balance taken in DSUs.

⁽²⁾ In accordance with the DSU Plan, amounts reflect the grant date fair value of DSUs based on the volume-weighted average trading price of the Common Shares on the TSX for the five trading days prior to the date of the grant. As well, additional DSUs are accumulated based on notional equivalents of dividends paid on Common Shares throughout the year. These notional equivalents of dividends are not included in the table.

⁽³⁾ Messrs. Binning and Bryant and Ms. Pritchard did not stand for re-election at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders held on May 5, 2022.

⁽⁴⁾ Ms. Broader was appointed to the Board on November 15, 2022.

⁽⁵⁾ Includes fees received for attendance at meetings of another Board committee.

⁽⁶⁾ Includes Independent Lead Director fee and fees received for chairing meetings of another Board committee.

⁽⁷⁾ Includes the fees that the director received, in cash, for the director's role as a director of President's Choice Bank, a subsidiary of the Corporation.

⁽⁸⁾ Mr. Wright was elected to the Board on May 5, 2022.

Outstanding Share-Based Awards

The following table sets forth the value of all share-based awards granted by the Corporation to non-management directors that were outstanding as at January 3, 2023:

Name of Participant	Number of Shares or Units of Shares That Have Not Vested (#)	Market or Payout Value of Share-Based Awards That Have Not Vested (\$)	Market or Payout Value of Vested Share-Based Awards Not Paid Out or Distributed ⁽²⁾ (\$)
Paviter S. Binning ⁽²⁾	_	_	1,041,336
Scott B. Bonham	_	_	2,468,329
Shelley G. Broader	_	_	35,979
Christie J.B. Clark	_	_	1,604,962
Daniel Debow	_	_	898,143
William A. Downe	_	_	2,209,499
Janice Fukakusa	_	_	1,334,219
M. Marianne Harris	_	_	2,707,666
Claudia Kotchka	_	_	2,629,331
Sarah Raiss	_	_	5,637,701
Cornell Wright	_	_	167,138

⁽¹⁾ The value of the outstanding DSUs, which are considered to be vested share-based awards, held by the directors is based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on January 3, 2023, which was \$120.33, multiplied by the number of outstanding DSUs. The values also include additional DSUs which were accumulated based on notional equivalents of dividends paid on Common Shares.

APPOINTMENT OF THE EXTERNAL AUDITOR

Appointment of the External Auditor

In keeping with the Corporation's commitment to best practices in corporate governance, the Corporation completed a comprehensive tender process in 2021, overseen by the Audit Committee, for the selection of the Corporation's external auditor. As a result of that process, after a careful review of the proposals received and due consideration of relevant factors, the Audit Committee recommended to the Board the appointment of PwC as external auditor of the Corporation. At the annual meeting of the Corporation held on May 5, 2022, Shareholders approved the appointment of PwC as the external auditor of the Corporation.

The Board, on the recommendation of the Audit Committee, recommends that PwC be re-appointed as the external auditor of the Corporation to hold office until the next annual meeting of shareholders of the Corporation and that the directors be authorized to fix PwC's remuneration. The persons named in the accompanying form of proxy intend to vote **FOR** the appointment of PwC as the Corporation's external auditor until the next annual meeting of shareholders.

External Audit and Other Service Fees

The Audit Committee oversees the fees paid to the independent external auditor for audit and non-audit services. Fees relating to the fiscal year 2022 were as follows:

	2022 \$(000's)
Audit fees ⁽¹⁾	6,759
Audit-related fees ⁽²⁾	418
Tax-related fees ⁽³⁾	87
All other fees ⁽⁴⁾	2,543
Total Fees	\$9,807

⁽¹⁾ Audit fees include fees for services related to the audit of the Corporation's consolidated financial statements, including its subsidiaries. Audit fees also include fees for services related to the review of quarterly reports, the interpretation of accounting and financial reporting standards and auditor involvement with regulatory filings.

⁽²⁾ Mr. Binning did not stand for re-election at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders held on May 5, 2022.

⁽²⁾ Audit-related fees include fees for French translation services associated with the Corporation's financial and regulatory filings, specified procedures and for the audits of pension plans and charitable foundations.

⁽³⁾ Tax-related fees include fees for tax compliance services. The Corporation was also billed \$1,000,000 in 2022 for work performed in 2021, prior to PwC becoming the Corporation's external auditor.

⁽⁴⁾ All other fees include permissible advisory and support services for ongoing project work commenced prior to PwC becoming the Corporation's external auditor.

Prior to PwC, the Corporation's external auditor was KPMG LLP. Fees billed for services rendered by KPMG LLP for the fiscal year 2021 were as follows:

	2021 \$(000's)
Audit fees ⁽¹⁾	5,222
Audit-related fees ⁽²⁾	563
Tax-related fees ⁽³⁾	60
All other fees ⁽⁴⁾	205
Total Fees	\$6,050

- (1) Audit fees include fees for services related to the audit of the Corporation's consolidated financial statements, including the audit of Shoppers Drug Mart ("SDM") and President's Choice Bank (each a subsidiary of the Corporation). Audit fees also include fees for services related to the review of quarterly reports, the interpretation of accounting and financial reporting standards and auditor involvement with filings, such as prospectuses.
- (2) Audit-related fees include fees for French translation services associated with the Corporation's financial and regulatory filings, the audit of pension plans and for services rendered for certain special projects.
- (3) Tax-related fees include fees for tax compliance services and advice and for services rendered for certain special projects.
- (4) All other fees are for services related to legislative and/or regulatory compliance.

As part of the Corporation's corporate governance practices, the Audit Committee has adopted a policy prohibiting the external auditor from providing non- audit services to the Corporation or its subsidiaries unless the services are approved in advance by the Chair of the Audit Committee. The external auditor is required to report directly to the Audit Committee.

ADVISORY RESOLUTION ON APPROACH TO EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

Advisory Resolution on Approach to Executive Compensation

At the Meeting, the shareholders will be asked to consider an advisory resolution (the "Say on Pay Resolution") regarding the Corporation's approach to executive compensation, which is described in detail in the section of this Circular titled "Compensation Discussion and Analysis", which commences on page 46. In 2022, shareholders were asked to consider an advisory resolution regarding the Corporation's approach to executive compensation, which received the approval of 92.35% of shareholders.

Pay for performance is a cornerstone of the Corporation's compensation philosophy, which is intended to align the interests of the Corporation's executives with those of its shareholders. This compensation philosophy enables the Corporation to attract and retain high-performing executives who will be motivated to create value for shareholders.

The Board and management of the Corporation recommend that the shareholders vote **FOR** the adoption of the advisory Say on Pay Resolution.

The Corporation's representatives named in the accompanying form of proxy intend to vote **FOR** the adoption of the advisory Say on Pay Resolution.

Votes on the Say on Pay Resolution are advisory and will not be binding on the Board or the Corporation. However, the Governance Committee will review and analyze the results of the vote and take them into consideration when reviewing the Corporation's executive compensation philosophy.

The form of Say on Pay Resolution to be submitted to the shareholders at the Meeting, subject to such amendments, variations or additions as may be approved at the Meeting, is set forth below:

BE IT RESOLVED THAT on an advisory basis and not to diminish the role and responsibilities of the Board of Directors, the shareholders accept the approach to executive compensation disclosed in the Circular, delivered in advance of the 2023 Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of Loblaw Companies Limited.

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Committee Reports

AUDIT COMMITTEE



Christie J.B. Clark (Chair) Independent



Scott B. Bonham Independent



Shelley G. Broader Independent



Janice Fukakusa Independent



M. Marianne Harris Independent

The Audit Committee, on behalf of the Board, oversees the integrity of the Corporation's financial statements and related public disclosure. In doing so, the Audit Committee oversees the Corporation's internal controls over financial reporting, disclosure controls and procedures, internal audit function and anti-fraud program. The Audit Committee regularly meets with the Corporation's Chief Audit Executive in charge of the internal audit function and the senior compliance professional in charge of the internal controls compliance group. The Audit Committee also oversees procedures for the receipt, retention and follow-up of any complaints regarding the Corporation's accounting, internal controls and auditing matters. The Audit Committee reviews the adequacy and effectiveness of applicable controls related to the Corporation's environmental, social and governance ("ESG") disclosures.

Each year, the Audit Committee reviews and evaluates the qualifications, performance and independence of the external auditor and recommends the external auditor to the Board for appointment by the shareholders. The Chair of the Audit Committee is involved in the selection process for the Lead Audit Partner at the external auditor of the Corporation. The Audit Committee ensures that a regular rotation occurs as required under current auditing standards.

All members of the Audit Committee are independent and financially literate as required under applicable Canadian securities legislation.

AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS

Dear Shareholders:

On behalf of the Board, the Audit Committee is pleased to share with you the Audit Committee's report and some of the Audit Committee's significant accomplishments in 2022.

2022 Highlights:

- ✓ Oversaw the adequacy and effectiveness of internal controls and procedures related to the Corporation's financial and ESG disclosures
- Oversaw the transition of the Corporation's external auditor from KPMG LLP to PwC
- ✓ Oversaw the related party transactions between the Corporation and its affiliates
- ✓ Oversaw management's monitoring and mitigation of risks relating to vendor management
- ✓ Evaluated the external auditor's performance and monitored the quality and effectiveness of the relationship among the external auditor, management and the Audit Committee

Overview

The Audit Committee meets at least once every quarter. The Audit Committee's specific duties and responsibilities are based on its mandate and work plan. At each quarterly meeting, the Audit Committee meets separately *in camera* with representatives of the internal audit group

and the external auditor. In addition, it holds an *in camera* session without management present at each meeting. The Audit Committee met five times in 2022.

Each year, the Audit Committee reviews its mandate to ensure its effectiveness in fulfilling its responsibilities. The Audit Committee communicates regularly with management and the internal and external auditors.

The Audit Committee approved its mandate in 2022 and it is available at www.loblaw.ca. The members of the Audit Committee are satisfied that the Audit Committee fulfilled its responsibilities in 2022.

Financial Reporting

The Audit Committee reviewed and discussed with management the Corporation's annual and interim consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the interim quarters. The Audit Committee also reviewed the external auditor's reports thereon and heard directly from the external auditor on key risk areas. The purpose of this review is to provide reasonable assurance that the Corporation's financial reporting is complete and fairly presented in all material respects, and that the accounting principles used to prepare the financial statements are appropriate, in particular where judgments, estimates and risks are involved. This review is designed to ensure that adequate disclosure of material issues has been provided.

The Audit Committee assessed the use of non-GAAP financial measures and their presentation within the financial documents. Based on the considerations above, the Audit Committee recommended to the Board that the Corporation's annual audited consolidated financial statements be approved and released on February 23, 2023.

ESG Reporting

The Audit Committee reviewed the adequacy and effectiveness of controls relating to the Corporation's 2021 ESG Report, which makes disclosures in accordance with the Global Reporting Initiative standards ("GRI") and the Sustainability Accounting Standards Board framework (SASB) and takes additional reporting guidance from the UN Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDG's), and 2022 Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosure ("TCFD") Report and was satisfied that such controls were sufficient.

Internal and External Auditor

Throughout the year, the Chair of the Audit Committee met regularly with the external auditor, representatives of the internal audit group and senior members of the Corporation's financial reporting group. In 2022, the Audit Committee reviewed and approved the annual audit plan of the internal audit group and the external auditor and received regular reports from Internal Audit Services. In addition, the Audit Committee received reports on key audit matters from the external auditor.

The Audit Committee oversaw the transition of the Corporation's external auditor from KPMG LLP to PwC. The Audit Committee is satisfied that PwC is independent from the Corporation and management. The Audit Committee proposed that the Board recommend to the shareholders the re-appointment of PwC as external auditor of the Corporation at the Meeting.

Internal Control Compliance

The Audit Committee is responsible for oversight of management's review of the design and operating effectiveness of the Corporation's (i) internal control over financial reporting, and (ii) disclosure controls and procedures to ensure the timely disclosure of all material information about the Corporation as required by applicable law or security exchange rules.

Throughout 2022, the Audit Committee reviewed management's administration of the Corporation's Internal Control Compliance ("ICC") program, including by reviewing the 2022 ICC Scoping and Risk Assessment Plan and periodic progress thereon. The Audit Committee reviewed quarterly reports from management with respect to the Corporation's system of disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financial reporting.

Review of Risks

The Audit Committee reviewed certain risks faced by the Corporation, including inflation, vendor management and management of franchisees and associates, as well as the controls and procedures that management has implemented to identify, manage and mitigate such risks.

Legal, Regulatory, Related Party Transactions and Tax

Throughout 2022, the Audit Committee reviewed updates on compliance matters relating to financial reporting and updates on material legislative and regulatory developments, material litigation, regulatory filings, material transactions with related parties and tax matters affecting the Corporation. The Audit Committee continues to work with management to ensure adherence to a robust process for reviewing and approving significant related party transactions. This is particularly relevant with Choice Properties given that the Corporation is Choice Properties' largest tenant and an affiliate. The Audit Committee is confident that management has considered the relevant legal and governance considerations associated with related party transactions and has implemented a sound governance framework to address significant related party transactions when they arise.

Respectfully submitted,

Audit Committee

Christie J.B. Clark (Chair) Scott B. Bonham Shelley G. Broader Janice Fukakusa M. Marianne Harris

For additional information regarding each member of the Audit Committee, please see pages 9 to 14. For additional information regarding the activities of the Audit Committee, see the Corporation's Statement of Corporate Governance Practices on pages 30 to 45.

RISK AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE



Janice Fukakusa (Chair) Independent



Scott B. Bonham Independent



Shelley G. Broader Independent



Christie J.B. Clark Independent



Daniel Debow



Claudia Kotchka Independent



Cornell Wright
Non-Independent

The Risk and Compliance Committee, on behalf of the Board, oversees the Corporation's legal and regulatory compliance and ethics program, the Corporation's Enterprise Risk Management ("ERM") program and the Corporation's policies, management systems and performance with respect to various key risk areas.

RISK AND COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS

Dear Shareholders:

On behalf of the Board, the Risk and Compliance Committee is pleased to share with you the Risk and Compliance Committee's report and some of the Committee's significant accomplishments in 2022.

2022 Highlights:

- ✓ Oversaw the advancement of the Corporation's approach to human rights and related public disclosure
- ✓ Oversaw the transition of the Corporation's competition law compliance program to an internal assurance model
- ✓ Oversaw the development of the Corporation's anti-bribery and corruption protocol
- ✓ Supervised the Corporation's Enterprise Risk Assessment and ERM programs and reviewed key risks facing the Corporation and how these risks are being managed
- ✓ Oversaw the Corporation's Legal and Regulatory Compliance and Ethics program and maintenance of the Integrity Action Line, which included monitoring reported incidents and noteworthy trends and addressing actions to be taken as a result
- √ Reviewed the Corporation's 2021 ESG Report and 2022 TCFD Report and oversaw its ESG strategy

Overview

The Risk and Compliance Committee meets at least once every quarter. The Committee's specific duties and responsibilities are based on its mandate and work plan. The Risk and Compliance Committee oversees the design and implementation of the Corporation's legal and regulatory compliance and ethics program and ERM program, as well as environmental, occupational health and safety, pharmacy, food and product safety and ESG programs. At each meeting in 2022, the Committee invited key members of management to attend and present on issues that are relevant to the Committee's mandate. Additionally, at each meeting, the Risk and Compliance Committee met separately *in camera* with the Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer and with the Group Chief Risk Officer. The Committee also held an *in camera* session without management present at each meeting. The Risk and Compliance Committee met four times in 2022.

The Risk and Compliance Committee approved its mandate in 2022 and it is available at www.loblaw.ca. The members of the Risk and Compliance Committee are satisfied that the Risk and Compliance Committee fulfilled its responsibilities in 2022.

The Corporation's Management Risk and Compliance Committee assists the Risk and Compliance Committee in fulfilling its responsibility to oversee the Corporation's ERM and legal and regulatory compliance and ethics programs. The main purpose of the Management Risk and Compliance Committee is to oversee and govern the Corporation's programs to ensure that enterprise risks facing the Corporation remain within acceptable tolerances, to ensure that risk mitigation actions are implemented and are effective, to ensure that any matters requiring action are discussed, escalated and reported-on accurately and on a timely basis, to foster a strong compliance and ethics culture within the Corporation and to manage and resolve any incidents and minimize any adverse consequences caused by any non-compliance with applicable law or unethical conduct.

Approach to Human Rights

In 2022, the Risk and Compliance Committee oversaw the advancement of the Corporation's approach to human rights. Following the Corporation's Annual Meeting of Shareholders held on May 5, 2022, the Corporation took meaningful steps to mature its existing human rights protocols and to be responsive to the shareholder proposals made relating to the protection of human rights. The Risk and Compliance Committee oversaw the engagement of a global leader in responsible sourcing to assist with the advancement of the Corporation's human rights program. In 2022, the Corporation issued its updated approach to human rights, in line with the United Nations Guiding Principles ("UNGP") on Business Human Rights. The Risk and Compliance Committee oversaw the completion of Human Rights Due Diligence to identify opportunities to further strengthen the policies and processes across the Corporation and its international supply chain. The Corporation also identified five salient risks related to human rights and responsible sourcing: (i) forced labour; (ii) child labour; (iii) discrimination, harassment, and abuse; (iv) livelihoods; and (v) occupational health and safety, which will inform the Corporation's ongoing work on human rights and responsible sourcing.

Legal and Regulatory Compliance and Ethics

In executing its mandate, the Risk and Compliance Committee monitors the Corporation's legal and regulatory compliance and ethics program and receives regular reports from the Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer and the compliance and ethics function leads in the Corporation's business. The Risk and Compliance Committee reviews the actions of management to ensure that the Corporation has sound compliance and ethics management systems, that employees of the Corporation are aware of the Corporation's policies and procedures regarding legal and regulatory compliance and ethics and that the Corporation supports its franchised businesses with respect to legal and regulatory compliance and ethics standards and programs and provides timely and effective support and education. The Risk and Compliance Committee also receives and reviews periodic reports from management and independent consultants on legal and regulatory compliance and ethics matters. Each quarter, the Risk and Compliance Committee received a report from the Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer regarding the Corporation's incident management platform and the Integrity Action Line.

In 2022, the Risk and Compliance Committee oversaw the Corporation's competition law compliance program. Such activities included developing a multi-layer internal assurance model and the commencement of work to simplify the competition law related procedures and resources to streamline the program. The Risk and Compliance Committee also oversaw the advancement of the Corporation's anti-bribery and corruption program, including the development of an anti-bribery and corruption protocol, to guide the Corporation's escalation, response and remediation activities, and the completion of vendor management risk assessments.

In addition, the Risk and Compliance Committee oversaw management's review of the universe of corporate policies and the updating of such policies, which resulted in the simplification of and a reduction in the overall number of policies, and policies that were more consistent, visual and inclusive for colleagues.

Enterprise Risk Management

The Board has tasked the Risk and Compliance Committee with overseeing the design and structure of the Corporation's ERM program and key risks facing the Corporation. The Risk and Compliance Committee also oversees certain risks delegated to it by the Board and is responsible for satisfying itself that management has taken appropriate actions to ensure the effective management of such risks.

At Risk and Compliance Committee meetings throughout the year, the Risk and Compliance Committee received reports from management on the various key risks facing the Corporation and how they were being mitigated. Management provides quarterly reports to the Risk and Compliance Committee on the status of certain key risks, potential impacts in future quarters, and significant changes in key risk indicators.

Information Technology

The Risk and Compliance Committee also reviews management's oversight of risks relating to information technology affecting the Corporation and the Corporation's information technology systems, including cyber-security. The Risk and Compliance Committee receives regular reports from management with respect to the Corporation's systems, policies, controls and procedures that management has implemented to identify, manage and mitigate risks related to information technology and the Corporation's information technology systems, including cyber-security.

Food Safety

The Risk and Compliance Committee receives periodic reports from management and reviews the actions taken by management to ensure that the Corporation's food safety programs address safe manufacturing, handling and preparation standards, that suppliers of food products

adhere to high safety standards and that best practices are in place for storage, handling, distribution and packaging of food products, along with necessary control systems to monitor compliance with such policies.

Drug Safety

The Risk and Compliance Committee oversees risks related to the production, handling and dispensing of pharmaceuticals and the operation of pharmacies, monitors and assesses the Corporation's effectiveness in managing such risks, and ensures such risks are managed in accordance with best practices. The Risk and Compliance Committee receives periodic reports from management in order to perform its oversight role.

Environmental, Occupational Health and Safety Matters

The Risk and Compliance Committee also receives periodic reports from management on environmental and occupational health and safety matters.

ESG

The Risk and Compliance Committee reviews the Corporation's ESG disclosures, including the 2021 ESG Report and the 2022 TCFD Report, and oversees its ESG strategy. The Risk and Compliance Committee also receives periodic reports on the Corporation's ESG initiatives.

Respectfully submitted,

Risk and Compliance Committee

Janice Fukakusa (Chair) Scott B. Bonham Shelley G. Broader Christie J.B. Clark Daniel Debow Claudia Kotchka Cornell Wright

For additional information regarding each member of the Risk and Compliance Committee, please see pages 9 to 14. For additional information regarding the activities of the Risk and Compliance Committee, see the Corporation's Statement of Corporate Governance Practices on pages 30 to 45.

PENSION COMMITTEE



Sarah Raiss (Chair) Independent



Christie J.B. Clark Independent



M. Marianne Harris Independent

The Pension Committee, on behalf of the Board, oversees the administration, management, design, funding and governance of the Corporation's pension plans, as well as the administration and management of the Corporation's benefit programs. The Pension Committee met four times in 2022.

PENSION COMMITTEE REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS

Dear Shareholders:

On behalf of the Board, the Pension Committee is pleased to share with you the Pension Committee's report and some of the Committee's significant accomplishments in 2022.

2022 Highlights:

- ✓ Oversaw various governance and reporting changes following Weston's sale of its Weston Foods business and the disbanding of the Weston Pension Committee
- ✓ Oversaw various pension and benefits accounting matters
- ✓ Oversaw the implementation of a dynamic leverage program

Oversight of the Corporation's Pension and Benefit Plans

The Pension Committee, on behalf of the Board, oversees the governance and administration of the Corporation's pension and benefit plans. To fulfill its oversight responsibilities, the Pension Committee approved the framework within which investment decisions are made for the Corporation's defined benefit plans and reviewed the financial statements of such plans with management and the external auditor. The Pension Committee also received regular reporting on: (i) the Corporation's defined benefit plans, including the investment performance and funded status of such plans, and (ii) the Corporation's defined contribution plans, including the investment performance of the investment options made available to pension plan members. Throughout the year, the Pension Committee also monitored compliance with the Corporation's policies, the pension plan texts and applicable regulatory and legislative requirements.

Oversight of Pension and Benefits Programs

The Pension Committee received reports regarding the day-to-day management of pension and benefits programs, including the successful reenrollment process for the *My Benefits* program, the launch of *My Mind Matters* mental healthcare hub, and a strategic review of the Corporation's benefits program to ensure it aligns with its diversity, equity and inclusion priorities.

Dynamic Leverage Program

The Pension Committee oversaw the implementation of a dynamic leverage program for fixed income assets, which adjusts the amount of leverage employed based on changes in the applicable interest rate environment.

Transition of Pension and Benefits Services to Purchasers of Bakery Business

The Pension Committee oversaw various governance and reporting changes following Weston's sale of its Weston Foods business, the disbanding of the Weston Pension Committee, and the transition of pension and benefits services to the acquirers of Weston's bakery business.

Respectfully submitted,

Pension Committee

Sarah Raiss (Chair)

Christie J.B. Clark

M. Marianne Harris

For additional information regarding each member of the Pension Committee, please see pages 9 to 14. For additional information regarding the activities of the Pension Committee, see the Corporation's Statement of Corporate Governance Practices on pages 30 to 45.

GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE



William A. Downe (Chair) Independent



Daniel Debow



M. Marianne Harris Independent



Claudia Kotchka Independent



Sarah Raiss Independent

The Governance Committee believes that good corporate governance is essential to strong performance. The Corporation's governance practices are designed to provide oversight and accountability, ensure trust with stakeholders and promote the long-term interests of its shareholders.

The Governance Committee is responsible for the oversight of the Corporation's governance practices, including the development and implementation of good governance principles, consistent with high standards of corporate governance. On an annual basis, the Governance Committee evaluates the performance and practices of the Board, including a review of Board policies and mandates and, together with the Chairman and President, a review of the composition of the Board committees.

As part of its mandate, the Governance Committee, together with the Chairman and President, identifies and recommends candidates for nomination to the Board as directors. The Governance Committee also recommends to the Board for approval any changes to directors' compensation arrangements. In addition, the Governance Committee monitors the orientation program for new directors and continuing education for all directors, and oversees the process for assessing the performance of the Board, its committees and individual directors.

The Governance Committee assists the Board with overseeing the design of the Corporation's executive compensation programs, including its incentive programs and the compensation of the named executive officers (the "NEOs") identified on page 47. The Governance Committee is also responsible for overseeing talent management and succession planning for the Corporation's senior executive positions.

Key Skills and Experiences

The Board believes that the members of the Governance Committee individually and collectively have the requisite knowledge, skill and experience in governance and compensation matters, including human resource management, executive compensation and general business leadership, to fulfill the Committee's mandate. All members of the Committee have substantial knowledge and experience as senior executives of large and complex organizations and have served as directors of other publicly traded companies. The chart below sets out the relevant experience of each member of the Governance Committee:

Name of Member	Experience in Governance and Executive Compensation
Daniel Debow	 Executive experience as Vice President, Product at Shopify Founder and former Chief Executive Officer of Helpful.com Co-founder and former Co-Chief Executive Officer of Rypple Founding team member of Workbrain
William A. Downe	 Executive experience as former Chief Executive Officer of BMO Financial Group Lead Director and Chair of the Executive Compensation and HR Committee of Manpower Group Inc. Trustee and member of the Compensation and HR Committee of Rush University Medical Center Former director of Bank of Montreal
M. Marianne Harris	 Director and member of Weston's Governance, Human Resource, Nominating and Compensation Committee Chair of the Governance, Investment & Conduct Review Committee of Sun Life Financial Inc. Chair of the Governance Committee of the Public Sector Pension Investment Board Executive experience as former Managing Director and President of Corporate and Investment Banking for Merrill Lynch Canada Inc.
Claudia Kotchka	 Executive experience as former Vice President, Design Innovation and Strategy at Procter & Gamble Public company board experience as a former director of BlackBerry Limited
Sarah Raiss	 Executive experience at TransCanada Corporation (now TC Energy) Chair of the Nominations and Governance Committee and former Chair of the Compensation Committee of Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers Inc. Member and Chair of the Nominations and Governance Committee and former Chair of the Compensation Committee for Commercial Metals Company Former member and Chair of the Governance and Human Resources Committee of Vermilion Energy Inc. Former Chair of the Alberta Electric Systems Operator and member of the Governance and Nominations Committee Former member and Chair of the Corporate Governance and Compensation Committee of Canadian Oil Sands Limited Former member of the Human Resources and Compensation Committee of Shoppers Drug Mart Corporation Former Chair of the Human Resources Committee and former member of the Governance and Nominating Committee at Business Development Bank of Canada

Board Succession Planning and Nomination Process

The Board regularly reviews potential vacancies on the Board. The Governance Committee assists the Board by reviewing an evergreen list of potential candidates and identifying individuals for the Board's consideration at the appropriate time. The Corporation has in place director tenure guidelines, which provide that the Chairman and President and the Governance Committee will undertake an assessment of a director's continued participation on the Board upon the director reaching the age of 75, and annually thereafter, or upon a change in the director's principal occupation. The director tenure guidelines do not apply to the Chairman and President or any management directors.

In addition to the formal director tenure guidelines, the Governance Committee:

- 1. undertakes an annual Board effectiveness evaluation that enables the Governance Committee and the Board to solicit feedback regarding director contribution, skill set and expertise;
- 2. maintains a director skills matrix to ensure that, in choosing director candidates, it focuses appropriately on critical competencies and experience;
- 3. monitors director turnover through the evaluation process and, to the extent appropriate, from time to time requests directors who are long serving and who have a readily replaceable skill set or experience not to stand for re-election;
- 4. annually reviews Board committee chairs and memberships with a view to balancing the desire for diverse perspectives with the need for experience and subject matter expertise; and
- 5. provides disclosure in this Circular in respect of director tenure, the director evaluation process and director turnover with an explanation of how the Corporation's approach ensures diversity of skills, experience and background on the Board and an appropriate level of turnover.

In summary, each year the Governance Committee undertakes a review of the composition of the Board, the performance of the individual directors and the mandate and composition of the committees of the Board. Recommendations for changes, if any, are developed by the Governance Committee and subsequently discussed with the Board and with the controlling shareholder. The Board is of the view that these processes have worked well and have resulted in governance that has been both effective and adaptive to the changing nature of the businesses and the markets in which the Corporation operates.

GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE REPORT TO SHAREHOLDERS

Dear Shareholders:

On behalf of the Board, the Governance Committee is pleased to share with you some of the Committee's significant accomplishments in 2022.

2022 Highlights:

- ✓ Reviewed the size, composition and diversity of the Board and its Committees and maintained an "evergreen" list of director candidates
- ✓ Oversaw the Board's succession plan, including the appointment of Ms. Broader as a Director in November 2022 and the selection of Mr. Holt to stand for election at the Meeting
- ✓ Oversaw the design of the Corporation's 2023 Short Term Incentive Plan and Long Term Incentive Plan
- ✓ Oversaw the transition of certain senior executives, including in connection with the retirement of the former President, Discount Division
- ✓ Oversaw the performance and assessment of the Board and its committees
- ✓ Reviewed the personal objectives of senior executives and assessed their performance against such objectives
- ✓ Assessed senior executive succession candidates

Executive Talent Management and Succession Planning

The Governance Committee is entrusted with the responsibility of overseeing the Corporation's approach to talent management and succession planning for senior executive roles. The Governance Committee receives reports on the development of senior executives, updates on the talent management plans across the organization and performance evaluation processes, which are designed to improve individual leadership and management skills. The succession planning process includes an annual review of each senior executive position and the performance of the incumbent. The Governance Committee reviewed management's proposed cost split for Messrs. Weston and Dufresne between the Corporation and Weston, given that they are officers of both companies. The Governance Committee approved that the Corporation would pay 70% of Mr. Weston's compensation, with the remaining 30% payable by Weston, and that the Corporation would pay 80% of Mr. Dufresne's compensation, with the remaining 20% payable by Weston, which is consistent with the cost split approved in 2021.

Board Composition and Succession

The Governance Committee's focus is to maintain a strong, vibrant and engaged Board that understands the Corporation's businesses and the retail industry generally. One of the key areas of responsibility for the Governance Committee is succession planning for the Board. The Committee assesses and evaluates the effectiveness of the Board and identifies areas where the Board may benefit from new directors with additional skills, experience and diverse backgrounds. In early 2021, the Board, upon the recommendation of the Governance Committee,

updated the Corporation's board diversity policy to reflect a target that people who identify as women will comprise at least 40% of the Board's directors, increased from 30%. In addition, such policy provides that, by 2024, people who identify as visible minorities will comprise at least 25% of the Board's directors. The list of nominees for the upcoming Meeting includes five nominees who identify as women and two nominees who identify as visible minorities, representing approximately 42% and 17% of the nominees, respectively.

This year, the Governance Committee has again included in this Circular a skills matrix that the Governance Committee used as a tool in managing Board succession. This matrix was used to identify the skills, experience and expertise required on the Board.

The Governance Committee is responsible for the process of identifying prospective director nominees. The Governance Committee assesses the appropriate size of the Board and whether any vacancies are expected and reviews the skills matrix of current Board members to determine criteria and qualifications to be considered when recruiting new director nominees. Each candidate is evaluated with respect to the candidate's experience and expertise, with particular attention paid to those areas of expertise that could best complement the current Board. The Governance Committee also assesses any concerns relating to potential conflicts, independence, interlocking board memberships, or time commitment that the candidate may present. Before being put forward as a director nominee, a candidate must meet the Chair of the Governance Committee, the Chairman and President and other Board members to discuss the Board's expectations in regards to contribution and commitment obligations.

In 2022, the Governance Committee concluded that Shelley Broader had the requisite skills, experience, and qualifications to serve as a director of the Corporation and recommended to the Board that the number of directors be increased from 10 to 11 and that the Board appoint Ms. Broader as a director. Ms. Broader was appointed to the Board in November 2022 and will stand for re-election at the Meeting. The Governance Committee has also identified Kevin Holt as having the requisite skills, experience, and qualifications to serve as a director of the Corporation and, being a suitable director nominee, the Governance Committee recommended that Mr. Holt stand for election at the Meeting.

Director Education and Training Program

The Governance Committee is responsible for ensuring the provision of continuing education programs for the Corporation's directors. The educational program includes presentations by internal and external experts on specific topics of interest and importance to the Board and each of its committees and on specialized or complex areas of the Corporation's business, to assist directors in carrying out their responsibilities. These presentations are in addition to regular reporting from senior management and other elements of the Corporation's continuing education program.

KEY PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS IN 2022

The Board reviewed the Corporation's performance in 2022 and determined the NEOs' incentive payouts based on such performance:

- The Corporation's short-term incentive plan ("STIP") paid out at 179.9% of target for the NEOs (excluding individual performance components).
- The 2020 performance share units ("PSUs") that vested in 2023 had a payout factor at 166.5% of target for the NEOs.

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PHILOSOPHY

The Corporation's compensation philosophy guides every aspect of the Corporation's strategy, programs, policies and decisions on executive compensation. The Governance Committee reviews and approves the Corporation's compensation philosophy and programs for executive officers. The philosophy is set out below:

The Corporation believes that its compensation structure must be designed to attract, motivate and retain the best candidates for the challenging roles that the Corporation's executive officers fulfill. To this end, the Corporation strives for executive compensation programs that are competitive with market and industry practices to enable the Corporation to attract, motivate and retain executives with the talent and experience to ensure that the Corporation meets its strategic and operational objectives.

Pay for performance is a cornerstone of the Corporation's compensation philosophy. The compensation programs for all employees, including executives, are results oriented. The Corporation believes that a strong pay-for-performance focus should align compensation with the successful execution of business strategy, sustained long-term performance and shareholder interests. This objective is achieved through the design of the Corporation's STIP and long-term incentive plan ("LTIP"). In particular, the Corporation believes that granting PSUs to all executives provides a strong link between pay and performance.

Executive compensation should align with the long-term interests of shareholders. The Corporation believes its STIP and LTIP programs accomplish this objective. The Corporation's STIP is a balanced program comprised of different performance measures that focus executives on the key drivers of the business and value creation over both the short and long-term. The LTIP balances the use of (i) stock options, which align an executive's interest with shareholders in share price appreciation; (ii) restricted share units ("RSUs"), which serve as a key component in retaining executives and aligning their interests with those of shareholders; and (iii) PSUs, which focus executives on the delivery of key objectives set forth in the Corporation's strategic plan. The Corporation also expects executives to meet minimum share ownership requirements that apply to executives at the senior vice president level and higher to reinforce the alignment between executive compensation and long-term shareholder interests.

Executive compensation programs should have flexibility to be tailored to business objectives. The Corporation believes that its executive compensation programs should be flexible and adaptive to enterprise and divisional needs. The performance measures under the STIP program are designed to focus executives on driving performance across the Loblaw and SDM businesses and include a performance measure based on a customer satisfaction index to focus management on customer satisfaction.

The principles of good governance must underlie the Corporation's executive compensation programs. The programs are designed to promote responsible decision-making by rewarding senior executives for execution of business strategy without taking undue risks.

Governance Practices

The Governance Committee is committed to ensuring that the Corporation's approach to governance practices satisfies regulatory requirements and aligns with best practices. The Governance Committee is confident that the Corporation has strong and practical governance systems in place, including protocols for managing conflicts of interest. At the same time, the Governance Committee remains committed to the ongoing evaluation of its practices and monitoring emerging best practices to deliver value for shareholders and other stakeholders.

Respectfully submitted,

Governance Committee

William A. Downe (Chair) Daniel Debow M. Marianne Harris Claudia Kotchka Sarah Raiss

For additional information regarding each member of the Governance Committee, please see pages 9 to 14. For additional information regarding the activities of the Governance Committee, see the Corporation's Statement of Corporate Governance Practices on pages 30 to 45.

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Statement of Corporate Governance Practices

STATEMENT OF CORPORATE GOVERNANCE PRACTICES

The Corporation's Board and management are dedicated to strong corporate governance practices designed to maintain high standards of oversight, accountability, integrity and ethics while promoting long-term growth and complying with the Canadian Securities Administrators' Corporate Governance Guidelines (the "Governance Guidelines"). The Corporation's strong governance practices are reflected in its approach and application of policies and practices, some of which are highlighted below:

	GOVERNANCE						
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights				
Majority Voting Policy	See page 8 for additional detail See Policy on: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Annual election of directors by Shareholders Director who receives greater number of votes withheld than votes in favour must tender resignation Governance Committee reviews resignation and makes recommendation to the Board	At least 97% of total votes cast at the 2022 Annual Meeting of Shareholders were cast in favour of each of the Directors				
Independence Statement	See pages 35 and 36 for additional detail	Majority of the Board to be comprised of independent Directors	83% of director nominees are independent 100% of Audit Committee members are Independent 100% of Governance Committee members are Independent				
Board Effectiveness	See page 39 for additional detail	Ensure that the Board and its Committees are functioning at optimal levels	Annual assessment of the performance and effectiveness of the Board and its Committees and Committee Chairs Independent Lead Director in place to drive strong independent Board oversight				
Share Ownership Policy	See pages 15, 16 and 66 for additional detail	Aligns the interests of Directors and executives with those of Shareholders Applies to each Director and executive at the SVP level and higher	All Directors and executives either satisfy the required level of share ownership or are in the process of accumulating the securities as required under the share ownership policy				
Continuing Education	See page 39 for additional detail	Ensuring relevant continuing education sessions are provided to Directors	19 continuing education sessions provided to a Committee or the Board in 2022				
Director Tenure Guidelines	See pages 7 and 27 for additional detail	Foster ongoing renewal of the Board's membership Chairman and President and Governance Committee Chair assess each Director's continued participation on the Board upon the Director reaching the age of 75 and annually thereafter, or upon a change in the Director's principal occupation	50% of Director nominees have tenure of 0 to 5 years 33% of Director nominees have tenure of 5 to 10 years 17% of Director nominees have tenure exceeding 10 years Average tenure of 5.8 years				
Director Interlock Policy	See page 8 for additional detail	Ensure that interlocking director relationships will not adversely affect independent judgement Prohibited interlock occurs when more than two Directors sit on the board of another public entity Governance Committee reviews interlocking Directors	O prohibited interlocks among independent Directors and among director nominees				
Related Party Transactions	See page 37 for additional detail	Oversight of related party transactions rests with the Audit Committee The Board, through the Audit Committee or a special committee of independent directors, reviews and approves significant related party transactions	Quarterly reports on related party transactions provided to the Audit Committee Audit Committee oversaw significant related party transactions in 2022				
Corporate Opportunities Principles	See page 34 for additional detail	Framework established to facilitate decision- making process to deal with corporate opportunities which could be of interest to more than one entity in the Weston Group (as defined below)	Annual review of strategic focus areas for each of the main businesses in the Weston Group Annual review of corporate opportunity principles against entity strategies				

	GO	VERNANCE (Continued)	
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights
Advisory Vote on Executive Compensation (Say On Pay)	See page 18 for additional detail	Providing Shareholders with an opportunity to cast advisory votes on the Corporation's approach to executive compensation	92.35% of votes cast at the 2022 Annual Meeting of Shareholders were cast in favour of the Corporation's approach to executive compensation
Executive Clawback Agreement	See page 48 for additional detail	Deterrent to executives taking excessive risk	Part of overall executive compensation program designed to align interests of the Shareholders with the Corporation
	СО	MPLIANCE AND ETHICS	
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights
Competition Law Compliance Program	See page 23 for additional detail	Reflects the Corporation's ongoing commitment to a rigorous competition law compliance program, including controls, training programs and reporting processes	Transitioned Corporation's competition law compliance program to an internal assurance management process
Code of Conduct	See Code: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Reflects the Corporation's commitment to high standards of ethical conduct and business practices Addresses conflicts of interest, compliance with laws, rules and regulations, confidentiality and fair dealing	Annual review and approval of the Code Annual acknowledgment by the Corporation's employees and directors of their commitment to abide by the Code
Compliance with Laws Policy	Referenced within the Code: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Reflects the Corporation's commitment to compliance with all applicable laws and regulations and describes expectations of colleagues to ensure such compliance	Approved by the Management Risk and Compliance Committee Applies to all employees of the Corporation and its subsidiaries
Ethical Business Conduct	See pages 41 and 42 for additional detail	Integrity Action Line – Toll-free number that any employee, director or supplier can use to report conduct thought to violate the Code Anti-Fraud Policy – Fraud reporting protocols established to ensure fraud reporting to senior management Accounting, Auditing and Internal Controls Procedures - outlines the procedures for receipt and treatment of complaints received in connection with accounting, internal controls, disclosure controls or auditing matters	Quarterly review of integrity action line reports with the Audit Committee Annual review of the Anti-Fraud Policy and the Accounting, Auditing and Internal Controls Procedures by the Audit Committee Quarterly compliance reporting to the Risk and Compliance Committee
Disclosure Policy	See page 45 for additional detail	The Disclosure Committee is responsible for the administration and implementation of the Disclosure Policy Describes the processes and procedures of the Corporation in connection with the timely disclosure of material information Provides direction and guidance on communications with external audiences Establishes consistent guidance for determining what information is material and avoiding selective disclosure	Quarterly review of disclosure documents, including the interim management's discussion and analysis, interim financial statements and news releases Quarterly review and reporting on the application of non-GAAP measures Annual review of the management proxy circular and annual information form File all continuous disclosure documents within the required timelines, including earnings releases, annual and interim reports, annual information form and management proxy circular
Securities Trading Policy	See page 49 for additional detail	Addresses trading restrictions for the Corporation's employees and others subject to the policy Addresses procedures for the reporting of trades by the Corporation's reporting insiders	Annual review and approval of the policy Prohibits trading, directly or indirectly, in the securities of Weston, Loblaw or Choice Properties while in possession of material undisclosed information

	ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE					
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights			
Mandate of the Board of Directors	See mandate on: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Oversight of approach, policies and practices related to ESG matters	The Board receives periodic reports on ESG matters and approves ESG disclosures			
Mandate of the Audit Committee	See mandate on: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Reviews adequacy and effectiveness of controls related to ESG disclosures	Audit Committee reviews ESG disclosures and recommends such disclosures to the Board for approval			
Mandate of the Risk and Compliance Committee	See mandate on: www.loblaw.ca/en/corporate- governance	Oversight of ESG strategy, design and program	Risk and Compliance Committee receives periodic reports on ESG initiatives and reviews and recommends the Corporation's ESG disclosures to the Board for approval			
ESG Reporting	See reports on: www.loblaw.ca/en/responsibility	ESG Steering Committee, comprised of executives, guide the ESG programs and related strategies, activities, priorities, internal measurement and reporting, and external disclosure frameworks	Release of 2021 ESG Report and 2022 TCFD Report Conducted a materiality assessment in line with the GRI Standards Set new targets for the reduction of carbon, including a net-zero emissions for Scope 1 & Scope 2 by 2040 and Scope 3 by 2050, and the reduction of food waste, including zero food waste to landfill by 2030 ESG performance measures were incorporated into the Corporation's short-term incentive program Conducted a Climate Risk Assessment which identified five high impact risks and opportunities of the Corporation			
Human Rights	See statement on: www.loblaw.ca/en/responsibility https://www.loblaw.ca/en/human-rights	Outlines the Corporation's commitment to respect and protect the human rights of all people who support and intersect with the Corporation's business	The Corporation issued its Position on Human Rights in relation to the UNGPs In 2022, the Corporation conducted Human Rights Due Diligence to identify opportunities to further strengthen policies and processes across the enterprise, including its international supply chain In line with UNGP guidance, the Corporation has identified five salient risks, which inform its ongoing work on human rights and responsible sourcing: (i) forced labour; (ii) child labour; (iii) discrimination, harassment, and abuse; (iv) livelihoods; and (v) occupational health and safety			

	ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL AND GOVERNANCE (Continued)					
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights			
Board Diversity Policy	See pages 40 and 41 for additional detail	40% target for female representation on the Board Target that 25% of Board's composition be comprised of people who identify as visible minorities by 2024 Consideration of age, ethnicity, gender, diverse backgrounds Annual self-identification on designated group membership	42% of Director nominees identify as women 17% of Director nominees identify as visible minorities Annual assessment of Board composition			
Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Programs	See pages 40 and 41 for additional detail	The Corporation is committed to a more representative workforce at leadership levels and creating a culture of empathy and inclusion Target that by 2024, 40% of Vice President or higher positions be held by people who identify as women and 25% of such positions be held by people who identify as visible minorities Target that by 2024, 43% of management positions be held by people who identify as women and 30% of such positions be held by people who identify as visible minorities Drives the Corporation's diversity priorities by creating resource groups, generating awareness and implementing activities that embed diversity principles into the culture of the organization Diversity driven mentoring and recruiting practices and talent development strategies Consider diversity at the talent development and succession planning process at various senior levels Annual self-identification on designated group membership	39% of Vice President or higher positions were held by people who identify as women and 28% of such positions were held by people who identify as visible minorities 45% of management positions were held by people who identify as women and 29% of such positions were held by people who identify as visible minorities Advancing diversity, equity and inclusion through an inclusion council and a network of diversity, equity and inclusion committees, and within the Corporation's communities through strategic partnerships Training sessions held on antidiscrimination, sexual harassment, accessibility and accommodation, inclusive customer service, and inclusive leadership			
	ENTER	PRISE RISK MANAGEMENT				
Approach	Reference	Application	Highlights			
Mandate of the Risk and Compliance Committee	See pages 22 and 38 for additional detail on the Board and Risk and Compliance Committee's oversight of the Corporation's ERM program	Risk and Compliance Committee assists the Board in its oversight of ERM policies and procedures to ensure that relevant risks are identified and mitigation plans are put into place Risk and Compliance Committee oversees risks related to information technology and systems	 Annual review of Corporation's ERM Plan, risk rankings and Risk Appetite Statement Oversees monitoring and mitigation of risks including information security and food safety Management delivers regular reports on key risks and related mitigation to the Risk and Compliance Committee 			

Board Responsibilities and Duties

The Board is responsible for the overall stewardship and governance of the Corporation. It oversees the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation, both directly and through its committees. In addition, the Board has the following responsibilities and duties:

Strategic Oversight

The Board oversees the development, execution and fulfillment of the Corporation's strategic plans and assigns responsibility to management for achievement of that strategy. As part of its responsibility for overseeing the strategic direction of the Corporation, the Board reviews and approves:

- management's strategic plans;
- material capital expenditures, acquisitions, divestitures and restructurings; and
- investments outside the ordinary course of business.

In overseeing the strategic planning of the Corporation, the Board has a high level of engagement with management. In addition to annual multi-day meetings dedicated to strategic planning, the Board regularly receives updates from management on the Corporation's progress in achieving its strategic plans. At each meeting, the Board monitors the Corporation's performance against both short-term and long-term strategic plans and annual operating objectives.

Oversight of Management

Although the Board delegates to management the responsibility for managing the day-to-day affairs of the Corporation, the Board reviews management's performance and effectiveness on an ongoing basis. The Board's expectations of management are communicated to management directly and through committees of the Board. The Board approves the Corporation's business and operating plans and budgets, which take into account the opportunities and risks of the business. The Board also regularly receives reports on the operating and financial

results of the Corporation and on other matters such as ESG-related matters, pensions, tax, food, pharmacy and healthcare, workplace safety, technology and security, treasury and legal matters.

Enterprise Risk Management

The Board has oversight responsibility for ERM activities associated with the Corporation's businesses. In order to identify and address any material risks, the Board undertakes an annual assessment of the Corporation's ERM structure. The annual ERM assessment is carried out through interviews, surveys, and facilitated workshops between management and the Board. Risks are identified and then assessed and evaluated based on the Corporation's vulnerability to the risk and the potential impact that the underlying risks would have on the Corporation's ability to execute its strategies and achieve its objectives. To assist with the ERM process, the Corporation has adopted a risk appetite statement that takes into consideration important aspects of the Corporation's businesses, values and brands. The risk appetite framework articulates key aspects of the Corporation's business, values and provides directional guidance on risk taking. The types of risks the Corporation is exposed to include: strategic; financial; operational; cyber-security; regulatory; human capital; and reputational risks. Management provides periodic updates to the applicable committees of the Board on the status of the key risk including any anticipated near and longer term impacts and significant changes in key risk indicators. In addition, long-term (three to five year) risk levels are assessed to assist in risk mitigation planning activities. Accountability for oversight of each risk is allocated by the Board either to the full Board or to a committee of the Board. For more information on the Corporation's ERM program and the types of risks the Corporation is exposed to, refer to the Corporation's 2022 Annual Report and the Annual Information Form for the year ended December 31, 2022, which are available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

Internal Controls and Financial Reporting

The Board is responsible for overseeing the Corporation's financial reporting and disclosure obligations to ensure compliance with applicable audit, accounting, regulatory and reporting requirements. The Board, through the Audit Committee, assesses and evaluates the integrity and effectiveness of the Corporation's internal controls over financial reporting and information systems.

Talent Management and Succession Planning

The Board, with support from the Governance Committee, oversees the Corporation's talent management and succession planning for senior executive roles. The Governance Committee receives reports on the development of senior executives and on the talent management plans across the organization and reports on performance evaluation processes, which are designed to improve individual leadership and management skills. The succession planning process includes an annual review of each senior executive position and the performance of the incumbents to ensure the Corporation has a pipeline of talented leaders.

Governance Matters

The Board is responsible for developing and monitoring the Corporation's approach to corporate governance. The Board, through the Audit and Governance Committees, closely monitors any potential conflicts of interest between the Corporation and its affiliates and related parties, including Weston, Wittington (the controlling shareholder of Weston) and Choice Properties, and, through the Audit Committee or a special committee of independent directors, reviews and approves any significant related party transactions. The Audit Committee ensures that a robust process is followed in reviewing and approving related party transactions. Individual directors, with the approval of the Independent Lead Director, may also retain an outside advisor at the expense of the Corporation with regards to related party transactions.

The Corporation, Weston, and Choice Properties are part of a common control group (the "Weston Group"). Although the entities making up the Weston Group each have their own strategies and, for the most part, focus on different businesses, the entities acknowledge that from time to time new corporate opportunities may arise that potentially could be of interest to more than one entity of the Weston Group. Accordingly, the entities making up the Weston Group have adopted Corporate Opportunities Principles that facilitate the decision making process to deal with any such opportunities in a manner that is consistent with good governance, taking into account existing businesses and other considerations.

A copy of the Board's mandate is attached as Schedule A to this Circular.

Board Leadership Structure

Mr. Weston serves as Chairman and President of the Corporation. As Chairman and President, Mr. Weston is responsible for the management, development and effective performance of the Board, and for providing leadership to the directors in carrying out their collective responsibilities to provide a Board oversight role regarding the management of the business and affairs of the Corporation. Recognizing the importance of strong independent board oversight, the Board has re-appointed an independent director, Mr. William A. Downe, to serve as Independent Lead Director. The Board's view on the effective role of an independent lead director has also been endorsed by leading corporate governance organizations.

The Board maintains a position description for the Chairman and President that is reviewed annually and approved by the Governance Committee. The Board also maintains a position description for the Independent Lead Director. The following is a description of the roles of the Chairman and President and Independent Lead Director:



Chairman and President Galen G. Weston

- Directs the operations of the Board
- Chairs each meeting of the Board
- Responsible for the management and effective functioning of the Board
- Provides leadership to the Board on all matters
- Ensures that the Board has all the information it needs to discuss the matters brought before the Board
- Ensures that all of the Board's responsibilities, as set out in the Board mandate, are being fulfilled
- Monitors the reports from the committees of the Board to ensure the committees are fulfilling the responsibilities delegated to them by the Board
- Chairs meetings of shareholders and facilitates the response by management to shareholder concerns
- Ensures that strategic plans are communicated to and evaluated by the Board
- In his capacity as President, responsible for the operations of the Corporation



Independent Lead Directo William A. Downe

- Provides leadership to the Board and particularly to the independent directors
- Ensures that the Board operates independently of management and that directors have an independent leadership contact
- Chairs meetings when the Chairman and President is absent and chairs meetings of the independent directors following each Board meeting and on other occasions, as required or desirable
- Regularly meets with the Chairman and President and serves as liaison between the Chairman and President and the independent directors
- Works with the Chairman and President on appropriate agenda items
- Oversees the Board's self-assessment and evaluation of its leadership structure
- Meets periodically with the other independent directors to obtain insight as to areas where the Board and its committees can operate more effectively and to ensure that the Board is able to discharge its responsibilities independently of management

Director Independence

The mandate of the Board provides that the Board shall be comprised of a majority of independent directors. The independence of each director is assessed by the Governance Committee with reference to the Governance Guidelines and the requirements set by the Canadian Securities Administrators in National Instrument 52-110 – *Audit Committees*. In determining independence, the Governance Committee determines whether a director has any material relationship with the Corporation or its affiliated entities that could reasonably be expected to interfere with the exercise of such director's independent judgment. Directors who have a material relationship with the Corporation, including management directors, are not considered independent. This determination is conducted through a due diligence process that includes reviewing the following:

- each director's responses to a detailed annual questionnaire about their individual circumstances;
- biographical information;
- internal records and documents on relationships between a director and any entity affiliated with the director on the one hand, and the Corporation and its affiliated entities, on the other hand; and
- discussions with the director as may be required.

When assessing materiality, the Governance Committee considers all relevant factors and circumstances including transactions between the Corporation and the director directly, immediate family members of the director, and organizations with which the director is affiliated, and the frequency and dollar amounts associated with any such transactions. The Governance Committee has reviewed each existing and proposed director's factual circumstances and relationships with the Corporation to determine whether he or she is independent within the meaning of the Governance Guidelines. The Governance Committee determined that 10 of the 12 director nominees are independent. The Governance Committee reviews its findings with the Board.

The table below describes whether each director nominee is independent or non-independent and, in the case where certain director nominees are of non-independent status, the reason for such status is provided. Mr. Cornell Wright, President of Wittington, the controlling shareholder of Weston, and Mr. Galen G. Weston, the Chairman and President of the Corporation and Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Weston and Chairman of Wittington, the controlling shareholder of Weston, were determined not to be independent because they have a material relationship with the Corporation.

Status of Director Nominees

Name	Independent	Not Independent	Reason for Non-Independent Status
Scott B. Bonham	х		
Shelley G. Broader	х		
Christie J.B. Clark	х		
Daniel Debow	х		
William A. Downe	х		
Janice Fukakusa	х		
M. Marianne Harris	х		
Kevin Holt	х		
Claudia Kotchka	х		
Sarah Raiss	х		
Galen G. Weston		x	Chairman and President of the Corporation, Chairman and CEO of Weston, and Chairman of Wittington, the controlling shareholder of Weston
Cornell Wright		х	President of Wittington, the controlling shareholder of Weston

The Corporation has taken steps to ensure that adequate structures and processes are in place to permit the Board to function independently of management of the Corporation. The Chair of the Board and of each committee meet separately with the Board or committee members after each meeting without other members of management present. The independent directors meet separately and meet without the non-independent directors or management's presence after each Board meeting. Additional information relating to the directors standing for election, including other public company boards on which they serve as well as their attendance record for all Board and committee meetings during fiscal 2022, can be found on pages 9 to 14 of this Circular.

Independent Lead Director

The Board is confident that the current leadership structure ensures the appropriate level of oversight, independence and responsibility is applied to Board decisions. The Board is of the view that having an Independent Lead Director who is independent ensures that any potential conflicts of interest between the Corporation and the controlling shareholder are addressed. The Chair of the Governance Committee serves as the Independent Lead Director. The Independent Lead Director's role is to ensure that the interests of the Corporation and of the minority shareholders and other relevant stakeholders are protected and that the Board is following good governance processes and prioritizing the right matters. The Independent Lead Director has the responsibilities set out above under "Board Leadership Structure".

Board Committees

The Board has four standing committees:

- Audit Committee;
- Governance Committee;
- · Pension Committee; and
- Risk and Compliance Committee

The Chair of each committee reports to the Board on material issues discussed and the actions taken at each committee meeting.

Position Descriptions for the Chair of each Committee

The Chair of each committee is responsible for the leadership and effective functioning of the committee. Specifically, the Chair is responsible for the following: maintaining a productive and effective relationship between the committee and management of the Corporation; holding management accountable for matters delegated to the committee by the Board; ensuring the proper flow of information from the committee to the Board regarding the matters discussed and decisions taken at each committee meeting; reviewing the agenda for each meeting of the committee to ensure that all appropriate matters are brought forward for discussion; ensuring that the committee meets as frequently as is necessary to fulfill its mandate; and ensuring, with the assistance of management, that all proper materials and information are brought before the committee in connection with matters to be discussed at each meeting.

Committee Membership

At least once a year, the Governance Committee reviews the composition and chair of each committee and tables its recommendations to the Board for approval. All committees may engage outside advisors or consultants as necessary and have the authority to approve fees for any such engagements.

With the exception of the Risk and Compliance Committee, on which Cornell Wright serves as a member, all committees are comprised solely of independent directors.

Committee Responsibilities

Each committee has a formal mandate and a position description for its Chair, both of which are established by the Board. On an annual basis, each committee reviews its mandate and the position description for its Chair to ensure they reflect best practices and address applicable regulatory and other requirements. The results of those reviews are presented to the Board for approval. Copies of the committees' mandates are available on the Corporation's website at www.loblaw.ca.

The following is a summary of the responsibilities of each committee:

1. Audit Committee

The Audit Committee reviews with management and the external auditor the Corporation's annual and interim consolidated financial statements, Management's Discussion and Analysis, Annual Information Form and other matters relating to the Corporation's financial disclosure. The Audit Committee also assesses and evaluates the integrity of the Corporation's internal controls over financial reporting and information systems. In addition, the Audit Committee is responsible for:

- · recommending the appointment of the external auditor;
- reviewing and approving the annual audit plan for the external auditor;
- reviewing the independence of the external auditor;
- considering and evaluating with management the design and effectiveness of internal controls over financial reporting and financial disclosure controls and reviewing any proposed corrective actions;
- overseeing procedures for the receipt, retention and follow-up of complaints regarding the Corporation's accounting, internal controls
 and auditing matters and for the confidential anonymous submission by employees of concerns regarding such matters;
- · reviewing and approving internal audit's annual plan and receiving regular reports thereon;
- · reviewing and approving the audit fees paid to the external auditor and pre-approval of non-audit related fees to the external auditor;
- assessing the performance of the Corporation's internal audit function;
- · reviewing significant related party transactions not dealt with by a special committee of independent directors of the Board; and
- · reviewing the Corporation's ESG disclosures and the adequacy and effectiveness of controls relating to such disclosure.

The Audit Committee, whose current members are Christie J.B. Clark (Chair), Scott B. Bonham, Shelley G. Broader, Janice Fukakusa and M. Marianne Harris, had five meetings in 2022. Further information relating to the Audit Committee's accomplishments in 2022 is set out in the "Audit Committee Report to Shareholders" on pages 19 to 21.

2. Governance Committee

The Governance Committee oversees succession planning and compensation for directors and senior management. The Governance Committee's specific responsibilities include:

- developing criteria and qualifications for selecting director candidates and identifying and recommending candidates for membership on the Board;
- · evaluating the independence of directors and assessing their performance on an ongoing basis;
- assessing and reporting to the Board on its performance and effectiveness and that of its committees;
- · assisting in the directors' orientation program;
- ensuring that the Corporation provides appropriate continuing education opportunities for the Corporation's directors;
- shaping the Corporation's approach to corporate governance and recommending to the Board the corporate governance principles to be followed by the Corporation;
- assisting the Board in discharging its responsibilities relating to compensation and succession planning processes for the Corporation's senior executives; and
- · reviewing and determining the design of the compensation of directors and executive officers.

The Governance Committee, whose current members are William A. Downe (Chair), Daniel Debow, M. Marianne Harris, Claudia Kotchka and Sarah Raiss, had five meetings in 2022. Further information relating to the Governance Committee's accomplishments in 2022 is set out in the "Governance Committee Report to Shareholders" on pages 26 to 29.

3. Pension Committee

The Pension Committee assists the Board in overseeing the administration and governance of the Corporation's pension plans, benefit plans and other post/retirement arrangements in order to meet applicable legal and fiduciary obligations. Additionally, the Pension Committee is responsible for:

- reviewing the performance of the Corporation's and its subsidiaries' pension plans and pension funds;
- reviewing and recommending managers for the funds' portfolios;
- · reviewing the performance of pension fund managers;

- reviewing and approving the assumptions used, the funded status and amendments to the Corporation's and its subsidiaries' pension plans;
- reviewing the management and administration of the Corporation's pension plans, capital accumulation plans, and retiree health and welfare benefit plans;
- reviewing and setting the investment objectives of the Corporation and approving the Statement of Investment Policies and Procedures;
- overseeing management's monitoring, timely identification and mitigation of material risks associated with the administration and investment activities of the plans, and reporting and providing recommendations to the Board in relation to such risks; and
- managing the retention and oversight of all third parties retained for the Corporation's pensions plans, including trustees, actuaries and investment managers.

The Pension Committee, whose current members are Sarah Raiss (Chair), Christie J.B. Clark and M. Marianne Harris, had four meetings in 2022. Further information relating to the Pension Committee's accomplishments in 2022 is set out in the "Pension Committee Report to Shareholders" on page 25.

4. Risk and Compliance Committee

The Risk and Compliance Committee is responsible for assisting the Board in fulfilling its oversight responsibilities in relation to the Corporation's compliance with legal and regulatory requirements; food safety and product safety matters, including safe preparation and handling standards; pharmacy and pharmaceutical matters; and environmental, health, safety and wellness matters. Although the Board oversees the Corporation's ERM program, it delegates the oversight of certain risks to the Risk and Compliance Committee. The Risk and Compliance Committee reviews the design and structure of the Corporation's ERM program and monitors and assesses its effectiveness. The Committee reviews and recommends to the Board for approval the Corporation's ERM policy and risk appetite statement. In addition, while the Board is responsible for overseeing the Corporation's approach, policies and practices related to ESG matters, it has delegated responsibility to the Risk and Compliance Committee for reviewing management's reporting on specific ESG programs and initiatives.

The Risk and Compliance Committee's specific responsibilities include:

- overseeing the Corporation's approach to legal and regulatory compliance matters and receiving reports from the Senior Vice President and Chief Compliance & Ethics Officer;
- reviewing and monitoring the Corporation's policies relating to ethics;
- · receiving and reviewing reports from management on various key risks affecting the Corporation and how they are being managed;
- reviewing regular reports by management relating to information technology and the Corporation's information technology systems, including cyber-security;
- overseeing the risks associated with the Corporation's pharmacy operations;
- reviewing actions taken by management with respect to food safety programs to address safe manufacturing, handling and
 preparation standards and receiving timely reports on any major incidents or violation of the Corporation's policies and any food
 safety issues;
- · reviewing actions taken by management with respect to environmental and occupational health and safety matters; and
- overseeing the Corporation's ESG strategy, design and program and reviewing reporting on the Corporation's ESG programs.

The Risk and Compliance Committee, whose current members are Janice Fukakusa (Chair), Scott B. Bonham, Shelley G. Broader, Christie J.B. Clark, Daniel Debow, Claudia Kotchka and Cornell Wright, had four meetings in 2022. Further information relating to the Risk and Compliance Committee's accomplishments in 2022 is set out in the "Risk and Compliance Committee Report to Shareholders" on pages 22 to 24.

New Director Orientation

The Governance Committee is responsible for the orientation of new directors and their education about the business of the Corporation. When a new director is elected, the Governance Committee coordinates an in-depth orientation session for all new directors, which is attended by the Chairman and President and other senior executives of key operating divisions and includes:

- a review of the Corporation's business strategy, financial information and governance processes;
- historical information on the Corporation;
- · store and facility visits; and
- one-on-one meetings with the heads of each of the Corporation's principal business divisions.

In addition, new directors are provided with a reference manual in advance of the orientation session describing the Corporation's operations, strategy and business plan, the structure and role of the Board and its committees, the Board's mandate, compliance requirements for directors and corporate policies, as well as agendas and minutes for recent Board and committee meetings.

Director Continuing Education

The Governance Committee is also responsible for the continuing education of the Corporation's directors. On an ongoing basis, as part of regular Board and committee meetings, directors are given presentations on various aspects of the Corporation's operations, take part in site visits to the Corporation's facilities and receive reports from management.

In 2022, the Board and its committees received targeted training on the following topics as part of the Corporation's director continuing education program:

Educational Sessions	Date	Participants
ESG Investing	February 22, 2022	Pension Committee
Drug Safety	February 22, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Cyber Security	February 22, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Option Pricing	February 22, 2022	Governance Committee
Data Governance	February 23, 2022	Audit Committee
Grocery eCommerce	May 3, 2022	Board
Regulatory and Compliance Law Changes	July 25, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Cyber Security	July 25, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Corporate Governance Insights	July 25, 2022	Governance Committee
ESG Disclosure Controls	July 26, 2022	Audit Committee
Water Scarcity & Climate Change	August 17, 2022	Board
Global Supply Chain Management	August 17, 2022	Board
Expanded Scope of Pharmacists Practice	August 18, 2022	Board
UK Liabiity-Driven Investing Crisis	November 14, 2022	Pension Committee
Human Rights Law	November 14, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Cyber Security	November 14, 2022	Risk and Compliance Committee
Compensation Disclosure	November 14, 2022	Governance Committee
Investor Grade ESG Reporting	November 15, 2022	Audit Committee
Economic and Inflation Update	November 15, 2022	Board

Assessment of the Board and its Committees

Each year, the Governance Committee undertakes a review process to assess the performance and effectiveness of the Board and its committees. The results of the review are considered by the Governance Committee and then presented to the full Board by the Independent Lead Director. In 2022, the Independent Lead Director assessed the performance and effectiveness of the Board and its committees through written questionnaires, supplemented by one-on-one interviews with each of the directors, that included obtaining peer feedback and evaluating committee and Board performance.

Each year, the Governance Committee reviews committee composition, recommends committee Chairs and makes recommendations to the Board for approval.

In addition to the assessment that the Governance Committee performs in connection with compensation matters, each year the Governance Committee assesses, with the participation of the entire Board, the performance of the Chairman and President and other senior executives. The Independent Lead Director also routinely meets with each of the directors who may provide suggestions on the performance and effectiveness of the Board and its committees.

Nomination of Directors

The Governance Committee is responsible for the process of identifying prospective director nominees. The Governance Committee reviews the relevant experience, skills and competencies of nominees. It also recommends the appointment of directors to the various committees.

The Governance Committee meets on an annual basis, or when required, to assess the appropriate size of the Board and whether any vacancies are expected due to retirement in accordance with the director tenure guidelines or otherwise. As part of this assessment, the Governance Committee reviews an evergreen list of potential candidates, as well as the skills matrix of current Board members to determine criteria and qualifications to be considered when recruiting new director nominees. The members of the Board are canvassed with respect to potential candidates and each candidate is evaluated with respect to his or her experience and expertise, with particular attention paid to those areas of expertise that could best complement the current Board. As part of this evaluation process, the Board is mindful of diversity considerations in terms of thought, experiences, perspectives, gender and ethnicity, and recognizes the benefits of promoting diverse

candidates to the Board. The Corporation has a target that people who identify as women comprise at least 40% of the Board's directors and that by 2024, people who identify as visible minorities comprise at least 25% of the Board's directors. The Governance Committee also assesses any concerns relating to potential conflicts, independence, interlocking board memberships, or time commitment that the candidate may present. The Chairman and President, the Chair of the Governance Committee, as well as other members of the Governance Committee, meet with the potential candidates to determine their interest, availability and suitability. The Governance Committee then presents its list of potential candidates and recommendations to the Board. A continuous list of potential candidates is maintained by the Governance Committee.

Before being put forward as a director nominee, candidates must meet the Chair of the Governance Committee, the Chairman and President and other Board members to discuss the Board's expectations in regards to contribution and commitment obligations.

The Board has identified Mr. Kevin Holt, who has the requisite skills, experience and qualifications to be a Board member and therefore is a suitable director nominee. Mr. Holt will stand for election at the Meeting.

Diversity and Inclusion - Board and Management

The Corporation values diversity of views, thought, experience, skill sets, gender and ethnicity and supports the identification and nomination of diverse directors and candidates for senior management positions. Diversity is an important factor that is taken into account in identifying and selecting Board members and in considering the hiring, promotion and appointment of senior management. The Board believes that diversity is important to ensure that directors and senior management provide a wide range of thoughts, perspectives, experience and expertise required to achieve effective stewardship of the Corporation.

The Corporation adopted a written board diversity policy. The board diversity policy sets out guidelines for the Governance Committee to find the best qualified candidates for Board positions given the needs and circumstances of the Board and the Corporation, taking into account the current representation of diverse groups on the Board. The board diversity policy provides that when identifying suitable candidates for appointment to the Board, the Committee must consider candidates on merit using objective criteria with due regard to the benefits of diversity and the needs of the Board and the Corporation. The board diversity policy states that, among other qualities, a nominee's gender, age, ethnicity, disabilities and geographic background may be considered in his or her assessment. The board diversity policy also requires that the Governance Committee measure and report to the Board annually with respect to the Corporation's progress in identifying and considering diverse candidates for appointment to the Board. To measure the effectiveness of the policy, the Governance Committee reviews:

(i) the number of candidates representing various diversity categories considered or brought forward for Board positions; and (ii) the skills, knowledge, experience and character of candidates representing various diversity categories, to ensure that these candidates are being fairly considered relative to other candidates. The results of the Governance Committee's review are taken into account when identifying and nominating candidates for election or re-election to the Board. The Corporation's approach in circumstances where diverse candidates are not selected for Board positions is to satisfy itself that there are justifiable reasons to support the selection.

The board diversity policy includes a target that people who identify as women comprise at least 40% of the Board's directors and people who identify as visible minorities comprise at least 25% of the Board's directors by 2024. This year, five of the 12 director nominees identify as women, representing approximately 42% of the Board's composition, and two of the 12 director nominees identify as visible minorities, representing approximately 17% of the Board's composition. The board diversity policy does not currently specifically address, or include formal targets for, board representation of Indigenous peoples (being Indian, Inuit, Métis) or persons with disabilities* (together with women and visible minorities, the "designated groups" as defined under Article 3 of the *Employment Equity Act* (Canada)), as diversity is already an important factor that is considered in the director identification process, and ultimately it is the skills, experience, expertise, character and behavioral qualities of an individual that are most important in determining the value that an individual could bring to the Board. The Corporation will continue to monitor its level of board diversity and consider whether it would be appropriate to include specific reference to, or formal targets for, the representation of certain other diversity categories, including the designated groups, in the future.

The Corporation is committed to an inclusive and diverse workplace and recognizes that diversity is an important consideration in creating and maintaining an effective senior management team. The Corporation has a robust Diversity and Inclusion Framework that is put into practice with the involvement of hundreds of colleagues across the organization, including senior leaders. The Framework drives the Corporation's diversity priorities by creating resource groups, generating awareness and implementing activities that embed diversity principles into the culture of the organization at the deepest levels. A number of talent initiatives support the Corporation's diversity and inclusion activities, including diversity driven mentoring and recruiting practices and talent development strategies that ensure diversity is considered in the Corporation's talent development and succession planning process at various seniority levels, including at the senior management level. These programs were established to ensure that the Corporation's rich and diverse talent pool is supported and provided opportunities to grow their careers to the highest levels within the organization.

The Corporation has set formal targets that, by the end of 2024, (i) at least 40% of positions at the vice-president level or higher will be held by people who identify as women and at least 25% of such positions will be held by people who identify as visible minorities and (ii) at least 43% of other management positions (Senior Director, Director, Senior Manager, Manager, Store Manager, Assistant Store Manager and Distribution Centre Management) will be held by women and at least 30% of such positions will be held by people who identify as visible

minorities. The Corporation has not adopted targets in respect of other designated groups, as diversity is already an important factor that is considered in hiring and promoting senior management, and ultimately it is the skills, experience, expertise, character and behavioral qualities of an individual that are most important in determining the value that an individual could bring to the Corporation as a member of senior management. The Corporation will continue to monitor its level of diversity in senior management and consider whether it would be appropriate to adopt formal targets for the representation of certain other diversity categories, including the designated groups, in the future. The Corporation's approach in circumstances where diverse candidates are not selected for senior management positions is to satisfy itself that there are justifiable reasons to support the selection.

* "Persons with disabilities" means persons who have a long term or recurring physical, mental, sensory, psychiatric or learning impairment and who: (i) consider themselves to be disadvantaged in employment by reason of that impairment; or (ii) believe that an employer or potential employer is likely to consider them to be disadvantaged in employment by reason of that impairment. This definition also includes persons whose functional limitations owing to their impairment have been accommodated in their current job or workplace.

Diversity Survey Results

In early 2023, the Corporation surveyed the Board and senior management to determine the number and proportion of individuals that self-identified as belonging to one or more of the designated groups. Participation in the survey was voluntary and, as such, the results represent only those individuals who elected to participate and may not be entirely representative of the designated groups at the Board or senior management level.

The Corporation has five director nominees who identify as women, representing 42% of the nominees. Two director nominees identify as visible minorities, representing 17% of the nominees. No director nominees identify as Indigenous peoples. One director nominee identifies as a person with disabilities, representing 8% of the nominees.

The Corporation's senior management, which is comprised of 189 vice-president level positions and higher, includes: 74 individuals who identify as women, representing 39% of senior management; 53 individuals who identify as visible minorities, representing 28% of senior management; two individuals who identify as Indigenous peoples, representing 1% of senior management; and five individuals who identify as persons with disabilities, representing 3% of senior management. The Corporation's management (Senior Director, Director, Senior Manager, Manager, Store Manager, Assistant Store Manager and Distribution Centre Management), which is comprised of 7,335 individuals, includes: 3,307 individuals who identify as women, representing 45% of management; 2,142 individuals who identify as visible minorities, representing 29% of management; 48 individuals who identify as Indigenous peoples, representing less than 1% of management; and 45 individuals who identify as persons with disabilities, representing less than 1% of management.

The Corporation is committed to ensuring that it attracts and retains the most highly qualified and experienced directors and senior management and recognizes that diversity is an important consideration in creating and maintaining an effective Board and senior management team.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE MATTERS

Ethical Business Conduct

The Corporation's Code of Conduct reflects its commitment to high standards of ethical conduct and business practices. The Board annually reviews the Code to ensure it is current and reflects best practices in ethical business conduct and integrity and includes a strong "tone from the top" message. The Code addresses, among other things, conflicts of interest, compliance issues including compliance with laws, rules and regulations, confidentiality and fair dealing with the Corporation's shareholders, customers and suppliers and reporting of illegal or unethical behavior. All directors, officers and employees of the Corporation are required to comply with the Code and must acknowledge their commitment to abide by the Code on a periodic basis. The Audit Committee receives periodic reports on compliance. The Governance Committee also receives periodic reports from management discussing various policies and procedures that support this important area. Material issues under the Code are brought to the attention of the Audit Committee and, if appropriate, to the Board. A copy of the Code is available on the Corporation's website at www.loblaw.ca.

Senior management oversees the implementation of the Code, the education of employees regarding the Code and all material breaches. Senior management also reviews the Code annually to determine if it requires revision or enhancement, and if so, such revisions are reviewed with the Board.

The Code also deals with conflicts of interest. If an officer or employee has a conflict of interest with respect to any matter, that individual is required to bring the conflict to the attention of his or her manager or the Human Resources Department. If a director has a conflict of interest with respect to any matter, he or she may not participate in any discussion and is required to abstain from voting on it. The Code also addresses such matters as the protection of confidential information and the protection and proper use of the Corporation's assets to ensure cyber and information security.

The Corporation encourages the reporting of violations and potential violations of the Code and has established an Integrity Action Line (i.e. a "whistle-blower" program), accessible online and by toll-free phone number, which any employee or director may use to report conduct that they feel violates the Code or otherwise constitutes fraud or unethical conduct. The Integrity Action Line also extends to the Corporation's supplier network, encouraging the reporting of unethical practices, suspicious behaviour and suspected non-compliance with the

Corporation's policies and procedures. A fraud reporting protocol also ensures that fraud is reported to senior management in a timely manner. In addition, the Audit Committee has endorsed procedures for the anonymous receipt, retention and handling of complaints regarding accounting, internal controls and auditing matters. Reports are received periodically by the Audit Committee regarding any concerns reported through any of these procedures. These procedures are available at www.loblaw.ca. Senior management reports regularly to the Audit Committee regarding complaints received through the whistleblower procedures so that the Audit Committee can ensure that any complaints are handled appropriately.

The Corporation has a Supplier Code of Conduct that sets out the Corporation's expectations of its supplier community with respect to ethical conduct and social responsibilities. The Supplier Code of Conduct deals with such matters as labour practices, environmental practices and compliance with applicable laws.

The Corporation also has a corporate ethics framework. This framework is intended to guide the creation of common ethical values across the Corporation, with the goal of having an enterprise-wide mechanism to assist colleagues in making good decisions and prompting them to report unwanted behaviour. In conjunction with the creation of the ethics framework, the Corporation developed ethics objectives, which focus on communicating ethical values to colleagues and developing educational tools to assist colleagues in day-to-day ethical decision-making.

Environmental, Social and Governance

The Corporation strives to be a trusted brand and recognizes the important role it plays in bringing about positive environmental and social change and demonstrating robust corporate governance practices. As a multi-generational, family-owned company, as well as the largest retailer and private-sector employer in Canada, Loblaw is uniquely positioned to make an impact on the issues that matter most to Canadians. This perspective has been fundamental to Loblaw's purpose-led approach to addressing ESG issues, with a focus on two priorities where the Corporation can have the biggest impact: Fighting Climate Change and Advancing Social Equity.

Fighting Climate Change

Loblaw has been an industry leader on environmental action for decades and is extending this focus with an emphasis on further reducing green-house gas (GHG) emissions and eliminating waste from the business. The Corporation is committed to:

- Achieving Net-Zero Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions by 2040, and Scope 3 emissions by 2050;
- Adopting a science-based approach to reducing emissions across operations by 50% by 2030;
- Operating a zero emissions fleet by 2030;
- Reducing plastic waste by making all plastic packaging on all control brand products recyclable or reusable and implementing the Consumer Goods Forum's Golden Design Rules for these products and in-store packaging by 2025; and
- Sending zero food waste to landfill by 2030, and by the end of 2023, achieving measurable food waste reductions in every store.

In 2022, Loblaw:

- Completed a climate risk assessment which evaluated its risk exposure and opportunities across multiple climate scenarios.
- Published its inaugural TCFD-aligned report.
- Assessed over 10,000 control brand and in-store packaging products relative to the Golden Design Rules; Loblaw established 35% compliance and a plan to achieve 100% compliance by 2025.
- Achieved its commitment to have 100% of corporate, food franchise, and associate-owned SDM stores, and distribution centres
 actively donating to a food recovery agency.

Advancing Social Equity

Loblaw is committed to being Canada's most representative and inclusive employer, and to supporting the health of children and women as the building blocks of healthy communities. The Corporation is committed to:

- · Achieving industry-leading representation goals for management, executive management and the Board by 2024;
- Creating a ripple effect of inclusion and empathy in the communities in which it operates by deploying an inclusion training program to the Corporation's workforce of over 200,000 Canadians by the end of 2024;
- Supporting President's Choice Children's Charity (PCCC), Canada's top non-government provider of in-school children's nutrition programs, as PCCC seeks to raise \$150 million by 2027 and feed one million children a year by 2025;
- Helping feed more individuals and families in need, through food bank and food recovery programs both nationally and through stores; and
- Supporting the efforts of the LOVE YOU by Shoppers Drug Mart program to advance women's health through improved access to care, by contributing \$50 million over the next five years to advance the network of local community-based efforts and partners.

In 2022, Loblaw:

- Made progress in its representation commitment, with individuals who identify as women representing 39% of executive roles and 45% of management roles, and individuals who identify as visible minorities representing 28% of executive roles and 29% of management roles.
- Set ambitious new commitment to Feed More FamiliesTM, with a pledge to donate one billion pounds of food to charities by 2028.
- Raised and donated more than \$110 million to support research, charities and non-profits across Canada.
- Engaged ELEVATE, a third-party expert and leader in sustainability and supply chain services, on several workstreams related to human rights and responsible sourcing, including conducting Human Rights Due Diligence to assess procedures and policies across Loblaw's enterprise. Additional details on this work can be found at www.loblaw.ca/en/human-rights.
- To ensure increased transparency, published its Supply Chain Compliance Program.

Loblaw's long-standing commitment to sustainability and social impact, and its approach to addressing material ESG risks and opportunities, are driven by its purpose and its goal of creating long-term value for the business and communities in which it operates. This includes determining sustainable solutions; establishing measurable targets; and ensuring transparent disclosure, proactive stakeholder engagement and robust governance practices.

In addition, the Corporation has a robust corporate governance framework in place, elements of which are discussed in this Circular, including the section titled "Statement of Corporate Governance Practices". The Board oversees and monitors the Corporation's approach, policies and practices related to ESG matters. The ESG Steering Committee, comprised of senior leaders, is responsible for setting priorities, tracking metrics and championing program initiatives across the Corporation. Various management committees are responsible for setting priorities and implementing and monitoring ESG-related initiatives across the organization.

Additional statements, policies and disclosures pertaining to the Corporation's key initiatives and achievements are included on the Corporation's website at www.loblaw.ca, including its historical ESG Reports.

Human Rights at Loblaw

Loblaw recognizes its responsibility to respect and protect the human rights of all people who support and intersect with its business. Loblaw does not tolerate abuse, discrimination or harassment in any form. Through its formal policies, codes of conduct for colleagues and suppliers, comprehensive compliance standards and robust governance framework, Loblaw strives to uphold the rights of its customers, colleagues and employees, as well as the many workers across its supply chain. Loblaw's commitment to protecting human rights is founded upon a strong belief in doing what is right and a pledge to create a safe and inclusive experience across the Corporation's value chain.

In November 2020, Loblaw issued a statement, Our Position on Human Rights, which outlined its commitment to creating a safe and inclusive environment for all people in line with the UNGPs on Business Human Rights. Since then, the Corporation has continued to build its human rights program based on the feedback and key learnings from colleagues, customers, internal and external stakeholders, and investors. In 2022, Loblaw received shareholder proposals related to its human rights program and related public disclosures, including from the B.C. General Employees' Union General Fund and B.C. Government and Service Employees' Union Defence Fund ("BCGEU") regarding the Corporation's disclosure related to supplier audits. Loblaw engaged with its stakeholders and continued to advance its approach to human rights and provide more disclosure in this important area.

Update on the Approach to Human Rights

In 2022, Loblaw engaged ELEVATE, a third-party expert and leader in sustainability and supply chain services, on several workstreams related to human rights and responsible sourcing. As part of this engagement, ELEVATE was asked to conduct Human Rights Due Diligence to assess procedures and policies across the enterprise. While this work is ongoing, the Corporation is pleased to report the following:

- Current State Assessment & Gap analysis: Loblaw conducted an evaluation of how its current policies on human rights align with
 expectations outlined in the UNGPs and with best international and industry practices. The process included reviewing and updating
 existing policies, commitments, processes, and governance related to human rights and responsible sourcing in Loblaw's operations
 and its supply chain.
- Global benchmarking: Loblaw analyzed policies and human rights disclosures from recognized leaders and industry peers to ensure
 that its approach aligned with appropriate global benchmarks.
- Supply chain risk assessment: Loblaw conducted a risk assessment of the human rights impacts of various product categories based on sourcing data, geographies and commodities. This assessment will assist the Corporation in prioritizing future deep dives into select areas.
- Stakeholder engagement: Loblaw conducted interviews with internal and external stakeholders to obtain feedback on its current approach to human rights and to understand stakeholder expectations in this area.
- Identification of Salient Risks: Loblaw identified and prioritized its salient human rights risks to inform the next steps of its program.

 The Corporation engaged internal cross-functional leaders and subject matter experts to review the third-party supply chain risk

assessment and discuss geographic and commodity-based risks, ultimately aligning on a list of the Corporation's most salient human rights risks.

Salient risks are those having the highest potential impact to human rights because of the Corporation's activities or business relationships. As per UNGP guidance, in determining its salient risks the Corporation did not consider the mitigating steps it has already taken; instead, the assessment focused on the issues likely to be encountered due to the nature of Loblaw's business.

Through this process, Loblaw's management aligned on and disclosed the following five salient risks for the Corporation, which inform its ongoing work relating to protecting human rights and responsible sourcing:

- Forced labour: refers to situations in which persons are coerced to work using violence or intimidation, or by more subtle means such as accumulated debt, retention of identity papers, or threats of denunciation to immigration authorities.
- Child labour: refers to work that is mentally, physically, socially, or morally dangerous and harmful to children; and/or interferes with their schooling by: depriving them of the opportunity to attend school; obliging them to leave school prematurely or requiring them to attempt to combine school attendance with excessively long and difficult work.
- Discrimination, harassment, and abuse: includes unequal treatment, directly or indirectly, on various grounds including race, ethnicity, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, and birth or other status (such as sexual orientation or health status, for example having HIV/AIDS). Harassment and abuse include but are not limited to violence; corporal punishment; harsh or degrading treatment; sexual or physical harassment; mental, physical, verbal, or sexual abuse.
- Livelihoods: includes conditions related to maximum working hours, days off, fair wages, job security, social security, and benefits. The right to an adequate standard of living requires, at a minimum, that everyone shall enjoy the right to necessary subsistence: adequate food and nutrition, clothing, housing, and necessary conditions of care when required.
- Occupational health and safety: refers to the protection of workers from exposure to short- and long-term risks at work to reduce workplace injuries and illness and promote worker well-being.

Loblaw is committed to providing updates on its process to design and embed mitigation strategies in its business to address its salient risks and to disclose its plans and future progress on its approach to human rights.

Supply Chain Compliance

Loblaw has adopted a strict Supplier Code of Conduct that requires its vendors, as well as agents, brokers and other third parties who conduct business with Loblaw, to take the necessary steps to ensure they engage in responsible sourcing as part of their business activities or supply chains. In addition, Loblaw conducts audits on facilities it sources through that are designed to confirm that suppliers uphold the Supplier Code of Conduct.

Prior to commencing sourcing activities, Loblaw must audit factories, processing facilities, plants, farms, packing or other facilities outside of Canada and the U.S. that are going to produce, process, manufacture, grow, raise, package or pack (i) control brand products sourced by Loblaw, or (ii) products for which Loblaw is the Importer of Record. Once sourcing has begun, an audit of the working conditions of the facility must be conducted annually, and a fire, structural and safety assessment (if applicable) must be conducted every three years. In addition, facilities located in designated high-risk locations such as Southeast Asia, require a fire, structural and safety assessment to be conducted prior to Loblaw beginning to source from the facility.

These audits reinforce worker rights and safety by conducting reviews and assessments to ensure that, among other requirements: labour is voluntary; workers are properly compensated; workers are not exploited; facilities comply with employment standards (including minimum age); working hours are consistent with local laws and standards; and facilities meet health and safety laws and regulations.

Loblaw's facility audit compliance team is comprised of a core team in Toronto, supplemented by in-market teams in China, Bangladesh, Thailand, Vietnam, Cambodia, and India. Facility compliance audits are conducted by third-party experts using a best-practice audit framework. Where suppliers provide Loblaw with facility compliance audits using an acceptable global framework, Loblaw conducts an equivalency review to ensure the audit scope meets its standard.

If a facility audit identifies a compliance issue such as child labour, forced or bonded labour, or life-threatening health and safety situations, Loblaw suspends its relationship with that facility and/or supplier. Less severe infractions can also result in suspension. In both cases, Loblaw will work with suppliers to determine whether satisfactory remediation of the compliance issue is possible. Loblaw will terminate relationships with suppliers who are unable or unwilling to remediate non-compliance to the Corporation's satisfaction within a reasonable timeframe.

Human Rights Public Disclosure

Loblaw makes disclosure regarding its approach to human rights, in line with the UNGPs, and plans to provide its stakeholders with further information regarding how the Corporation is addressing key human rights related concerns. In particular, Loblaw's 2022 ESG report, expected

to be published in May 2023, will disclose further data regarding its supplier audit program, including the number of supplier audits performed. In addition, Loblaw expects to complete a Human Rights Impact Assessment in 2023, consistent with the UNGPs, and will publicly disclose its material findings. Loblaw's ESG disclosures are subject to robust internal controls and procedures for the collection, verification, and dissemination of information.

The Corporation is committed to upholding human rights for all people with whom it interacts and disclosure of its material plans, processes, controls and findings in relation to its human rights and responsible sourcing program. In 2023, Loblaw received a shareholder proposal from the BCGEU requesting further disclosure regarding how it applies the UNGPs to mitigate human rights risks. Following a constructive dialogue with the BCGEU, the proposal was withdrawn given the advancements in the Corporation's approach to human rights in 2022, its enhanced public disclosures during 2022, available at www.loblaw.ca/en/human-rights, and the Corporation's commitments regarding future human rights related disclosures, including in the "Human Rights at Loblaw" section on page 43 of this Circular and in the upcoming 2022 ESG Report, expected to be published in May 2023.

Disclosure Policy

The Corporation has adopted a corporate disclosure policy to deal with the timely dissemination of all material information. The disclosure policy establishes guidance for determining what information is material and how to ensure that all material information is publicly disclosed on a timely basis to avoid selective disclosure. The Board, directly and through its committees, reviews and approves the content of major disclosure documents, including annual and interim consolidated financial statements, the Annual Report, the Annual Information Form, Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Management Proxy Circular. The Corporation seeks to communicate to its shareholders through these documents as well as by means of news releases, its website and investor relations calls and meetings.

Disclosure Committee

A Disclosure Committee comprised of the Corporation's senior management oversees the Corporation's disclosure process as outlined in its disclosure policy. The Disclosure Committee's mandate includes ensuring that effective controls and procedures are in place to enable the Corporation to satisfy all of its continuous disclosure obligations including evaluating events to determine whether they give rise to material information that must be publicly disclosed and reviewing all disclosure documents before they are presented to the Audit Committee and the Board. In addition, the Disclosure Committee is responsible for ensuring that the policies and procedures contained in the Corporation's disclosure policy are in compliance with regulatory requirements.

The Corporation's website, www.loblaw.ca, sets out governance information, including the Code, disclosure policy and mandates of the Board and of its committees.

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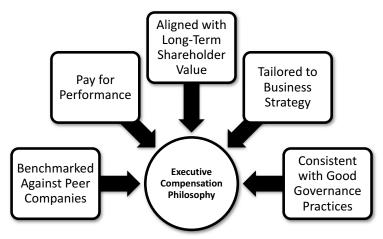
INTRODUCTION

This Compensation Discussion and Analysis describes the compensation programs of the NEOs. For 2022, the NEOs were:

Name	Position
Galen G. Weston	Chairman and President
Richard Dufresne	Chief Financial Officer
Robert Sawyer	Chief Operating Officer
Barry Columb	President, President's Choice Financial
Jeff Leger	President, SDM

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION PHILOSOPHY

The Corporation's executive compensation programs are designed to attract, retain and incent outstanding executives who are committed to improving the Corporation's performance and creating value for its shareholders. Five key principles underlie the Corporation's executive compensation programs, as set out below:



1. Benchmarked Against Peer Companies

Competitive compensation is important as it enables the Corporation to attract and retain talented and qualified individuals to lead the business. The Corporation has developed processes to ensure that its compensation programs are competitive with market and industry practices and support the attraction and retention of high quality executives. The Corporation periodically benchmarks compensation and incentive design relative to peer companies.

2. Pay for Performance

The Corporation structures its compensation programs to align executive compensation with the financial and strategic performance of the Corporation and the performance of its Common Shares. A significant portion of executive compensation is in the form of at-risk pay, namely STIP and LTIP compensation. This creates a performance-based corporate culture that rewards individual and team-based contributions to the achievement of the Corporation's operational and financial goals and aligns compensation with total return to shareholders. The at-risk components for the NEOs in 2022 ranged from 81.1% to 89.2% of their total direct compensation, as discussed under "Components of Executive Compensation for 2022" starting on page 53.

3. Aligned with Long-Term Shareholder Value

The Corporation structures its executive compensation programs to align the interests of its executives with those of its shareholders and other stakeholders. A significant portion of executive compensation takes the form of long-term equity-based awards. Structuring executive compensation in this manner rewards executives for the creation of sustainable, long-term shareholder value.

4. Tailored to Business Strategy

The Corporation believes that it should be flexible in applying its compensation programs to company and divisional needs. Incorporating appropriate flexibility into the design of the Corporation's incentive plans, such as in the design of performance measures in the STIP program, drives alignment at enterprise and divisional levels to key business and strategic objectives.

5. Consistent with Good Governance Practices

The Corporation structures its executive compensation programs to reward senior executives for the execution of business strategies while also taking an expected and reasonable level of risk. In 2022, the Corporation's STIP and LTIP programs were comprised of multiple performance measures to reduce the risk of executives focusing on a single performance measure.

EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION AND RISK MANAGEMENT

RISK MITIGATION PRACTICES

The Corporation has risk mitigation practices that include balanced incentive plans that are not focused on a single financial measure, a clawback policy for short- and long-term compensation, share ownership requirements for NEOs and other senior executives and trading restrictions and hedging prohibitions.

1. Incentive Plan Design

The Corporation's 2022 STIP and LTIP included a variety of performance measures, including share price appreciation, earnings, sales performance, ESG, earnings as a percentage of revenue, Overall Satisfaction ("OSAT"), return on capital, and an individual performance factor. Using multiple performance measures requires that the operating results of the Corporation and its operating businesses outperform in all key metrics in order for executives to achieve the maximum compensation award. This balanced approach is intended to reduce the risk of a disproportionate focus by executives on any single aspect of the business for the sole purpose of increasing their compensation.

Short-term incentives are designed to focus executives on the key drivers of the operating businesses and on value creation over both the short term and long term and, as such, minimize the likelihood of inappropriate or excessive risk-taking. The Corporation's STIP has a maximum payout level that limits the amount that an executive can be paid, thereby limiting the incentive to take excessive risk.

As part of its annual review process, the Governance Committee reviews stress testing of the STIP design to illustrate the payouts under various scenarios. The testing is intended to ensure that the performance shoulders (i.e. threshold to target to maximum) are set appropriately, such that performance levels are achievable with significant effort but without taking excessive risk.

The Governance Committee also carefully considers the sharing of profit between the Corporation's management and its shareholders in various performance scenarios. The affordability of payouts in different performance scenarios and the portion of profit that is allocated to employees and to shareholders provide comfort around the reasonableness and affordability of STIP payouts in light of performance achieved. The Governance Committee reviews the five year history of the Corporation's STIP performance and its correlation to key financial performance measures over this period. The stress testing and look back analyses are used to evaluate and confirm the reasonableness and affordability of the STIP payout results.

A significant portion of executive compensation is allocated to long-term incentives to focus executives on sustainable value creation. The Corporation's objective is to design incentive plans that do not motivate executives to take excessive or unexpected risks given the potential negative impacts on the long-term equity components of their compensation. The Governance Committee also requires that a sensitivity analysis be performed prior to any increase in an NEO's incentive compensation to ensure that the potential payouts are evaluated in the context of the Corporation's long-term plan and anticipated share price performance.

The Governance Committee regularly reviews each compensation plan and has the ability to make adjustments to incentive awards and actual payouts, as appropriate.

2. Clawback Policy

The Corporation has a clawback policy for STIP and LTIP payments for certain senior executives, including the NEOs. Under the policy, the Corporation can require an executive to repay STIP and LTIP payouts if the executive engages in misconduct that results in the need for the restatement of financial results. The clawback policy also provides that the Governance Committee may, in its discretion, claw back an executive's STIP and LTIP payouts if the executive engages in misconduct that would justify the executive's termination for just cause. The clawback policy applies to all incentive payments received by the executive over the two most recently completed years.

3. Share Ownership Requirements

Senior executives are required to maintain a significant equity investment in the Corporation. The Corporation's Executive Share Ownership Policy is designed to align executives' interests with those of the Corporation's shareholders, and to mitigate the likelihood of undue risk taking. The Policy establishes minimum share ownership levels for executives which are set at a multiple of an executive's base salary, with the multiple increasing to reflect the level and responsibility of an executive.

The Corporation imposes a mandatory hold period requiring the Chairman and President to maintain his required share ownership level for one year following the end of his employment.

Senior executives, including NEOs, are subject to a mandatory holding requirement that requires an executive subject to the Policy to retain 50% of any after-tax proceeds received on the payout of RSUs or PSUs or an exercise of stock options in Common Shares until such executive's ownership level has been met. The Policy applies to a broad group of senior management, as further discussed under Executive Share Ownership Policy on page 66.

4. Trading Restrictions and Hedging Prohibitions

Directors, officers, executives, employees and certain other designated persons are subject to the Corporation's Securities Trading Policy, which prohibits trading, directly or indirectly, in the securities of Weston, Loblaw or Choice Properties while in possession of material undisclosed information. The Securities Trading Policy also prohibits informing unauthorized persons of such information and recommending or encouraging others to trade in the companies' securities while in possession of material undisclosed information.

Hedging transactions involving the securities of Weston, Loblaw or Choice Properties are prohibited. The prohibition covers transactions such as prepaid variable forward contracts, short sales, puts or calls, equity swaps or other equity monetization transactions, that are designed to hedge or offset a decrease in the market value of securities of Weston, Loblaw or Choice Properties.

The Corporation has regularly scheduled quarterly closed trading windows which include the period during each fiscal quarter when the Corporation's financial results are being compiled but not released to the public. Directors and executive officers must not trade in the securities or exercise options of Weston, Loblaw or Choice Properties outside prescribed open trading windows.

ROLE OF MANAGEMENT AND COMPENSATION CONSULTANTS

ROLE OF MANAGEMENT IN THE COMPENSATION AND EVALUATION PROCESS

In 2022, the Chairman and President participated in the compensation design process, evaluated the performance of key senior executives and made recommendations to the Governance Committee with respect to the compensation of the other NEOs and the specific business goals to be used as performance targets for the various incentive programs. The views of the Chairman and President are valued because of his ongoing involvement with key senior executives. As a result, he is in the best position to effectively assess the performance of the NEOs, other than himself, and how each NEO's efforts have contributed to the achievement of the Corporation's strategic objectives and operational targets.

These evaluations are based on the achievement of objectives and targets related to both the individual and the Corporation and include an assessment of leadership capabilities and team development. The results of these evaluations are presented to the Governance Committee. The Executive Vice President, and Chief Human Resources Officer assists the Chairman and President in developing and presenting to the Governance Committee management's recommendations and supporting material regarding the design of the incentive plans and the compensation of the other senior executives.

COMPARATIVE MARKET DATA

Comparative market data is one factor used in setting the compensation of each NEO. Other factors include the scope of the role, individual performance and experience, leadership ability, internal equity among executives and the operating results of the business or area for which the NEO has responsibility. From time to time, the Governance Committee uses benchmarking or comparisons of compensation programs from a peer group of companies to confirm that the Corporation's programs remain competitive. See the discussion below under the heading "Compensation Comparator Group" for a detailed description of the comparator group. When performing compensation reviews, the Governance Committee has determined that its compensation positioning should be targeted within a competitive range of the 50th percentile (median) of the Corporation's comparator group based on target total direct compensation, which is comprised of base salary, short-term and long-term compensation targeted amounts.

ROLE OF MERIDIAN COMPENSATION PARTNERS

In 2022, the Boards of both Loblaw and Weston engaged Meridian to update Meridian's 2020 benchmarking regarding Mr. Weston's compensation relative to the updated Weston and Loblaw comparator groups approved by the Weston and Loblaw Governance Committees in May 2022. The results of the 2022 review provided that Mr. Weston's total direct compensation was below the market median and Loblaw's compensation policy objective. For a description of the resulting changes to Mr. Weston's compensation, please see the section "2022 Compensation Decisions Regarding the Named Executive Officers".

In early 2022, the Boards of both Loblaw and Weston engaged Meridian to benchmark Mr. Dufresne's compensation against the Loblaw and Weston comparator groups and certain other industry data given Mr. Dufresne's unique dual role. The results of the 2022 review provided that Mr. Dufresne's total direct compensation was comparable to the applicable benchmarks and therefore no change to his compensation was recommended.

In 2022, Meridian was also retained by Loblaw to review and benchmark the compensation of Mr. Columb relative to certain Canadian financial/banking industry data. In 2022 Meridian was also engaged to review management's philosophy for peer group development and

senior executive competitive benchmarking and to review the comparator group used for this purpose. Meridian was also retained by Loblaw to review and benchmark the compensation of certain other senior executives, relative to Loblaw's executive compensation comparator group. Meridian was also engaged to assist in evaluating the competitiveness of the Corporation's STIP and LTIP against its peers and industry, as well as for alignment with the Corporation's growth- and efficiency-focused strategic initiatives.

Meridian is not an independent compensation advisor. In 2022 and 2021, Meridian received \$122,806 and \$118,574, respectively, from the Corporation for advisory services to the Corporation.

The Governance Committee regularly evaluates whether to formally retain an independent compensation advisor to assist in compensation matters. As part of its annual assessment of governance practices, the Governance Committee determined that it did not require the services of an independent compensation advisor in 2022 or 2021.

ROLE OF OTHER COMPENSATION CONSULTANT PARTNERS

In 2022, Willis Towers Watson was engaged to provide consulting services on various executive compensation matters. Willis Towers Watson is not an independent compensation advisor. For 2022 and 2021, Willis Towers Watson received \$114,369 and \$32,232, respectively, from the Corporation for advisory services to the Corporation.

COMPENSATION COMPARATOR GROUP

In addition to its periodic review of individual executive compensation, in 2022 Meridian was also engaged to review management's philosophy for peer group development and senior executive competitive benchmarking and to review the comparator group used for this purpose. The results of the review reaffirmed Loblaw's approach to setting a market peer group. Meridian confirmed that, although the peer group remained size and industry appropriate, specific updates were necessary in order to better reflect a comparable peer group based on availability of compensation data and change in business focus.

Determining a comparator group to benchmark NEO compensation is challenging in light of Loblaw's presence in the Canadian market as one of the largest companies in Canada by revenue and number of employees. Loblaw also has a limited number of direct retail peers in Canada and there are few large, Canadian companies outside of the financial services and resource-based industries against which Loblaw may easily compare.

The Governance Committee approved a blended comparator group comprised of three types of companies: (i) Canadian retail companies; (ii) US retail companies; and (iii) large (non-retail) Canadian companies. The US retail companies reflect the broader retail talent market and are direct competitors for talent at the senior executive level. The large Canadian companies were selected to reflect how Canadian companies pay executives for their skill set and experience. Most of the comparators listed below are within one-third to three times Loblaw's revenue size. Revenue was selected as the criterion for members of each comparator group because it is generally a stronger and more predictive measure for compensation comparisons for a retail company than other criteria (e.g. assets or market capitalization). Loblaw was positioned at the 59th percentile based on revenue and at the 40th percentile based on market capitalization of this blended comparator group in 2022.

The group of comparator companies is set out below:

Canadian Retail Companies	US Retail Companies	Large Canadian Companies		
Alimentation Couche-Tard Inc. Canadian Tire Corporation, Limited Empire Company Limited Metro Inc.	Albertsons Companies, Inc. Best Buy Co Inc. Costco Wholesale Corporation Dollar General Corp. Dollar Tree Inc. The Home Depot, Inc. The Kroger Co. Lowe's Companies, Inc. Publix Super Markets, Inc. Rite Aid Corporation Sysco Corporation Target Corporation Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc. US Foods Holdings Corp.	BCE Inc. Brookfield Asset Management Inc. Canadian Natural Resources Limited Cenovus Energy Inc. Enbridge Inc. Imperial Oil Limited	Nutrien Ltd. Parkland Corporation Power Corporation of Canada Rogers Communications Inc. Suncor Energy Inc. TELUS Corporation	

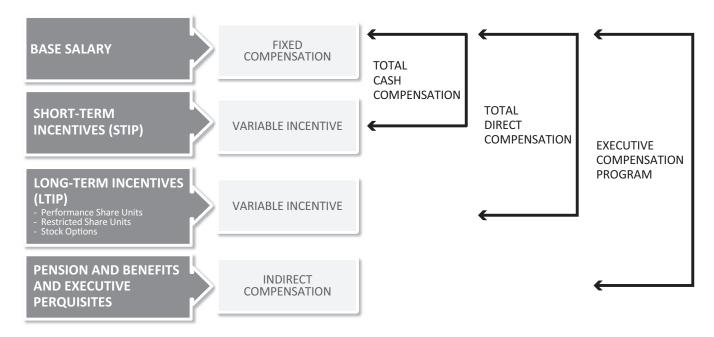
2022 COMPENSATION ANALYSIS

The Governance Committee reviews the compensation of the NEOs on a bi-annual basis. In 2022, the Governance Committee reviewed the results of the compensation analysis performed by Meridian, which results were considered when making decisions regarding NEO compensation.

COMPONENTS OF COMPENSATION

SUMMARY OF THE COMPONENTS OF COMPENSATION

The Corporation's executive compensation program is comprised of the elements described in this Compensation Discussion and Analysis, as summarized below:



OVERVIEW OF COMPONENTS

In 2022 NEO compensation was comprised principally of base salary, short-term cash incentives (which executives may elect to receive in the form of Executive Deferred Share Units ("EDSUs")) and long-term incentives (RSUs, PSUs and stock options) as described in the table that follows. Benefits, pensions and perquisites comprise a relatively small part of an NEO's total annual compensation.

Base Salary	Short-Term Incentives	Long-Term Incentives	Pension and Benefits	Perquisites
fulfilling their day- to-day	annual financial and/or operating	for increasing shareholder value	their health and retirement	Provide additional benefits to executives that are competitive with market practice

Components		Form	Period	Program Objectives and Details
Fixed Compensation	Base Salary	Cash	Annual	Reflects the executive's level of responsibility and experience, market competitiveness, internal equity among executives and the executive's overall performance.
	Short-Term Incentive Plan (STIP)	Cash	Annual	Each executive has a target annual bonus (% of base salary). Actual payout is determined by the achievement of predetermined financial and/or operating performance objectives and the individual performance of each NEO. Payouts generally range from zero to a maximum of 200% of an executive's target bonus.
		EDSUs (Elective)	Annual election; EDSUs held until cessation of employment	Each executive can choose to receive all or a portion of the executive's STIP payout in the form of EDSUs, to a cumulative maximum of three times the executive's base salary. Align executives' interests with those of shareholders and count towards the Executive Share Ownership Policy. EDSUs are settled in Common Shares purchased on the open market no later than December 15 th of the year following the year in which the executive's employment ceases for any reason. EDSU Plan provides for the crediting of additional EDSUs in respect of dividends paid on Common Shares for the period when an EDSU is outstanding. Dividend EDSUs vest at the same time as EDSUs.
Ir		RSUs	3 year vesting period	Motivate and reward executives for increasing shareholder value. Serve as a key component in retaining executives. RSU grants are generally made once per year. RSUs typically comprise one-third of the total value of annual LTIP grants to executives. RSUs are settled in Common Shares purchased on the open market at the end of the applicable vesting period. RSU Plan provides for the crediting of additional RSUs in respect of dividends paid on Common Shares for the period when a RSU is outstanding. Dividend RSUs vest at the end of the applicable vesting period.
	Long-Term Incentive Plan (LTIP)	PSUs	3 year performance period	Motivate and reward executives for increasing shareholder value. PSU grants are generally made once per year. PSUs typically comprise one-third of the total value of annual LTIP grants to executives. PSU vesting is based on the Corporation's success in achieving revenue and return on capital targets. The overall number of PSUs that vest at the end of a performance period ranges from 0% to 200% of the initial grant. PSUs are settled in Common Shares purchased on the open market at the end of the applicable performance period. PSU Plan provides for the crediting of additional PSUs in respect of dividends paid on Common Shares for the period when a PSU is outstanding. Dividend PSUs vest at the same time and based on the same performance factor as the PSUs.
		Stock Options	5 year vesting period (20% per year); 7 year term	Motivate and reward executives for increasing share price. Stock option grants are generally made once per year. Stock options typically comprise one-third of the total value of annual LTIP grants to executives.
Benefits	Group health, o		Employment and post- employment	Executive benefit plans provide health, dental, disability and insurance coverage.
	Weston Group Executive Plan "Consolidated Plan") - Define Provisions	(the Executive	Post-employment	The defined benefit provisions of the Consolidated Executive Plan are designed to provide a reasonable level of retirement income to executives to reward them for their service. Pension entitlements for an executive who participates in the defined benefit provisions of the Consolidated Executive Plan are based on length of service and eligible salary. The total annual benefits payable under the defined benefit provisions of the Consolidated Executive Plan are capped at \$125,000 per year. The defined benefit provisions of the Consolidated Executive Plan were closed to new participants in 2006.
Pensions	Consolidated Executive Plan - Post-emp Defined Contribution Provisions		Post-employment	Since 2006, new executives participate on a non-contributory basis in the defined contribution provisions of the Consolidated Executive Plan. Contributions were set as a percentage of base salary (maximum of \$250,000) and in 2022 were capped at \$30,780 per year.
	Supplemental I Retirement Pla		Post-employment	The SERP is an unfunded obligation of the Corporation. Senior executives of the Corporation whose pension benefits exceed the prescribed limits under the applicable tax legislation may participate in the SERP on a non-contributory basis if they comply with certain eligibility provisions.
Perquisites	Cash allowance reimbursemen professional services		Annual	A limited number of personal benefits are provided, including use of a car or car allowance, an annual medical examination and a discretionary health care spending account and the ability to participate in the employee share ownership plan.

COMPONENTS OF EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION FOR 2022

BASE SALARY

Base salaries for the NEOs are set on an individual basis and not within formal salary ranges, taking into account the level of responsibility and experience, market competitiveness, internal equity among executives and the executive's overall performance both individually and in relation to the executive's business unit or division. The Governance Committee reviews the base salary of each NEO bi-annually. The Governance Committee may make adjustments to an NEO's salary as a result of a change in the NEO's duties and responsibilities, or in the performance and contribution of the NEO, both on an individual basis and in relation to the performance of the NEO's business unit or division.

The following table sets out the base salary for each NEO for 2022. For further details with respect to the reasons for any increase in annualized base salary from 2021, refer to the section titled "2022 Compensation Decisions Regarding the Named Executive Officers" starting on page 67.

Name	2022 Annualized Base Salary (\$)	Increase From 2021 (%)
Galen G. Weston	945,000 ⁽¹⁾	8.7 ⁽¹⁾
Richard Dufresne	760,000 ⁽²⁾	Nil
Robert Sawyer	1,000,000	Nil
Barry Columb	650,000	4.0
Jeff Leger	650,000	4.0

⁽¹⁾ Mr. Weston's 2022 aggregate actual base salary of \$1,296,000 was allocated 30% to Weston and 70% to Loblaw. In aggregate, Weston paid \$388,800 and Loblaw paid \$907,200 in 2022.

SHORT-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

All NEOs participate in the Loblaw STIP. For 2022, the STIP was designed so that NEOs would be focused on key drivers of the Loblaw and SDM businesses, with an additional focus on ESG. The STIP program is designed to incent executives, including the NEOs, to meet certain annual business and financial objectives. Each fiscal year, the performance of the executives is measured by the achievement of specific financial and operational goals, which may vary from year to year. The Governance Committee believes that the STIP program is balanced as it is comprised of various performance measures that are designed to focus executives on the key drivers of the operating businesses and value creation over both the short term and long term and, therefore, reduce the risk of inappropriate or excessive risk-taking behaviour by executives.

The Governance Committee is responsible for approving the plan design and awards made by the Corporation pursuant to the STIP. The Governance Committee receives periodic reports on the performance of the STIP metrics, including performance against targets.

All participating executives have STIP award targets that are expressed as a percentage of their base salary, with such targets determined by the executive's position and level within the organization. Depending on actual performance relative to the performance targets, payouts for each performance target range from zero to a maximum of 200% of target for each component of the STIP, with a maximum payout under the STIP of 200%.

The 2022 STIP also included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of each NEO's overall STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account the executive's role in the overall achievement of the Corporation's goals, as well as the individual performance objectives and leadership qualities of the executive. The overall STIP design for Messrs. Weston and Dufresne, was determined by the Governance Committees of the Corporation and Weston, to reflect their respective responsibilities at both organizations.

Under the STIP, awards are determined separately for each performance measure and then aggregated to determine the final amount. The STIP award payments are made in cash, although executives may elect to receive all or a portion of their STIP award in EDSUs, to a cumulative maximum of three times the executive's base salary.

⁽²⁾ Mr. Dufresne's 2022 aggregate actual base salary of \$950,000 was allocated 20% to Weston and 80% to Loblaw. In the aggregate, Weston paid \$190,000 and Loblaw paid \$760,000 in 2022.

STIP awards are determined using the formula set out below.



Plan Design

The STIP is designed to incent executives to achieve the Corporation's overall business plan and strategic objectives, while maintaining a strong focus on compliance. At the beginning of each fiscal year, the Governance Committee establishes the STIP design, including specific business performance measures, weightings and targets. In determining the performance measures, weightings, targets and payout ranges for each fiscal year, the Governance Committee takes into account the key components of the Corporation's annual business plan, budget and strategic objectives. Following year end, the Governance Committee reviews the financial results of the Corporation against the performance targets and considers, in its judgment, whether any adjustments are required to account for unexpected events during the year.

As part of its annual review process, the Governance Committee reviews stress testing of the STIP design to illustrate the payouts under various scenarios. The testing is intended to ensure that the performance shoulders (i.e. threshold to target to maximum) are set appropriately, such that performance levels are achievable with significant effort and without taking excessive risk.

The Governance Committee also carefully considers the sharing of profit between the Corporation's management and its shareholders in various performance scenarios. The affordability of payouts in light of actual performance is important to understand as it relates to the portion of profit that is allocated to employees and to shareholders. Analysis of the respective allocation of profits between the Corporation's management and its shareholders provides context that supports the reasonableness and affordability of STIP payouts in light of performance achieved. The Governance Committee reviews the five year history of the Corporation's STIP performance and its correlation to key financial performance measures over this period. The stress testing and look back analyses are used to evaluate and confirm the reasonableness and affordability of the STIP payout results.

The following table sets forth details regarding the STIP targets and maximum aggregate STIP awards for each NEO:

Name	Base Salary ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	STIP Target as Percentage of Base Salary (%)	STIP Target (\$)	Maximum STIP ⁽²⁾ (\$)
Galen G. Weston	945,000 ⁽³⁾	160	1,408,904	2,817,808
Richard Dufresne	760,000 ⁽⁴⁾	125	950,000	1,900,000
Robert Sawyer	1,000,000	150	1,500,000	3,000,000
Barry Columb	650,000 ⁽⁵⁾	100	643,836	1,287,672
Jeff Leger	650,000	100	650,000	1,300,000

^{(1) 2022} STIP awards are calculated using each NEO's STIP-eligible salary for 2022. The STIP-eligible salaries for Messrs. Dufresne, Sawyer and Leger were the same as their base salaries; the STIP-eligible salaries for Messrs. Weston and Columb are described in footnotes (3) and (5).

⁽²⁾ Maximum STIP awards are presented above based on a maximum STIP payout achievable of 200% of target.

⁽³⁾ Mr. Weston's 2022 aggregate actual base salary of \$1,296,000 was allocated 30% to Weston and 70% to Loblaw. In aggregate, Weston paid \$388,800 and Loblaw paid \$907,200 in 2022. Mr. Weston's aggregate STIP target from Weston and Loblaw was \$2,012,322 in 2022, and his aggregate maximum STIP was \$3,934,131. Mr. Weston's STIP-eligible salary from Loblaw was \$907,511.

⁽⁴⁾ Mr. Dufresne's 2022 aggregate actual base salary of \$950,000 was allocated 20% to Weston and 80% to Loblaw. In the aggregate, Weston paid \$190,000 and Loblaw paid \$760,000 in 2022. Mr. Dufresne's aggregate STIP target from Weston and Loblaw was \$1,187,500 in 2022, and his aggregate maximum STIP was \$2,339,375.

⁽⁵⁾ Mr. Columb received an increase to his base salary effective April 1, 2022. His actual base salary received for 2022 was \$643,750 and his STIP-eligible salary was \$643,836.

2022 STIP Performance Measures

In 2022, the STIP was designed so that NEOs would be focused on key drivers of the Loblaw and SDM businesses, with an additional focus on ESG. The STIP was designed with the following five business performance measures, weightings and targets to drive the Corporation's strategic goals in 2022:



⁽¹⁾ Business Performance Measures applicable to Messrs. Weston, Dufresne, Sawyer and Leger. For the Business Performance Measures applicable to Mr. Columb, which include measures specific to President's Choice Financial, please see the section "2022 STIP Performance Measures Applicable to Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial".

Descriptions of each performance measure and charts summarizing performance ranges and payout percentages are set forth below:

Consolidated Sales Target

The consolidated sales target for 2022 (\$52,964 million) was designed to focus executives on growth in consolidated revenues, including the consolidation of franchises. The consolidated sales target included a qualifier such that performance would be capped at 100% if year-over-year adjusted tonnage share, normalized for change in square footage, declined more than five basis points.

		Threshold		Target		Maximum
Performance Range	Less than \$51,905 million	\$51,905 million	Each additional 0.20% (\$105.9 million)	\$52,964 million	Each additional 0.20% (\$105.9 million)	\$54,023 million or more
Payout Factor (% of Target)	0%	50%	+5%	100%	+10%	200%

Consolidated Earnings Target

The consolidated earnings target for 2022 (\$4,262 million) was designed to focus executives on delivering adjusted earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization ("Adjusted EBITDA")* pursuant to Loblaw's and SDM's combined annual and multi-year business plans. Adjusted EBITDA, as referred to in relation to Loblaw's 2022 STIP target, includes certain further adjustments, in addition to those noted in section 17, "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" of the 2022 MD&A. For 2022, the consolidated earnings target included a qualifier that in order to be eligible for above target achievement, year over year Adjusted EBITDA growth must be positive and target Adjusted EBITDA must be achieved.

		Threshold		Target		Maximum
Performance Range	Less than \$4,155 million	\$4,155 million	Each additional 0.25% (\$10.7 million)	\$4,262 million	Each additional 0.5% (\$21.3 million)	\$4,475 million or more
Payout Factor (% of Target)	0%	50%	+5%	100%	+10%	200%

^{*}Non-GAAP financial measure. Please see note in the "Other Information" section of this Circular.

ESG

The ESG target for 2022 was designed to focus executives on continuing to drive higher levels of corporate social responsibility across the business. Achievement of the ESG metric was determined based in equal part on social and environmental initiatives. The social initiatives related to representation (meeting or exceeding gender and diversity representation goals), Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) training (provided to corporate colleagues), and community investment (increased support for women's health and fighting childhood hunger). The environmental initiatives related to carbon (progress toward Net Zero Carbon footprint by 2040), food waste (progress toward eliminating all food waste to landfill by 2030), and plastic (reduce plastic waste and improve packaging). If Loblaw achieved its ESG target, then to the extent that the combined performance of the consolidated sales, consolidated earnings, EBIT margin and consolidated OSAT targets exceeded 100%, the same combined performance factor would be applied to the ESG metric. To the extent that the ESG target was not met, any performance payout for the ESG metric would be at the discretion of the Governance Committee.

⁽²⁾ OSAT refers to the customer satisfaction index, Overall Satisfaction.

Initiative	Target
Social - Representation	Yes/No achievement
Social - DEI Training	Yes/No achievement
Social - Community Investment	Yes/No achievement
Environment - Carbon	Yes/No achievement
Environment - Food Waste	Yes/No achievement
Environment - Plastic	Yes/No achievement

EBIT Margin Target

The EBIT margin* target is determined by calculating Adjusted EBIT** as a percentage of revenue. Adjusted EBIT, as referenced in relation to Loblaw's 2022 STIP targets, includes certain further adjustments in addition to those noted in the 2022 MD&A. The EBIT margin target was designed to measure management's ability to translate revenue into profitability. The EBIT margin measure aligns with the increased focus on data benefits along with ongoing process and efficiency initiatives. The target for 2022 was 6.75%*.

		Threshold		Target		Maximum
Performance Range	Lower than 6.50%	6.50%	Each 2.5 basis point improvement	6.75%	Each 5.0 basis point improvement	7.25% or higher
Payout Factor (% of Target)	0%	50%	+5%	100%	+10%	200%

^{*}Non-GAAP financial measure. See the note in the "Other Information" section of this Circular.

Overall Satisfaction Target

The enterprise-wide customer satisfaction index, OSAT, is a direct measure of customer interaction in-store. The OSAT target for 2022 (66.1%) was designed to focus executives on customer satisfaction in the short term to drive loyalty in the longer term. The 2022 target and performance range were developed with the target representing a proposed improvement of 60 basis points in the Corporation's OSAT compared to the 2021 OSAT.

		Threshold		Target		Maximum
Performance Range	Less than 62.6%	62.6%	Each 0.35% improvement	66.1%	Each 0.35 % improvement	69.6%
Payout Factor (% of Target)	0%	50%	+5%	100%	+10%	200%

2022 Loblaw STIP Calculation

In February 2023, the Governance Committee reviewed Loblaw's 2022 financial results. Following the review, the Loblaw 2022 STIP payout was approved as follows:

Performance Objective	Weighting (%)	Target	Actual	Performance	Payout Factor (% of Target)
Consolidated Sales	35	\$52,964 million	\$56,504 million	200.0 %	70.0 %
Consolidated Earnings	35	\$4,262 million	\$4,593 million	200.0 %	70.0 %
ESG	10	Established targets	Targets Achieved	179.7 %	18.0 %
EBIT Margin	10	6.75 %	6.92 %	133.6 %	13.4 %
Overall Satisfaction	10	66.1 %	65.1 %	85.7 %	8.6 %
Overall STIP Payout					179.9 %

Key Factors Influencing Results

Early in 2023, the Governance Committee reviewed the Corporation's 2022 financial results and determined the key factors contributing to each component's performance relative to target, as set out below:

- Consolidated sales exceeded target, driven by strong growth in the food and drug businesses.
- Consolidated earnings exceeded target, driven by focused cost control measures.
- EBIT margin was favourable relative to target, driven by gross profit rate improvement and operating leverage.

^{**}Non-GAAP financial measure. See the note in the "Other Information" section of this Circular and section 17 of the 2022 MD&A.

In 2022, the Corporation continued to focus on its ESG initiatives, including the completion of numerous projects targeting fighting climate change, including carbon footprint reduction, elimination of food waste and reduction of plastic waste, and projects advancing social equity, including representation targets, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion training and community investment.

2022 STIP Performance Measures Applicable to Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial

For 2022, the STIP for Mr. Columb, as President of President's Choice Financial, was designed so that Mr. Columb would be focused on both the strategy and performance of President's Choice Financial, as well as the integration of the President's Choice Financial business with that of the Corporation, with an ongoing focus on ESG and compliance. The STIP for Mr. Columb was based on sales, earnings, ESG and OSAT measures that included both President's Choice Financial and Loblaw consolidated components, as well as the Loblaw EBIT margin measure. For Mr. Columb's target STIP, 60% is based on President's Choice Financial components and 40% is based on Loblaw consolidated components.

The STIP for the President of President's Choice Financial was designed with the following business performance measures and overall weightings to drive the strategic goals of the Corporation and President's Choice Financial in 2022:

2022 STIP - Business Performance Measures Applicable to the President, President's Choice Financial President's **ESG OSAT** Choice Financial Sales Earnings 10% 5% 10% 60% 35% Loblaw Sales **Earnings ESG EBIT Margin OSAT** 40% 10% 15% 5% 5% 5%

Descriptions of the performance measures applicable to Mr. Columb are set forth below:

Loblaw Components

The components of the business performance measures applicable to Mr. Columb that are comprised of Loblaw performance measures, including performance ranges, payout percentages and factors influencing results, are all as set out above. The final payout factors for the Loblaw components for Mr. Columb differ slightly due to their different weightings within his overall STIP.

President's Choice Financial Sales Target

The President's Choice Financial sales target for 2022 (\$1,373 million) was designed to focus President's Choice Financial executives on revenue growth.

President's Choice Financial Earnings Target

The President's Choice Financial earnings target for 2022 (\$160 million) was designed to focus President's Choice Financial executives on delivering earnings before tax pursuant to President's Choice Financial's annual and multi-year business plan.

President's Choice Financial ESG Target

The President's Choice Financial ESG target for 2022 was designed to focus President's Choice Financial executives on President's Choice Financial's ongoing commitment to compliance, regulatory and social metrics. Achievement of the following initiatives would result in a payout of 100% in respect of the President's Choice Financial ESG target: (i) no or only minor issues as determined through President's Choice Financial's risk appetite statement; (ii) achieving an overall regulatory compliance rating of medium or better; and (iii) an increase in representation of persons who identify as Indigenous peoples or persons with disabilities, and on-time completion of mandatory DEI training. If President's Choice Financial achieved its ESG targets, then to the extent that the combined sales and earnings performance of the Corporation and President's Choice Financial exceeded target, the same combined performance factor would be applied to the ESG metric. To the extent that the ESG targets were not met, any performance payout for the ESG metric would be at the discretion of President's Choice Financial's Governance Committee.

President's Choice Financial Overall Satisfaction Target

The President's Choice customer satisfaction index, OSAT, is a direct measure of customer interactions. The President's Choice Financial OSAT target for 2022 (65%) was designed to focus executives on customer satisfaction in the short term to drive loyalty in the longer term. The President's Choice Financial OSAT strategic pursuit is a blended score weighted 60% to President's Choice Financial OSAT results and 40% to The Mobile Shop OSAT results.

2022 STIP Calculation applicable to the President of President's Choice Financial

In February 2023, the Governance Committee reviewed the 2022 financial results. Following the review, the aggregate payout factor for Mr. Columb was approved at 137.2% of target. The Governance Committees assessed the 2022 performance measures applicable to the President of President's Choice Financial as follows:

Performance Objective	Weighting (%)	Target	Actual	Performance	Payout Factor (% of Target)
PCF Sales	10	\$1,373 million	\$1,337 million	86.9 %	8.7 %
PCF Earnings	35	\$160 million	\$158 million	93.8 %	32.8 %
PCF ESG	5	Established Targets	Targets Achieved	132.7 %	6.6 %
PCF Overall Satisfaction	10	65 %	68.2 %	191.4 %	19.1 %
Loblaw Consolidated Sales	10	\$52,964 million	\$56,504 million	200.0 %	20.0 %
Loblaw Consolidated Earnings	15	\$4,262 million	\$4,593 million	200.0 %	30.0 %
Loblaw ESG	5	Established targets	Targets Achieved	179.7 %	9.0 %
Loblaw EBIT Margin	5	6.75 %	6.92 %	133.6 %	6.7 %
Loblaw Overall Satisfaction	5	66.1 %	65.1 %	85.7 %	4.3 %
Overall STIP Payout					137.2 %

Key Factors Influencing President's Choice Financial Results

Early in 2023, the President's Choice Financial Governance Committee reviewed President's Choice Financial's 2022 financial results and determined the key factors that contributed to President's Choice Financial's performance relative to its targets, including:

- sales and earnings results were below target leading to performance payouts of 86.9% and 93.8% of target, respectively; and
- ESG targets were surpassed and customer Overall Satisfaction levels were above target, leading to performance payouts of 132.7% and 191.4% of target, respectively.

Individual STIP Components

Galen G. Weston, Chairman and President

The 2022 STIP award for Mr. Weston reflected Mr. Weston's role as Chairman and President during the year and included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of his overall Loblaw STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account quantitative factors including Mr. Weston's performance in achieving the Corporation's strategic objectives and his role in the overall achievement of the Corporation's 2022 business plan. The Governance Committee also considered qualitative factors, such as Mr. Weston's leadership role in driving culture and engagement, management succession planning, and advancing the Corporation's ESG initiatives. Based on these criteria, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Weston an individual performance component of \$760,386, representing 120% of target.

Richard Dufresne, Chief Financial Officer

The 2022 STIP award for Mr. Dufresne reflected Mr. Dufresne's role as Chief Financial Officer during the year and included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of his overall Loblaw STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account quantitative factors including Mr. Dufresne's role in supporting and advancing the Corporation's strategic initiatives and operating efficiencies and in the achievement of the Corporation's 2022 business plan. The Governance Committee also considered qualitative factors, such as Mr. Dufresne's leadership qualities and his role in driving culture and engagement. Based on these criteria, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Dufresne an individual performance component of \$474,261, representing 111% of target.

Robert Sawyer, Chief Operating Officer

The 2022 STIP award for Mr. Sawyer reflected Mr. Sawyer's role as Chief Operating Officer during the year and included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of his overall STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account quantitative factors including Mr. Sawyer's role in leading and advancing the Corporation's enhanced focus on retail excellence and in the execution of the Corporation's 2022 business plan. The Governance Committee also considered qualitative factors, such as Mr. Sawyer's leadership qualities, including executive oversight of operational leadership teams. Based on these criteria, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Sawyer an individual performance component of \$877,013, representing 130% of target.

Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial

The 2022 STIP award for Mr. Columb reflected his role as President of President's Choice Financial during the year and included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of his overall STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account quantitative factors, including Mr. Columb's role in advancing strategic initiatives at President's Choice Financial. The Governance

Committee also considered qualitative factors, such as Mr. Columb's leadership qualities, his role in driving compliance and ethics awareness and driving culture and engagement at President's Choice Financial. Based on these criteria, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Columb an individual performance component of \$242,918, representing 110% of target.

Jeff Leger, President, SDM

Robert Sawyer

Jeff Leger

The 2022 STIP award for Mr. Leger reflected his role as President, SDM during the year and included an individual performance component weighted at 25% of his overall STIP target. In assessing individual performance, the Governance Committee took into account quantitative factors, including Mr. Leger's role in driving SDM's strategic initiatives and in the execution of SDM's business plan. The Governance Committee also considered qualitative factors, such as Mr. Leger's leadership qualities and driving culture and engagement at SDM. Based on these criteria, the Committee awarded Mr. Leger an individual performance component of \$350,805, representing 120% of target.

The following table sets forth the performance measures and weightings that were used in determining the STIP awards for 2022 for Messrs. Weston, Dufresne, Sawyer and Leger:

		2022 Loblaw STIP Award ⁽¹⁾							
Name	Consolidated Sales (\$)	Consolidated Earnings (\$)	ESG (\$)	EBIT Margin (\$)	Overall Satisfaction (\$)	STIP Total from Business Performance (at 179.9%) (\$)	Individual Performance ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Loblaw STIP Award (\$)	
Galen G. Weston ⁽³⁾	739,675	739,675	189,885	141,172	90,557	1,900,964	760,386	2,661,350	
Richard Dufresne ⁽⁴⁾	498,750	498,750	128,037	95,190	61,061	1,281,788	474,261	1,756,049	

150,300

65,130

96,413

41,779

2,023,875

877,013

877,013

350,805

2,900,888

1,227,818

341,250 (1) STIP awards are calculated using the NEO's actual base salary received in 2022, as applicable.

787,500

787,500

341,250

(2) Individual Performance dollar value is calculated as 25% of the STIP target dollar value multiplied by the business performance factor and the individual performance factor.

202,162

87,604

- Mr. Weston also receives a STIP award from Weston. Mr. Weston's aggregate base salary is allocated 70% to the Corporation and 30% to Weston, with each applicable allocation thereof being subject to the applicable company's STIP. Full details of Mr. Weston's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is
- (4) Mr. Dufresne also receives a STIP award from Weston. Mr. Dufresne's aggregate base salary is allocated 80% to the Corporation and 20% to Weston, with each applicable allocation thereof being subject to the applicable company's STIP. Full details of Mr. Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

The following table sets forth the performance measures and aggregate weightings that were used in determining Mr. Columb's STIP award for 2022, including both the President's Choice Financial and Loblaw performance measures:

	2022 Aggregate STIP Award for Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial (1)								
	Sales (\$)	Earnings (\$)	ESG (\$)	EBIT Margin (\$)	Overall Satisfaction (\$)		Individual Performance ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Aggregate STIP Award (\$)	
PCF	42,010	158,384	31,870	n/a	92,230	324,494			
Loblaw	96,575	144,863	43,459	32,353	20,764	338,014			
Total						662,508	242,918	905,426	

- (1) STIP awards are calculated using the NEO's actual base salary received in 2022, as applicable.
- (2) Individual Performance dollar value is calculated as 25% of the STIP target dollar value multiplied by the business performance factor and the individual performance factor.

Executive Deferred Share Unit Plan

The Corporation's EDSU Plan enables an executive to receive up to 100% of the executive's STIP payout in any year in EDSUs, subject to a cumulative cap of three times the executive's base salary. All EDSUs held by an executive will be paid out in Common Shares purchased on the open market by no later than December 15th of the year following the year in which the executive's employment ceases for any reason. An election to participate in the EDSU Plan in any year must be made before the beginning of that year and is irrevocable. The number of EDSUs granted in respect of any year will be determined by dividing the STIP payout that is subject to an EDSU Plan election by the value of a Common Share on the date the STIP bonus would otherwise be paid. For this purpose, and for purposes of determining the value of an executive's EDSUs upon redemption, the value of a Common Share is calculated by using the volume-weighted average of the trading price of the Common Shares on the TSX for the five trading days prior to that valuation date. Additional EDSUs are accumulated based on notional equivalents of dividends paid on Common Shares while an EDSU is outstanding.

LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

The Corporation's equity-based LTIP is designed to retain executives and align their interests with long-term shareholder value creation by providing them with equity-based incentive awards that vest over time. Under the LTIP, the Corporation awards executives long-term incentives in the form of stock options, RSUs and PSUs, the values of which are directly linked to the market value of the Common Shares. Executives eligible for LTIP grants generally receive them on an annual basis.

Annual LTIP grants for NEOs are comprised of 1/3 stock options, 1/3 RSUs and 1/3 PSUs by grant date fair value (which proportions may vary immaterially due to rounding). The Board, on recommendation of the Governance Committee and after consultation with Meridian, has determined that the current LTIP mix is an appropriate balance of (i) stock options, which align an executive's interest with shareholders in share price appreciation; (ii) RSUs, which serve as a key component in retaining executives and aligning their interests with those of shareholders; and (iii) PSUs, which focus executives on the delivery of key objectives set forth in the strategic plan. A balanced approach of equal weighting for stock options, RSUs and PSUs continues to be competitive in North America and well aligned to the Corporation's long-term strategy.

The value of an LTIP grant to a participating executive is generally determined as a percentage of the executive's base salary. All grants are reviewed and approved by the Governance Committee as part of its regular review of compensation. Annual LTIP awards are granted in the first quarter during the open trading window following the announcement of the Corporation's year end financial results in accordance with the Corporation's Securities Trading Policy. "Off-cycle" grants are made to newly hired executives and to executives promoted part way through a year, during open trading windows following the release of quarterly financial results.

In 2022, the Governance Committee approved LTIP awards to the NEOs as set out below.

Name	Base Salary ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Annual LTIP Grant as a Percentage of Base Salary (%)	Grant Date Fair Value ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Type of LTIP Grant ⁽³⁾
Galen G. Weston	945,000	560	4,819,257 ⁽⁴	Stock Options, RSUs and PSUs
Richard Dufresne	760,000	375	2,849,837 ⁽⁵	Stock Options, RSUs and PSUs
Robert Sawyer	1,000,000	400	3,999,788	Stock Options, RSUs and PSUs
Barry Columb	650,000	265	1,604,371 (6	Stock Options, RSUs and PSUs
Jeff Leger	650,000	240	1,559,949	Stock Options, RSUs and PSUs

- (1) Other than one-time grants, LTIP awards are calculated using each NEO's base salary on the date of grant.
- (2) The grant date fair value of a PSU award assumes vesting at 100% of target.
- (3) Stock options, RSUs and PSUs each comprise one-third of the annual LTIP grant.
- (4) Mr. Weston's aggregate base salary is allocated 70% to Loblaw and 30% to Weston. In aggregate, Loblaw paid \$907,200 and Weston paid \$388,800 in 2022. Mr. Weston's grant value shown above includes the Loblaw portion of an LTIP grant that Mr. Weston received in August 2022 representing the incremental grant value owing in connection with the increase to his base salary and to his LTIP target during the year. In addition to Mr. Weston's annual LTIP grant from the Corporation, he received annual LTIP grants from Weston with an aggregate grant date fair value of \$2,065,515. Full details of Mr. Weston's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.
- (5) Mr. Dufresne's aggregate base salary is allocated 80% to Loblaw and 20% to Weston. In the aggregate, Loblaw paid \$760,000 and Weston paid \$190,000 in 2022. In addition to Mr. Dufresne's annual LTIP grant from the Corporation, he received an annual LTIP grant from Weston with an aggregate grant date fair value of \$712,511. Full details of Mr. Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.
- (6) Mr. Columb's grant value shown above includes an LTIP grant that Mr. Columb received in May 2022 representing the incremental grant value owing in connection with the increase to his base salary and to his LTIP target during the year.

The key features of the Stock Option Plan, RSU Plan and PSU Plan are described below.

Stock Option Plan

Under the Stock Option Plan, the size of the annual award an executive receives is determined by reference to the executive's total LTIP award. The Governance Committee administers the Stock Option Plan, approves the participants, makes grants of options and establishes any limitations, restrictions and conditions on any grants. Any employee of the Corporation or any of its affiliates, as determined by the Governance Committee, may participate in the Stock Option Plan.

The table below provides details regarding the outstanding options to purchase Common Shares and Common Shares available for future option grants:

	As at:	December 31, 2022	As at:	March 13, 2023
Issued and Outstanding Common Shares		324,062,608		321,566,097
Outstanding Options				
Number Outstanding		5,782,615		6,245,796
Number Outstanding as a Percentage of the Issued and Outstanding Common Shares		1.8 %		1.9 %
Maximum Number of Common Shares Issuable Pursuant to the Stock Option Plan at Any Time				
Number Issuable		28,137,162		28,137,162
Number Issuable as a Percentage of the Issued and Outstanding Common Shares		8.7 %		8.8 %
Common Shares Available for Future Option Grants				
Number Available		3,645,513		2,989,127
Number Available as a Percentage of the Issued and Outstanding Common Shares		1.1 %		0.9 %

The Stock Option Plan provides that Common Shares issuable pursuant to outstanding stock options that are cancelled, expired, forfeited or terminated for any reason without having been exercised will again be available for grant under the Stock Option Plan. Stock options are not transferable or assignable otherwise than by will or by laws of descent and distribution, and during the lifetime of an optionee will be exercisable only by the holder. Please see page 69 for details regarding the treatment of stock options upon the resignation, termination with or without cause, or retirement of a participant as well as the effect of a change of control of the Corporation.

The exercise price for options may not be less than the fair market value of a Common Share, which is defined as the greater of: (i) the volume-weighted average of the trading price of a Common Share on the TSX for the five trading days prior to the grant date; or (ii) the volume-weighted average of the trading price of a Common Share on the TSX on the trading day immediately preceding the grant date. The exercise price for options granted to U.S. participants is no less than the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on the day immediately preceding the grant date.

Options may not be exercised prior to the first anniversary of the date of the grant. The vesting of options is determined on the grant of the option. Under the Stock Option Plan, each option has a term of not less than five and not more than 10 years. Generally, options vest over a five-year period at a rate of 20% per year and expire at the end of seven years.

If the expiry date of an option occurs during a blackout period or other period during which an insider is prohibited from trading in securities of the Corporation pursuant to its Securities Trading Policy, the expiry date will automatically be extended for 10 business days after the blackout period ends.

The aggregate number of Common Shares issued to insiders within any 12 month period, or issuable to insiders at any time, under the Stock Option Plan and any other security based compensation arrangement of the Corporation, may not exceed 5% of the total number of issued and outstanding Common Shares during such period of time.

In the event of a consolidation, subdivision or reclassification of the Common Shares, or any stock dividend of Common Shares paid otherwise than in lieu of a normal cash dividend, or any amalgamation or reorganization of the Corporation, the Board will make appropriate adjustments to the number of Common Shares subject to any options then outstanding and the exercise price thereof. The Stock Option Plan provides that shareholder approval is not required for any amendments to the Stock Option Plan or an option granted under the Stock Option Plan, except for any amendment or modification that:

- 1. increases the number of Common Shares that can be issued under the Stock Option Plan, including an increase to a fixed number of Common Shares or a change from a fixed maximum number of Common Shares to a fixed maximum percentage;
- 2. reduces the exercise price of an option (including, without limitation, a cancellation and re-grant of an option, constituting a reduction of the exercise price of such option), except in connection with a change in the number of the Corporation's outstanding Common Shares by reason of a stock dividend or split, recapitalization, reorganization, amalgamation, consolidation, combination or exchange of Common Shares, or another corporate change affecting Common Shares;

- extends the term of an option beyond its original expiry date, except where the expiry date would have occurred during a blackout period
 or at any other time when the holder may be prohibited from trading in securities of the Corporation pursuant to the Corporation's
 Securities Trading Policy;
- 4. changes the provisions relating to the transferability of an option;
- 5. extends eligibility to participate in the Stock Option Plan to a non-employee director;
- 6. permits awards, other than options, to be made under the Stock Option Plan;
- 7. requires shareholder approval under applicable laws, regulations or stock exchange rules; or
- 8. affects the amending provisions of the Stock Option Plan.

Subject to any required regulatory review or approval, the Board may make all other amendments to the Stock Option Plan without shareholder approval. These amendments include, but are not limited to, the termination of the Stock Option Plan; amendments designed to comply with applicable laws or regulatory requirements and "housekeeping" administrative changes (such as correcting an immaterial inconsistency or curing any ambiguity).

There were no amendments to the Stock Option Plan in 2022.

The Corporation's annual burn rate, which represents the number of Stock Options awarded under an arrangement divided by the weighted average number of Common Shares outstanding as at the end of a fiscal year, under the Stock Option Plan was 0.35% in 2022, 0.57% in 2021 and 0.51% in 2020.

In 2022, the following NEOs exercised stock options as described in the table below.

			Quantity Exercised	Exercise Price	Market Price
Name	Grant Date	Exercise Date	(#)	(\$)	(\$)
Galen G. Weston	March 5, 2015	March 2, 2022	35,667	53.41	99.31
Richard Dufresne ⁽¹⁾	July 30, 2015	June 2, 2022	511	58.75	114.45
	March 3, 2016	June 15, 2022	5,000	58.00	112.55
	March 3, 2016	August 10, 2022	15,000	58.00	116.43
	March 3, 2016	November 22, 2022	11,401	58.00	114.01
Barry Columb	March 5, 2015	March 3, 2022	40,531	53.41	101.07
	March 1, 2018	July 29, 2022	7,000	55.69	120.00
	March 3, 2016	August 11, 2022	5,000	58.00	118.35
	March 3, 2016	August 12, 2022	5,000	58.00	118.50
	March 3, 2016	August 15, 2022	17,958	58.00	119.59
	March 3, 2016	August 16, 2022	10,000	58.00	120.93
	March 2, 2017	August 16, 2022	18,502	59.00	121.65
Jeff Leger	March 3, 2016	August 17, 2022	13,208	58.00	123.19

⁽¹⁾ Mr. Dufresne also exercised stock options from Weston in 2022. The full details of Mr. Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

In 2022, the NEOs received stock option grants from the Corporation as described in the table below.

Name	Options Granted (#)	Exercise Price (\$)	Grant Date Fair Value (\$)	Vesting Schedule	Term of Grant
Galen G. Weston	100,112 (1)	99.33	1,448,621	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
	6,877	117.67	157,483	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
Richard Dufresne	65,636 ⁽¹⁾	99.33	949,753	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
Robert Sawyer	92,120	99.33	1,332,976	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
Barry Columb	28,788	99.33	416,562	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
	5,504	115.84	118,116	20% per year over 5 years	7 years
Jeff Leger	35,927	99.33	519,864	20% per year over 5 years	7 years

⁽¹⁾ Messrs. Weston and Dufresne received grants of stock options from Weston in 2022 with grant date fair values of \$1,032,881 and \$356,244, respectively. The full details of the compensation of Messrs. Weston and Dufresne from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

Restricted Share Unit Plan

RSUs entitle an executive to receive the value of the RSU award in Common Shares purchased on the open market at the end of the applicable vesting period, which is usually three years in length. An executive receives the number of Common Shares equal to the number of RSUs granted, with the ultimate award value determined by the Common Share price at the end of the applicable vesting period. Dividend equivalents in the form of additional RSUs that are equal in value to dividends paid on Common Shares are credited to the participant's account on each dividend payment date based on the number of RSUs in the account as of each dividend record date. The additional RSUs are subject to the same vesting conditions applicable to the related RSUs.

In 2022, the NEOs were awarded RSUs from the Corporation as follows:

Name	RSUs Granted (#)	Grant Value Per Unit (\$)	Grant Date Fair Value (\$)	Vesting Date
Galen G. Weston	14,586 ⁽¹⁾	99.33	1,448,827	March 3, 2025
	1,338 ⁽¹⁾	117.67	157,442	August 4, 2025
Richard Dufresne	9,563 ⁽¹⁾	99.33	949,893	March 3, 2025
Robert Sawyer	13,422	99.33	1,333,207	March 3, 2025
Barry Columb	4,194	99.33	416,590	March 3, 2025
	1,020	115.84	118,157	May 11, 2025
Jeff Leger	5,235	99.33	519,993	March 3, 2025

⁽¹⁾ Since 2019 the annual grants for senior executives of Weston are comprised of stock options and PSUs, with no RSUs granted to its senior executives. The full details of the compensation of Messrs. Weston and Dufresne from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

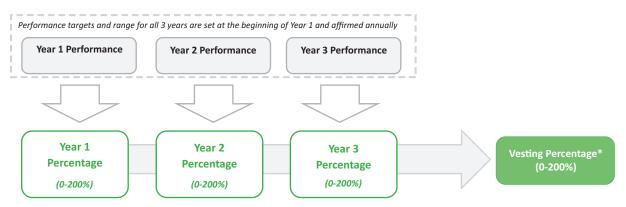
Performance Share Unit Plan

PSUs represent a form of at-risk long-term compensation that serves to motivate the recipient to deliver on objectives set forth in the Corporation's strategic plan. PSUs serve to focus executives on selected key drivers of corporate performance and reduce the number of stock options granted and potential shareholder dilution. PSUs also serve as a pay-for-performance incentive to reward executives for the achievement of prescribed corporate goals and share price appreciation. PSUs entitle an executive to receive the value of a PSU award in Common Shares purchased on the open market at the end of the applicable performance period, typically three years in length. However, the number of PSUs that vest during such period depends on the achievement of certain performance measures. For 2022, the Corporation's PSU performance measures were consolidated revenue and return on capital, excluding consolidated franchises.

Though the Governance Committee closely monitors the Corporation's performance relative to that of its peers when making compensation decisions, the Governance Committee believes that the best approach for the Corporation is to tie its executive compensation to performance metrics that are aligned with the Corporation's strategy and operating plans and that can be directly impacted by its executives. Consolidated revenue and return on capital are important indicators of retail performance. The Governance Committee has determined that relative total shareholder return is not an appropriate performance measure for the PSUs due to the lack of size-appropriate Canadian retail peers and the significantly different inflation, foreign exchange and macro-economic factors to which comparable U.S. retailers are subject.

The Governance Committee has determined that consolidated revenue is appropriate as a significantly-weighted performance measure for the PSUs, notwithstanding its inclusion as a measure for the STIP, as it serves as a proxy for market share and is intended to reward growth of the business. Growth in revenue and market share is critical to the success of the Corporation and to the Corporation remaining competitive relative to its peers. Using consolidated revenue as a factor in the LTIP and STIP aligns the interests of executives with those of shareholders.

PSUs vest at the end of the applicable three-year performance period, however the performance factor that determines the number of PSUs that vest is determined by averaging results against target in each year in the performance period. Setting yearly performance targets allows the Corporation to set targets with appropriate stretch and reduces the need for the Corporation to make provisions for adjustments or moderation of macro-economic impacts which may be more likely over a longer term. The results in each year, in turn, are determined based upon the level of achievement of each of the performance conditions during that year. When setting the three one-year targets, the Governance Committee considers the longer term financial operating model of the Corporation. The setting of three one-year targets, as opposed to one three-year target, aligns with the emerging trend among retail organizations to set targets over shorter periods and reflects a retail industry specific incentive design. The overall number of PSUs that vest at the end of a performance period range from 0% to 200% of the initial grant as illustrated below:



*Calculated as a simple average of performance in Years 1, 2, and 3.

Each PSU measure has a threshold, target and maximum performance level. Where performance is below threshold, PSUs do not vest. PSUs vest at 100% if target performance is achieved and at 200% if maximum performance is achieved.

For performance between threshold and target and target and maximum, vesting of PSUs is determined on a linear basis. Dividend equivalents in the form of additional PSUs that are equal in value to dividends paid on Common Shares are credited to the participant's account on each dividend payment date based on the number of PSUs in the account as of the dividend record date. The additional PSUs are subject to the same vesting conditions applicable to the underlying PSUs.

The performance targets for the PSUs granted in 2022 relate to a three-year period ending December 28, 2024 and were developed taking into account the Corporation's confidential business strategies, plans and initiatives and its expectations regarding financial and operational performance. These targets are intended to be challenging – neither impossible nor easy to achieve. These measures were stress-tested to ensure they were appropriately challenging taking into consideration historical trends and budget growth expectations in the Corporation's financial plan. PSU targets are forward-looking and disclosure of them before the end of the performance period would seriously prejudice the Corporation's interests. As a result, targets are disclosed at the time of payout of PSUs.

In 2022, the following NEOs were awarded PSUs from the Corporation for which the grant date fair value assumes vesting at 100% of target:

Name	PSUs Granted (#)	Grant Value Per Unit (\$)	Grant Date Fair Value (\$)	Vesting Date
Galen G. Weston	14,591 ⁽¹⁾	99.33	1,449,324	March 3, 2025
	1,339	117.67	157,560	August 4, 2025
Richard Dufresne	9,566	99.33	950,191	March 3, 2025
Robert Sawyer	13,426	99.33	1,333,605	March 3, 2025
Barry Columb	4,196	99.33	416,789	March 3, 2025
	1,020	115.84	118,157	May 11, 2025
Jeff Leger	5,236	99.33	520,092	March 3, 2025

⁽¹⁾ Messrs. Weston and Dufresne also received grants of PSUs from Weston in 2022 with grant date fair values of \$1,032,634 and \$356,267, respectively. The full details of the compensation of Messrs. Weston and Dufresne from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

Performance of 2020 PSUs

In 2020, the Corporation's NEOs were awarded PSUs whose vesting was tied to consolidated revenue and return on capital targets over a three-year period. Revenue excluded the consolidation of franchises in 2020, but was included as of 2021. The return on capital measure was defined as Adjusted EBIT* divided by capital at the start of the year. Adjusted EBIT, as referenced in relation to Loblaw's 2020 PSU targets,

includes certain further adjustments in addition to those noted in the 2022 MD&A. At the time of grant, the performance targets relating to the 2020 return on capital and enterprise consolidated revenue metrics were forward-looking as they related to the three-year period ending in 2022 and were developed taking into account the Corporation's business strategies, plans and initiatives and its expectations regarding financial and operational performance. The targets were intended to be challenging – neither impossible nor easy to achieve.

In early 2023, the Governance Committee reviewed the performance of the 2020 PSU grants and determined the following results based on the average of the three year performance:

- the enterprise consolidated revenue component achieved a performance result of 199.8%; and
- the return on capital component achieved a performance result of 133.2%.

The target and performance for each component for PSUs awarded in 2020 which were equally weighted on results from 2020, 2021 and 2022 and paid out in 2023, are set out below:

Measures		2020		2021		2022		Performance	Performance
ivicasures		Target	Results	Target	Results	Target	Results	by Measure	Factor
Enterprise Consolidated	Max:	\$49,436		\$52,760		\$52,760			
Revenue	Target:	\$48,705	\$50,847	\$51,725	\$53,170	\$52,964	\$56,504	199.8%	99.9%
50% weighting	Min:	\$48,218		\$50,690		\$50,690			
Lablani Batum an Canital	Max:	10.95%		12.02%		12.02%			
Loblaw Return on Capital	Target:	10.45%	9.95%	11.27%	12.90%	13.48%	14.86%	133.2%	66.6%
50% weighting	Min:	9.95%		10.52%		10.52%			
Performance by Year		100.0%		200.0%		200.0%		_	_
Vesting		33.3%		66.6%		66.6%		_	_
Overall Payout									166.5%

2020 PSU Payout Summary

In 2023, the Governance Committee determined that the 2020 grant of PSUs paid out at 166.5% of target. The number of PSUs that vested pursuant to these performance results is set out in the table below. Messrs. Dufresne and Sawyer were not employed by Loblaw in 2020.

	Vesting of 2020 PSU Award								
Name	2020 PSUs Granted (#)	Total number of PSUs vested prior to application of performance factor (1) (#)	Enterprise Consolidated Revenue Component (#)	Return on Capital Component (#)	Total number of PSUs Vested (#)	Actual Settlement Value (\$)			
Galen G. Weston	11,419	12,003	11,991	7,993	19,984	2,340,152 ⁽²⁾			
Barry Columb	5,947	6,251	6,245	4,162	10,407	1,218,673 ⁽²⁾			
Jeff Leger	5,947	6,251	6,245	4,162	10,407	1,218,673 ⁽²⁾			

⁽¹⁾ The total number of PSUs vested prior to the application of the performance factor reflects the original number of PSUs granted plus the dividend equivalents earned subsequent to the grant date.

Summary of Payout of 2017 Incentive applicable to Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial

In 2016, the Governance Committee reviewed Mr. Columb's compensation and approved a grant of certain performance appreciation rights ("PAR") to Mr. Columb in order to position his total direct compensation competitively relative to a comparator group comprised of certain companies within the Canadian banking and financial services sector as well as select other industries.

The PAR incentive was granted in 2017 with payout, if any, to occur in 2022 following a five-year performance period, and based on financial results and achievement of certain business objectives. The targeted payout opportunity (performance at 100%) was \$2,500,000 (being the equivalent of \$500,000 per year over the performance/vesting period), with a maximum payout threshold of 200% if maximum performance was achieved.

In May 2022, the Governance Committee reviewed President's Choice Financial's results and determined that, due to certain strategic changes outside of the control of Mr. Columb, adjustments to the PAR performance targets were appropriate and that performance was within the adjusted performance thresholds. With these adjustments, the Governance Committee approved a PAR payout to Mr. Columb of \$2,000,000.

^{*}Non-GAAP financial measure. Please see the note in the "Other Information" section of this Circular and section 17 of the 2022 MD&A.

⁽²⁾ The actual value of the PSU settlements was based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on February 27, 2023, the vesting date of the PSUs, which was \$117.1013.

Long-Term Incentive Plan Clawback

All LTIP grants include a clawback provision stating that if an executive accepts employment with a competitor of the Corporation within six months after leaving the employment of the Corporation, the gross dollar value of all stock option, RSU and PSU payments received in the 12 months of employment immediately prior to the date of cessation of employment must be repaid to the Corporation.

Securities Authorized for Issuance under Equity Compensation Plans as of December 31, 2022

The following table shows the number of securities authorized for issuance under equity compensation plans of the Corporation:

Plan Category	Number of Securities to be Issued Upon Exercise of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights (a)	Weighted Average Exercise Price of Outstanding Options, Warrants and Rights (b)	Number of Securities Remaining Available for Future Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans (Excluding Securities Reflected in Column (a))	
Equity Compensation Plans Approved by Securityholders				
Stock Option Plan	5,782,615	\$71.07	3,645,513	
Equity Compensation Plans Not Approved by Securityholders	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Total	5,782,615	\$71.07	3,645,513	

RETIREMENT AND PENSION ARRANGEMENTS

The Corporation's retirement and pension arrangements are designed to provide a reasonable level of retirement income to executives. Senior executives of the Corporation, other than Mr. Weston, participate in the defined benefit or the defined contribution component of the Consolidated Executive Plan. All new Loblaw executives join the Consolidated Executive Plan and participate in the defined contribution portion of the plan. Certain senior management of SDM, including Mr. Leger, participate in the Pension Plan for Executives of Shoppers Drug Mart Inc., a registered defined benefit pension plan, and the Shoppers Drug Mart Inc. Supplementary Pension Plan, an unregistered defined benefit pension plan (collectively, the "SDM Executive Pension Plan"), which closed in 2014. Mr. Weston does not participate in any of the Corporation's or Weston's pension plans.

In addition, senior executives of the Corporation whose pensionable earnings exceed prescribed levels participate in a non-contributory SERP.

The details of these retirement and pension arrangements are set out in the section "Pension Plan and Long Service Executive Arrangements" on page 76.

EXECUTIVE BENEFIT PLANS

The Corporation provides the NEOs with designated health, dental, disability and insurance coverage through executive benefit plans paid for by the Corporation.

PERQUISITES

NEOs generally receive a limited number of perquisites, including the use of a car, an annual medical examination, a discretionary health care spending account and the right to participate in the employee share ownership plan.

EXECUTIVE SHARE OWNERSHIP POLICY

The Corporation maintains an Executive Share Ownership Policy to further align the interests of senior executives with those of the Corporation's shareholders. The Policy establishes minimum share ownership levels for executives which, based on their executive level, are set at a multiple of their base salary.

Under the Policy, Common Shares, EDSUs and the in-the-money value of vested stock options of the Corporation are the only eligible holdings included in determining an executive's ownership value. The Policy applies to every executive at the senior vice president level and higher. Senior executives who serve the Corporation as well as Weston may include their eligible holdings of Weston to satisfy the Policy.

Under the Policy, senior executives are expected to own eligible equity-based holdings with a value equal to a multiple of their base salary as determined by their position:

Chairman	5x base salary
President (if a separate role)	3x base salary
CFO, COO and Executive Vice Presidents or equivalent, including Divisional Presidents	2x base salary
Senior Vice Presidents	0.5x base salary

Executives are expected to attain the required ownership level within five years of their appointment. The Chairman and President of the Corporation is subject to a post-employment hold period which requires him to maintain his share ownership level for one year following the end of his employment.

Executives subject to the Policy are required to retain a minimum of 50% of the after-tax proceeds received on the settlement of RSUs or PSUs or an exercise of stock options in Common Shares until their respective executive ownership levels has been attained.

The dollar values of each NEO's eligible equity-based holdings, based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on March 13, 2023 of \$114.59 and the closing price of the Weston common shares on the TSX on March 13, 2023 of \$162.83, as applicable, are set forth in the table below, along with the dollar value of those equity-based holdings that are not eligible to be included in determining an executive's ownership value.

	Ownersh Requirem		Value	of Eligible Equ	uity-Based Hol	dings	Value of Ineligible Equity-Based Holdings				
Name	(\$)	Mul- tiple of Salary	Common Shares (\$)	DSUs and EDSUs (\$)	In-the- Money Stock Options (\$)	Eligible Total (\$)	RSUs (\$)	PSUs ⁽²⁾ (\$)	In-the- Money Stock Options (\$)	Ineligible Total (\$)	
Galen G. Weston ⁽¹⁾	4,725,000	5	12,860,961,242	368,973	41,956,979	12,903,287,194	5,106,589	10,341,386	17,346,812	32,794,787	
Richard Dufresne ⁽³⁾	1,520,000	2	4,910,840	_	20,885,804	25,796,644	2,035,233	5,740,514	10,698,768	18,474,515	
Robert Sawyer ⁽⁴⁾	2,000,000	2	924,464	1,590,523	1,345,506	3,860,493	5,054,565	5,056,169	5,381,980	15,492,714	
Barry Columb	1,300,000	2	4,716,181	_	4,556,435	9,272,616	1,949,520	1,950,093	3,089,998	6,989,611	
Jeff Leger	1,300,000	2	1,722,288	169,249	6,237,237	8,128,774	1,899,673	1,900,131	3,042,877	6,842,681	

⁽¹⁾ Mr. Weston is also subject to Weston's Executive Share Ownership Policy. Mr. Weston's aggregate base salary is paid 70% by Loblaw and 30% by Weston. For 2022, Loblaw and Weston paid \$907,200 and \$388,800 respectively toward the cost of Mr. Weston's aggregate base salary of \$1,296,000. Mr. Weston's aggregate ownership requirement is \$6,750,000. For a description of Weston's Executive Share Ownership Policy in respect of Mr. Weston, please refer to the Weston Management Proxy Circular available at www.sedar.com.

2022 COMPENSATION DECISIONS REGARDING THE NAMED EXECUTIVE OFFICERS

The following outlines the rationale underlying the compensation decisions for each of the Corporation's NEOs for 2022.

Galen G. Weston, Chairman and President

In 2022, the Boards of both Loblaw and Weston engaged Meridian to update Meridian's 2020 benchmarking regarding Mr. Weston's compensation relative to the updated Weston and Loblaw comparator groups approved by the Weston and Loblaw Governance Committees in May 2022. The results of Meridian's 2022 review suggested that Mr. Weston's total direct compensation was below the market median and Weston's and Loblaw's compensation policy objectives. In recognition of Mr. Weston's unique position as Chairman and President of Loblaw and Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Weston, and to further reflect the complexity of managing these multiple roles, effective July 1, 2022, Mr. Weston received an increase in his base salary from \$1,242,000 to \$1,350,000, an increase in his STIP target from 150% to 160% of base salary and an increase in his LTIP target from 500% to 560% of base salary. Mr. Weston's base salary continues to be paid 70% by Loblaw and 30% by Weston. Each of Loblaw and Weston determines and funds its respective share of Mr. Weston's STIP. 70% of Mr. Weston's STIP is subject to the Loblaw STIP and 30% is subject to the Weston STIP.

Mr. Weston's annual Loblaw LTIP granted in March, 2022 had an aggregate grant date fair value of \$4,346,772, comprised of 100,112 stock options, 14,586 RSUs and 14,591 PSUs. In conjunction with the increase to Mr. Weston's base salary and LTIP target, the Governance Committee approved a one-time grant of 6,877 stock options, 1,338 RSUs and 1,339 PSUs in August 2022, with an aggregate grant date fair value of \$472,485, representing Mr. Weston's incremental LTIP value from Loblaw for 2022.

As discussed in the section "Individual STIP Components" on page 58, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Weston \$760,386 for the 25% individual performance component of his 2022 Loblaw STIP award.

Full details of Mr. Weston's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

⁽²⁾ The value of PSU awards assumes vesting at 100% of target.

⁽³⁾ Mr. Dufresne is also subject to Weston's Executive Share Ownership Policy. Mr. Dufresne's aggregate base salary is paid 80% by Loblaw and 20% by Weston. For 2022, Loblaw and Weston paid \$760,000 and \$190,000 respectively toward the cost of Mr. Dufresne's aggregate base salary of \$950,000. Mr. Dufresne's aggregate ownership requirement is \$2,850,000. For a description of Weston's Executive Share Ownership Policy in respect of Mr. Dufresne, please refer to the Weston Management Proxy Circular available at www.sedar.com.

⁽⁴⁾ Mr. Sawyer was a director of Weston until May 2021. Pursuant to Loblaw's Share Ownership Policy, Mr. Sawyer's equity holdings in Weston, as at May 1, 2021, the date of his appointment at Loblaw, count towards his minimum equity ownership requirement. Mr. Sawyer held 4,270 Weston common shares and 9,768 Weston deferred share units with a value of \$1.590.523 based on the closing price on the TSX of a Weston common share on March 13, 2023 of \$162.83.

Richard Dufresne, Chief Financial Officer

Mr. Dufresne's compensation arrangements did not change in 2022, being a base salary of \$950,000 and STIP and LTIP targets of 125% and 375% of base salary, respectively. To reflect his dual role, 80% of Mr. Dufresne's base salary is paid by Loblaw and 20% by Weston. Each of Loblaw and Weston determines and funds its respective share of Mr. Dufresne's STIP. 80% of Mr. Dufresne's STIP is subject to the Loblaw STIP and 20% is subject to the Weston STIP.

As discussed in the section "Individual STIP Components" on page 58, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Dufresne \$474,261 for the 25% individual performance component of his 2022 Loblaw STIP award.

Mr. Dufresne's annual LTIP grant from Loblaw for 2022 had an aggregate grant date fair value of \$2,849,837, comprised of 65,636 stock options, 9,563 RSUs and 9,566 PSUs.

Full details of Mr. Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

Robert Sawyer, Chief Operating Officer

The Governance Committee reviewed Mr. Sawyer's compensation arrangements in July 2022 and determined that his target direct compensation would not change, being a base salary of \$1,000,000 and STIP and LTIP targets of 150% and 400% of base salary, respectively, however the Governance Committee approved certain adjustments to Mr. Sawyer's allowance for certain housing and travel expenses.

For 2022, Mr. Sawyer received an LTIP grant comprised of 92,120 stock options, 13,422 RSUs and 13,426 PSUs, with an aggregate grant date value of \$3,999,788.

In addition, as discussed in the section "Individual STIP Components" on page 58, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Sawyer \$877,013 for the individual performance component of his 2022 STIP award.

Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial

The Governance Committee approved an increase in Mr. Columb's base salary from \$625,000 to \$650,000 and an increase in his LTIP target from 200% to 265% of base salary, effective April 1, 2022. Mr. Columb's STIP target remained unchanged at 100% of base salary.

For 2022, Mr. Columb received an annual LTIP grant comprised of 28,788 stock options, 4,194 RSUs and 4,196 PSUs, with an aggregate grant date fair value of \$1,604,371. In addition, as discussed in the section "Individual STIP Components" on page 58, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Columb \$242,918 for the 25% individual performance component of his 2022 STIP award.

Jeff Leger, President, SDM

The Governance Committee approved an increase in Mr. Leger's base salary from \$625,000 to \$650,000 and an increase in his LTIP target from 200% to 240% of base salary, effective January 1, 2022. Mr. Leger's STIP target remained unchanged at 100% of base salary.

For 2022, Mr. Leger received an LTIP grant comprised of 35,927 stock options, 5,235 RSUs and 5,236 PSUs, with an aggregate grant date value of \$1,559,949. In addition, as discussed in the section "Individual STIP Components" on page 59, the Governance Committee awarded Mr. Leger \$350,805 for the 25% individual performance component of his 2022 STIP award.

TERMINATION AND CHANGE OF CONTROL BENEFITS

None of the NEOs' employment agreements provide for change of control benefits; however, the Corporation's compensation plans have termination and change of control provisions. The table below summarizes the termination and change of control benefits provided under each plan in situations that result in cessation of employment. The actual amounts that an NEO would receive upon termination of employment can only be determined at the time the NEO leaves the Corporation.

		Change of Control				
Type of Compensation	Resignation	Termination without Cause	Termination with Cause	Retirement after age 55 with at least 10 years of service (the "Conditions")	Retirement that does not meet the Conditions	
Short-Term Incentive Plan	No payment	Bonus for the applicable year is prorated to the termination date	No payment	Bonus for the applicable year is prorated to the retirement date	Bonus for the applicable year is prorated to the retirement date	Governance Committee discretion to grant or adjust bonus
Stock Option Plan	30 days from the last day of active employment to exercise vested options	90 days from notice of termination to exercise vested options	All outstanding options forfeited at time of notice of termination	Options will continue to vest and pay out in the normal course, with the exception of any award granted in the calendar year of retirement	to exercise vested options	Governance Committee discretion to accelerate vesting of options
Restricted Share Unit Plan	Units forfeited upon the last day of active employment	Value of units paid out on a prorated basis for units granted at least 12 months prior to the termination date	All outstanding units forfeited upon the last day of active employment	RSUs will continue to vest and pay out in the normal course, with the exception of any award granted in the calendar year of retirement	Value of outstanding units paid out on a prorated basis for units granted at least 12 months prior to the date of retirement	Governance Committee discretion to adjust grant
Performance Share Unit Plan	Units forfeited upon the last day of active employment	Value of units paid out on a prorated basis for units granted at least 12 months prior to the termination date	All outstanding units forfeited upon the last day of active employment	PSUs will continue to vest and pay out in the normal course, with the exception of any award granted in the calendar year of retirement	Value of outstanding units paid out on a prorated basis for units granted at least 12 months prior to the date of retirement	Governance Committee discretion to adjust grant
Executive Deferred Share Unit Plan	NEO has until December 15th of the year following resignation to redeem	NEO has until December 15th of the year following termination to redeem	NEO has until December 15th of the year following termination to redeem	NEO has until December 15th of the year following retirement to redeem	NEO has until December 15th of the year following retirement to redeem	Governance Committee to ensure substantially similar award following a change of control event

⁽¹⁾ For executives who die or become disabled, their RSUs and PSUs will continue to vest and pay out in the normal course. All vested and unvested stock options will immediately vest and executives (or their estates) will have 2 years from the date of death or disability (or, if earlier, expiry of the term) to exercise vested options.

The Governance Committee has discretion to make adjustments to the general plan provisions for a particular executive if considered appropriate in the circumstances. The following summarizes the termination benefits described above as they relate to the specific arrangements under each NEO's employment agreement as at December 31, 2022.

Galen G. Weston, Chairman and President

Mr. Weston is not contractually entitled to severance, termination or change of control payments other than applicable incentive payments and share-based settlements as provided for under the terms of the STIP and the LTIP. Upon termination, Mr. Weston would be subject to certain non-competition and confidentiality undertakings.

Richard Dufresne, Chief Financial Officer

If Mr. Dufresne's employment is terminated without cause, he would be entitled to receive for a period of 18 months plus one additional month for every completed year of service from the effective date of his most recent employment agreement up to a maximum of 24 months: (a) his base salary and car allowance, (b) his target STIP bonus, and (c) his health care and dental benefits, participation in the employee/family assistance program and pension accrual. Mr. Dufresne would also be entitled to applicable incentive payments and share-based settlements as provided for under the terms of the LTIP. Upon termination, Mr. Dufresne would be subject to certain non-competition and confidentiality undertakings.

Robert Sawyer, Chief Operating Officer

If Mr. Sawyer's employment is terminated without cause, he would be entitled to receive (a) a lump sum of 50% of his base salary for the period beginning on the last day of his employment and ending December 31, 2023; and (b) a lump sum of 50% of his target STIP bonus for the period beginning on the last day of his employment and ending December 31, 2023. In addition, his LTIP awards received during the term of his employment would continue to vest on their original timeline without pro-ration. Upon termination, Mr. Sawyer would be subject to certain non-competition and confidentiality undertakings. If Mr. Sawyer remains employed by Loblaw until December 31, 2023 his LTIP awards received during the term of his employment will continue to vest on their original timeline.

Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial

If Mr. Columb's employment is terminated without cause, he would be entitled to receive for a period of 18 months plus one additional month for every completed year of service from March 7, 2017 up to a maximum of 24 months: (a) his base salary, (b) his target STIP bonus, (c) participation in the Corporation-leased car program, and (d) his health care and dental benefits, participation in the employee/family assistance program and pension accrual. Mr. Columb would also be entitled to certain incentive payments and share-based settlements applicable to the period prior to the termination date, as provided for under the terms of the STIP and LTIP. Upon termination, Mr. Columb would be subject to certain non-competition and confidentiality undertakings.

Jeff Leger, President, SDM

If Mr. Leger's employment is terminated without cause, he would be entitled to receive for a period of 20 months plus one additional month for every completed year of service from October 18, 2019, up to a maximum of 24 months: (a) his base salary, (b) his target STIP bonus, (c) participation in the Corporation-leased car program, and (d) his health care and dental benefits, participation in the employee/family assistance program and pension accrual. Mr. Leger would also be entitled to certain incentive payments and share-based settlements applicable to the period prior to the termination date, as provided for under the terms of the STIP and LTIP. Upon termination, Mr. Leger would be subject to certain non-competition and confidentiality undertakings.

POTENTIAL AMOUNTS PAID ON TERMINATION

The following table sets forth the estimated incremental payments or benefits that the NEOs would have received upon termination of employment on December 31, 2022 for the various reasons described below:

	Amounts Due on Termination								
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						Lo	ng-Term Ince	entive Plans	1
Name	Event	Salary ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Annual Bonus ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Benefits (\$)	Other (\$)	Stock Options (2)(10) (\$)	RSUs ⁽³⁾⁽¹⁰⁾ (\$)	PSUs ⁽³⁾⁽¹⁰⁾ (\$)	Total (\$)
Galen G. Weston	Termination with cause	-	-	_	_	_	_	_	_
Chairman and President	Termination without cause	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Resignation	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Retirement	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Change of Control	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Richard Dufresne ⁽⁴⁾	Termination with cause	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Chief Financial Officer	Termination without cause	1,456,667 ⁽⁵⁾	1,820,833 ⁽⁶⁾	97,901 ⁽⁷⁾	37,873 ⁽⁸⁾	_	_	_	3,413,274
	Resignation	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Retirement	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Change of Control	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Robert Sawyer	Termination with cause	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Chief Operating Officer	Termination without cause	666,667 ⁽⁹⁾	1,000,000 ⁽⁹⁾	— ⁽⁹⁾	_ (9)	6,435,225	2,288,399	2,289,105	12,679,396
	Resignation	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Retirement	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Change of Control	_	_	-	-	_	_	_	-
Barry Columb	Termination with cause	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
President, President's Choice Financial	Termination without cause	1,245,833 ⁽⁴⁾	1,245,833 ⁽⁵⁾	106,976 ⁽⁶⁾	– ⁽⁷⁾	_	_	_	2,598,642
Choice i maneiar	Resignation	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Retirement	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Change of Control	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Jeff Leger	Termination with cause	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
President, SDM	Termination without cause	1,245,833 ⁽⁴⁾	1,245,833 ⁽⁵⁾	448,729 ⁽⁶⁾	_ (7)	_	_	_	2,940,395
	Resignation	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Retirement	-	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	Change of Control	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	-

- (1) The Salary and Annual Bonus figures reflect contractual entitlements and may be paid by salary continuance, subject to mitigation obligations.
- (2) The NEOs are entitled to exercise vested options following termination without cause in accordance with the Stock Option Plan. NEOs are entitled to continued vesting and payout of stock options in the normal course if they retire at age 55 with 10 years of service. Mr. Sawyer's enhanced entitlement is set out in Footnote 9.
- (3) RSUs and PSUs are paid out on a prorated basis where the NEO retires or is terminated without cause in accordance with the RSU Plan and PSU Plan, respectively. NEOs are entitled to continued vesting and payout of RSUs and PSUs if they retire at age 55 with 10 years of service. Mr. Sawyer's enhanced entitlement is set out in Footnote 9.
- (4) Amounts reflect the estimated incremental payments or benefits that Mr. Dufresne would have received from Loblaw. Full details of Mr. Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.
- (5) For Mr. Dufresne, Mr. Columb and Mr. Leger, calculated based on 18, 18 and 20 months' salary, respectively, plus one additional month for every completed year of service from the effective date of their respective most recent employment agreements, which amounts to 23, 23 and 23 months, respectively.
- (6) Annual bonus is valued at target level.
- (7) Includes benefits and pension accruals for Mr. Dufresne, Mr. Columb and Mr. Leger calculated based on 23, 23 and 23 months, respectively, as per the terms of their respective employment agreements.
- (8) Includes participation in the Corporation-leased car program for Mr. Columb and Mr. Leger of 23 and 23 months, respectively, and an annual car allowance for Mr. Dufresne for 23 months.
- (9) For Mr. Sawyer, the Salary and Annual Bonus figures are calculated based on 50% of the base salary and STIP that he would otherwise have received from December 31, 2022 to his contractual end of term, which amounts to 12 months. In the event of termination without cause, Mr. Sawyer's benefits and other perquisites would cease.
- (10) In the event of termination without cause, all LTIP awards granted to Mr. Sawyer prior to December 31, 2022 would continue to vest in accordance with their original grant vest schedules, without proration, subject to any post-employment obligations.

COMPENSATION DECISIONS FOR 2023

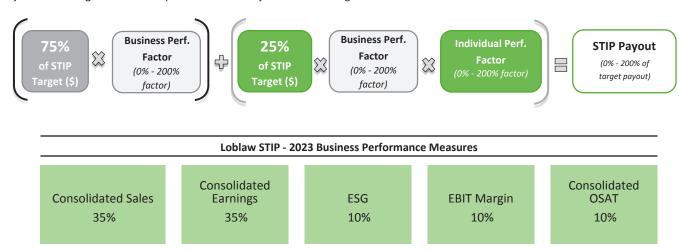
COMPENSATION CHANGES FOR NEOS

No changes were made to the compensation arrangements of any NEO for 2023.

2023 SHORT-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN

The Governance Committee has approved the performance measures and weightings for the 2023 STIP as set out below.

Consistent with its ongoing commitment to corporate social responsibility, the Corporation will continue to include an ESG measure in its STIP targets for 2023, to continue driving higher levels of corporate social responsibility across the business. For 2023 the Corporation will also continue to include the customer satisfaction index, OSAT, as well as the EBIT margin measure designed to measure management's ability to translate revenue into profitability, calculated as Adjusted EBIT as a percentage of revenue. For 2023, the STIP design will continue to include a revenue qualifier whereby consolidated revenue performance will be capped at 100% if year-over-year adjusted tonnage share, normalized for a change in square footage, declines, and an earnings qualifier whereby in order to be eligible for above-target achievement, year-over-year Adjusted EBITDA growth must be positive and the Adjusted EBITDA target must be achieved.



2023 LONG-TERM INCENTIVE PLAN GRANTS

In February 2023, the Governance Committee approved LTIP awards to the Corporation's NEOs as set out below. These annual LTIP grants were comprised of equal grants (by grant value) of stock options, RSUs and PSUs, and were awarded on March 2, 2023. For 2023, the cost of the LTIP compensation arrangements for Messrs. Weston and Dufresne will continue to be allocated 70% and 80% to the Corporation and 30% and 20% to Weston, respectively.

Name	Grant Date Fair Value ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Stock Options ⁽²⁾ (#)	RSUs (#)	PSUs (#)
Galen G. Weston	5,291,946 ⁽³⁾	66,861	14,977	14,981
Richard Dufresne	2,849,992 ⁽³⁾	36,008	8,066	8,068
Robert Sawyer	3,999,949	50,537	11,320	11,324
Barry Columb	1,722,484	21,763	4,875	4,876
Jeff Leger	1,559,977	19,710	4,415	4,416

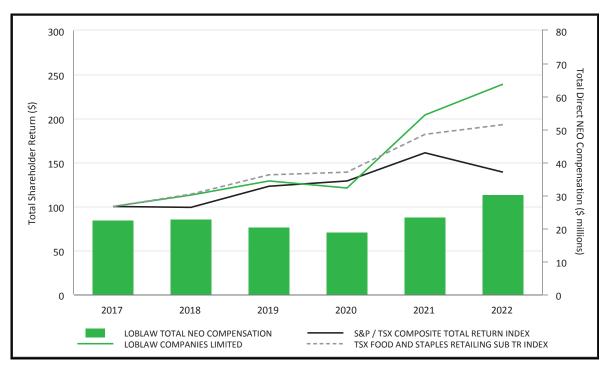
⁽¹⁾ These amounts reflect the grant date fair value of the options, RSUs and PSUs. The grant date fair value of stock options is calculated in the following manner: Stock Option Value = Number of Stock Options Granted x Black-Scholes-Merton Value. The grant date fair value of the RSUs and PSUs is calculated in the following manner: RSU or PSU Value = Number of RSUs or PSUs Granted x the greater of the volume-weighted average share price on the TSX for the one or five trading days preceding the grant date, which was \$117.77 as of March 2, 2023. The grant date fair value of a PSU award assumes vesting at 100% of target.

⁽²⁾ The exercise price of the stock options is \$117.77.

⁽³⁾ In addition to Messrs. Weston's and Dufresne's annual LTIP grants for 2023 from the Corporation, they each received an annual LTIP grant for 2023 from Weston with a grant date fair value of \$2,268,001 and \$712,519, respectively. Full details of Messrs. Weston's and Dufresne's compensation from Weston are set forth in the Weston Management Proxy Circular, which is available at www.sedar.com.

PERFORMANCE GRAPH

The graph below compares the cumulative total shareholder return on \$100 invested in Common Shares on December 31, 2017, with the cumulative annual total return of the S&P/TSX Composite Total Return Index over the same period (assuming all dividends were reinvested). The graph also shows the Corporation's total direct NEO target compensation (which includes base salary, STIP and LTIP) over the same period.



Five-Year Cumulative Total Shareholder Return on \$100 Investment

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022		
S&P / TSX COMPOSITE TOTAL RETURN INDEX	\$100	\$99	\$123	\$129	\$161	\$139		
LOBLAW COMPANIES LIMITED	\$100	\$113	\$129	\$121	\$204	\$239		
TSX FOOD AND STAPLES RETAILING SUB TR INDEX	\$100	\$114	\$136	\$139	\$182	\$193		
Total Direct NEO Compensation 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022								
TOTAL DIRECT NEO COMPENSATION (\$ millions)	\$22.8	\$22.9	\$20.6	\$19.2	\$23.7	\$30.1		

For the five-year period ended December 31, 2022, the Corporation's total shareholder return, as shown above, outperformed the S&P/TSX Composite Total Return Index and the TSX Food and Staples Retailing Sub TR Index. During the period, the total cumulative shareholder return for \$100 invested in Common Shares was \$239, compared to \$139 for the S&P/TSX Composite Total Return Index.

Total compensation for the Corporation's NEOs has undergone minor fluctuations over the course of the five fiscal years ended December 31, 2022. Year-over-year fluctuations in the reported total compensation are in part due to changes in the constitution of the NEO group. Over this period, the mix of NEO compensation has changed such that equity-based incentives (LTIP awards) account for approximately 45.9% of all NEO compensation in 2022. The NEO compensation disclosed in the Summary Compensation Table is not strongly correlated to shareholder returns in the short to medium term, in part because equity-based incentives were calculated at the time of grant using grant date fair values, which do not reflect the actual value of compensation received when such incentives vest or are exercised. In the longer term, NEO compensation is directly affected by the Corporation's share price performance. Stock option, RSU and PSU awards directly correlate to the share price and are therefore aligned with shareholder returns.

A substantial portion of NEO pay is at risk. In addition to the LTIP awards, the Corporation's STIP awards are made based on the successful performance of key financial objectives that are tied to the business plan. These at-risk components (the STIP and LTIP awards) for the Loblaw NEOs in 2022 ranged from 81.1% to 89.2% of their total direct compensation.

SUMMARY COMPENSATION TABLE

The following table sets forth the compensation earned by the NEOs during fiscal years 2022, 2021 and 2020, as applicable:

				_	Non-Equity I Plan Compe				
Name and Principal Position	Year	Salary (\$)	Share- Based Awards ⁽¹⁾ (\$)	Option- Based Awards ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Annual Incentive Plans (\$)	Long-Term Incentive Plans (\$)	Pension Value (\$)	All Other Compen- sation ⁽³⁾ (\$)	Total Compensation (\$)
Galen G. Weston	2022	907,200 (4)	3,213,153 ⁽⁵⁾	1,606,104 ⁽⁵⁾	2,661,350	_	— ⁽⁶⁾	35,648	8,423,455
Chairman and	2021	730,546 ⁽⁴⁾	1,649,109 ⁽⁵⁾	824,692 ⁽⁵⁾	2,173,751	_	— ⁽⁶⁾	30,265	5,408,363
President	2020	480,000 (4)	1,600,030 (5)	799,998 ⁽⁵⁾	648,000	_	— ⁽⁶⁾	21,563	3,549,591
Richard Dufresne	2022	760,000 ⁽⁷⁾	1,900,084 (7)	949,753 ⁽⁷⁾	1,756,049	_	42,500	60,969	5,469,355
Chief Financial Officer	2021	497,897 ⁽⁷⁾	_ (7)	_ (7)	1,237,447	_	42,500	39,299	1,817,143
Robert Sawyer	2022	1,000,000	2,666,812	1,332,976	2,900,888	_	42,500	1,412,572 ⁽⁸⁾	9,355,748
Chief Operating Officer	2021	666,667	2,666,798	1,333,201	2,013,699	_	42,500	709,985	7,432,850
Barry Columb	2022	643,750	1,069,693	416,562	905,426 ⁽⁹⁾	2,000,000 (10)	42,500	44,032	5,121,963
President,	2021	625,000	833,386	416,767	855,625 ⁽⁹⁾	_	42,500	42,391	2,815,669
President's Choice Financial	2020	612,500	833,294	416,670	505,369 ⁽⁹⁾	_	42,500	46,811	2,457,144
Jeff Leger	2022	650,000	1,040,085	519,864	1,227,818	_	218,000	46,327	3,702,094
President, SDM	2021	625,000	833,386	416,767	1,250,000	_	442,000	41,078	3,608,231
	2020	625,000	833,294	416,670	597,656	_	107,000	50,277	2,629,897

- (1) Amounts represent the grant date fair value of RSUs and PSUs awarded to the NEOs, calculated in the following manner: RSU Grant Date Value + PSU Grant Date Value. RSU Grant Date Value = Number of RSUs Granted x the greater of the volume-weighted average share price for the one or five trading days preceding the grant date. PSU Grant Date Value = Number of PSUs Granted x the greater of the volume-weighted average share price on the TSX for the one or five trading days preceding the grant date. The grant date fair value of an RSU or PSU award is the same as the accounting grant date fair value of such award on the applicable grant date. Dividends or equivalents of dividends, if any, earned subsequent to a grant date are not included in the values reflected in the table. The grant date fair value of a PSU award assumes vesting at 100% of target. The number of PSUs that may vest will range between 0% and 200% of the number granted.
- (2) These amounts reflect the grant date fair value of the options when granted. The grant date fair value of stock options is calculated in the following manner: Stock Option Value = Number of Stock Options Granted x Black-Scholes-Merton Value. The Corporation has chosen to use Black-Scholes-Merton model as the methodology for calculating the grant date fair value of the options granted as this methodology is commonly used by issuers. To determine the grant date fair value of options granted using the Black-Scholes-Merton model an expected life of 7 years is used, which is based on the contractual term of the options. The other assumptions used in the model are based on relevant market data on the day of the valuation. The Corporation also uses the Black-Scholes-Merton model for accounting purposes. However, the accounting value ascribed at the grant date for the stock options is based on an expected life that reflects historical exercise patterns, as opposed to the contractual term of the option which is used for compensation reporting purposes (see Notes 2 and 26 to the Corporation's annual audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022, for the other assumptions and estimates used for this calculation). As a result, when using the Black-Scholes-Merton value method, there is a difference between the grant date fair value per option for compensation reporting purposes, and the accounting value per option as set forth below:

Grant Date	Accounting Value, in Relation to Grant Date Fair Value for Compensation Reporting Purpose, Per Option	Applicable NEO Optionholder(s)
February 27, 2020	Lower by \$1.21	G. Weston, B. Columb, J. Leger
March 4, 2021	Lower by \$0.27	G. Weston, B. Columb, J. Leger
May 12, 2021	Lower by \$1.08	R. Sawyer
August 5, 2021	Lower by \$1.94	G. Weston
March 3, 2022	Higher by \$3.22	G. Weston, R. Dufresne, R. Sawyer, B. Columb, J. Leger
May 11, 2022	Lower by \$2.47	B. Columb
August 4, 2022	Higher by \$0.44	G. Weston

- (3) Amounts under All Other Compensation include the value of perquisites and payments made by the Corporation under the employee share ownership plans. Other than certain allowances received by Mr. Sawyer as discussed below, the largest single payment received by certain NEOs relates to participation in the Corporation-leased car program with an annual value of approximately \$21,360.
- (4) Since May 6, 2021, the cost of Mr. Weston's base salary is paid 70% by Loblaw and 30% by Weston. Prior to May 6, 2021 Mr. Weston's base salary was allocated 40% to Loblaw and 60% to Weston. Weston paid the following amounts: 2022: \$388,800; 2021: \$490,454; 2020: \$720,000.
- (5) Mr. Weston's annual LTIP grants from the Corporation in 2022, 2021, 2020 had aggregate grant date values of \$4,819,257, \$2,473,801 and \$2,400,028, respectively.
- (6) Mr. Weston does not participate in any retirement plans and does not have any other retirement or pension arrangement with the Corporation.
- (7) Since May 6, 2021, the cost of Mr. Dufresne's base salary is paid 80% by Loblaw and 20% by Weston. Prior to May 6, 2021 Mr. Dufresne's base salary was allocated 100% to Weston. Weston paid the following amounts: 2022: \$190,000; 2021: \$452,103. For 2021, Mr. Dufresne did not receive an LTIP grant from Loblaw. The cost of Mr. Dufresne's LTIP for 2021 was allocated 100% to Weston.
- (8) For 2022, "All Other Compensation" for Mr. Sawyer included: (a) housing rental reimbursement of \$90,000; (b) travel reimbursement of \$543,676; and (c) tax equalization and other taxable benefits of \$729,936.
- (9) For further details on Mr. Columb's 2022 long-term incentive plan payout see the "Summary of Payout of 2017 Incentive applicable to Barry Columb, President, President's Choice Financial" section on page 65 of this Circular.

INCENTIVE PLAN AWARDS

INCENTIVE PLAN AWARDS - OUTSTANDING OPTION-BASED AWARDS AND SHARE-BASED AWARDS

The following table sets forth the number and value of all unexercised option-based and share-based awards granted to NEOs outstanding as at December 31, 2022:

_		Opti	on-Based Awards	Share-Based Awards			
Name	Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#)	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date	Value of Unexercised In The Money Options ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Number of Shares or Units of Shares That Have Not Vested (#)	Market or Payout Value of Share- Based Awards That Have Not Vested ⁽²⁾ (\$)	Market or Payout Value of Vested Share-Based Awards Not Paid Out or Distributed (\$)
Galen G. Weston	60,730	58.00	March 3, 2023	3,748,256	83,189	9,959,431	_
Chairman and	93,333	59.00	March 2, 2024	5,667,180			
President	104,364	55.69	March 1, 2025	6,682,427			
	82,136	65.55	February 28, 2026	4,449,307			
	97,919	70.06	February 27, 2027	4,862,658			
	89,010	62.67	March 4, 2028	5,078,021			
	1,836	86.30	August 5, 2028	61,359			
	100,112	99.33	March 3, 2029	2,041,284			
	6,877	117.67	August 4, 2029	14,098			
Richard Dufresne	35,989	59.00	March 2, 2024	2,185,252	19,393	2,321,764	_
Chief Financial	15,216	57.66	August 2, 2024	944,305			
Officer	65,636	99.33	March 3, 2029	1,338,318			
Robert Sawyer	122,989	71.32	May 12, 2028	5,952,668	65,592	7,852,621	_
Chief Operating Officer	92,120	99.33	March 3, 2029	1,878,327			
Barry Columb	10,171	55.69	March 1, 2025	651,249	36,782	4,403,523	_
President,	39,357	65.55	February 28, 2026	2,131,969			
President's Choice Financial	51,000	70.06	February 27, 2027	2,532,660			
	46,359	62.67	March 4, 2028	2,644,781			
	28,788	99.33	March 3, 2029	586,987			
	5,504	115.84	May 11, 2029	21,356			
Jeff Leger	15,140	59.00	March 2, 2024	919,301	36,830	4,409,310	176,910 ⁽³⁾
President, SDM	33,167	55.69	March 1, 2025	2,123,683			
	25,667	65.55	February 28, 2026	1,390,381			
	51,000	70.06	February 27, 2027	2,532,660			
	46,359	62.67	March 4, 2028	2,644,781			
	35,927	99.33	March 3, 2029	732,552			

⁽¹⁾ The value of outstanding vested and unvested option-based awards is calculated based on the closing price for the Common Shares on the TSX on December 31, 2022, which was \$119.72.

⁽²⁾ The value of RSUs and PSUs held by the NEOs is calculated based on the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on December 31, 2022, which was \$119.72, multiplied by the number of RSUs or PSUs held, as applicable. The value of a PSU award assumes vesting at 100% of target.

⁽³⁾ Mr. Leger elected to take all or a portion of his STIP award in the form of EDSUs for certain years.

INCENTIVE PLAN AWARDS - VALUE VESTED OR EARNED DURING THE YEAR

The following table sets forth the value of option-based and share-based awards of the NEOs that vested during fiscal 2022, as well as the value of non-equity incentive plan compensation that the NEOs earned during fiscal 2022. The dollar value of the option-based and share-based awards is calculated using the number of units vested/earned multiplied by the closing price of the Common Shares on the TSX on the applicable vesting date.

Name	Option-Based Awards — Value Vested During The Year (\$)	Share-Based Awards — Value Vested During The Year (\$)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation — Value Earned During The Year ⁽¹⁾ (\$)
Galen G. Weston			
Chairman and President	3,574,475	2,939,845	2,661,350
Richard Dufresne			
Chief Financial Officer	470,365	_	1,756,049
Robert Sawyer			
Chief Operating Officer	1,040,249	_	2,900,888
Barry Columb			
President, President's Choice Financial	1,762,082	1,647,365	2,905,426
Jeff Leger			
President, SDM	1,291,429	918,510	1,227,818

⁽¹⁾ Payments made in accordance with the Corporation's STIP.

PENSION PLAN AND LONG SERVICE EXECUTIVE ARRANGEMENTS

The Corporation's retirement programs are designed to facilitate the retirement of executives who have served over the long term. The NEOs, other than Mr. Weston, who does not participate in any pension plan, participate in the same retirement programs as other executives and receive no additional enhancements in determining their pension benefits. The NEOs, other than Mr. Weston, participate in the Consolidated Executive Plan as well as the corresponding SERP. All newly hired or newly appointed executives join the defined contribution portion of the Consolidated Executive Plan.

SDM EXECUTIVE PENSION PLAN

The SDM Executive Pension Plan provides for an annual pension benefit equal to 2% of the average of the highest consecutive 36-months base salary (excluding incentive awards) times years of credited service, limited to 70% of the average 12-month base salary (excluding incentive awards) immediately prior to retirement. The following table sets forth details regarding Mr. Leger, who participates in the SDM Executive Pension Plan:

	Number of Years	Annual B Payal (\$)		Opening Present Value of Defined		Non-	Closing Present
Name	Credited Service (#)	At Year End	At Age 65	Benefit Obligation (\$) ⁽¹⁾	Compensatory Change (\$)	Compensatory Change (\$)	Value of Defined Benefit Obligation (\$) ⁽²⁾
Jeff Leger	14	179,500	334,700	1,809,000	218,000	-2,000	2,025,000

⁽¹⁾ Discount rate is 3.30%.

CONSOLIDATED EXECUTIVE PLAN - DEFINED BENEFIT PROVISIONS AND SERP

The Consolidated Executive Plan includes defined benefit plan provisions that provide a reasonable level of retirement income to executives to reward them for their service. Pension entitlements for an executive who participates in the defined benefit portion of the Consolidated Executive Plan is based on length of service and eligible salary. The total annual benefits payable under the defined benefit component of the Consolidated Executive Plan and corresponding SERP combined is capped at \$125,000 per year. The defined benefit provisions of both plans were closed to new participants in 2006. None of the Corporation's NEOs participate in the Consolidated Executive Plan - Defined Benefit Provisions.

⁽²⁾ Discount rate is 5.30%.

CONSOLIDATED EXECUTIVE PLAN - DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PROVISIONS AND SERP

Executives who do not participate in the defined benefit component of the Consolidated Executive Plan participate on a non-contributory basis in the defined contribution component of the Consolidated Executive Plan and corresponding SERP. Contributions for these plans were set as a percentage of base salary (maximum of \$250,000). In 2022, contributions to the Consolidated Executive Plan were capped at \$30,780 per year, as set forth in the following table:

Age + Years of Service	Employer Contributions as a Percentage of Base Salary
<50	13%
50-60	15%
60+	17%

The Corporation or Weston, as applicable, provide SERP benefits (both defined benefit and defined contribution) to executives for pension accrual in excess of registered plan limits. As noted above, the SERP is an unfunded obligation of the Corporation or Weston and executives who participate in the SERP must comply with certain eligibility provisions in order to receive payment; most notably, executives are not eligible to receive SERP payments while employed by a competitor of the Corporation.

The following table sets forth details regarding the plan participation of Messrs. Dufresne, Sawyer and Columb during 2022:

Name	Accumulated Value at Start of Year (\$)	Compensatory (\$)	Accumulated Value at Year End ⁽¹⁾ (\$)
Richard Dufresne	552,500	42,500	503,700
Robert Sawyer	43,100	42,500	77,500
Barry Columb	1,119,500	42,500	1,029,500

⁽¹⁾ The accumulated value includes interest (investment returns) earned by each member during the financial year ended December 31, 2022.

INDEBTEDNESS OF DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

As of March 13, 2023, none of the current or former directors or executive officers of the Corporation or any of its subsidiaries was indebted to the Corporation or any of its subsidiaries (other than "routine indebtedness" under applicable Canadian securities laws). The following table sets forth certain indebtedness (other than "routine indebtedness" under applicable Canadian securities laws) of the current and former employees of the Corporation and any of its subsidiaries as of March 13, 2023.

Purpose	Aggregate Indebtedness to the Corporation or its Subsidiaries (\$)	Aggregate Indebtedness to Another Entity (\$)
Share purchases	_	_
Other	1,139,250	_

OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR AND OFFICER LIABILITY INSURANCE

The Corporation maintains insurance for the benefit of its directors and officers, and the directors and officers of its subsidiaries, in respect of the performance by them of their duties. This insurance policy is shared with Weston. The Corporation's annual insurance premium in 2022 was \$1,199,000, half of which was paid by Weston. The insurance limit is \$200 million per year on an aggregate basis or per occurrence basis. There is no deductible in the case of directors and officers and a deductible of up to \$1 million for the Corporation.

NORMAL COURSE ISSUER BID

The Corporation has a normal course issuer bid ("NCIB") on the TSX which allows for the purchase and cancellation of up to 16,647,384 Common Shares at market price. A copy of the Corporation's Notice of Intention to make a NCIB, which has been filed with the TSX, can be obtained by the shareholders, without charge, by contacting the Corporation. As at March 13, 2023, the Corporation had purchased a total of 12,385,918 Common Shares for cancellation at a weighted average price of \$116.02 per Common Share under the NCIB.

On February 25, 2020, the Corporation announced an amendment to its then-current NCIB. The amendment permits the Corporation to purchase Common Shares of the Corporation from Weston pursuant to an automatic disposition plan agreement in order for Weston to maintain its proportionate interest in the Corporation. The maximum number of Common Shares that may be purchased pursuant to the NCIB will be reduced by the number of Common Shares the Corporation purchases from Weston. As at March 13, 2023, the Corporation had purchased a total of 6,022,128 Common Shares from Weston under the automatic disposition plan at a weighted average price of \$115.56 per Common Share during the term of the current NCIB.

The current NCIB expires on May 4, 2023. The Corporation intends to refile the NCIB and apply to the TSX to extend the term of the automatic disposition plan to cover the renewed NCIB term.

NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES

Certain financial measures discussed in this Circular, such as Adjusted EBITDA, EBIT Margin and Adjusted EBIT*, are non-GAAP financial measures. For more information on the Corporation's use of non-GAAP financial measures and reconciliations thereof, please see section 17, "Non-GAAP Financial Measures", included in the Corporation's 2022 MD&A, which is incorporated by reference herein and is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com. As discussed in more detail under the "2022 STIP Performance Measures" and "Performance of 2020 PSUs" sections of this Circular, the Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBIT figures reported in this Circular reflect certain additional adjustments for the purposes of determining 2022 STIP performance and 2020 PSU performance, as applicable, as compared to the Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBIT figures reported in the MD&A.

These measures do not have a standardized meaning prescribed by GAAP and therefore they may not be comparable to similarly titled measures presented by other publicly traded companies, and they should not be construed as an alternative to other financial measures determined in accordance with GAAP.

* Adjusted EBIT is referred to in the Corporation's 2022 MD&A as "Adjusted Operating Income".

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

The Corporation is a reporting issuer under the applicable legislation of all of the provinces and territories of Canada and is required to file consolidated financial statements and information circulars with the various securities commissions. The Corporation has filed with those securities commissions its Annual Information Form which, among other things, contains all of the disclosure required by Form 52-110F1 under National Instrument 52-110 – *Audit Committees*.

Copies of the Corporation's latest Annual Information Form, the Corporation's 2022 Annual Report and this Circular can be obtained upon request from the Vice President, Investor Relations of the Corporation at 1 President's Choice Circle, Brampton, Ontario L6Y 5S5.

Financial information is provided in the Corporation's audited consolidated financial statements and management's discussion and analysis for its most recently completed financial year. Additional information about or relating to the Corporation can also be found at www.loblaw.ca and www.sedar.com.

CONTACTING THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Shareholders, employees and other interested parties may communicate directly with the Board through the Independent Lead Director by writing to:

Independent Lead Director c/o Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer & Secretary Loblaw Companies Limited 22 St. Clair Avenue East, Suite 2001 Toronto, Ontario M4T 2S7

Shareholders may also contact the Independent Lead Director with any proposals for director nominees.

BOARD APPROVAL

The contents and sending of this Circular to shareholders entitled to receive notice of the Meeting, to each director, to the external auditor of the Corporation and to the appropriate government agencies have been approved by the Board.

Nick Henn

Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary

Dated in Toronto, Ontario

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March 24, 2023

SCHEDULE A LOBLAW COMPANIES LIMITED

Mandate of the Board of Directors

1. ROLE

The role of the Board is to provide governance and stewardship to Loblaw Companies Limited (the "Company") which consists of reviewing corporate strategy, assigning responsibility to management for achievement of that strategy, establishing limitations on the authority delegated to management and overseeing performance against approved objectives. In fulfilling this role, the Board regularly reviews management's strategic plans to ensure that they continue to be responsive to the changing business environment in which the Company operates. The Board oversees the Company's approach to corporate governance, succession planning, capital structure and finance matters, risk management activities, compliance and ethics matters, internal control over financial reporting, disclosure controls and procedures, environmental, social and governance matters, and information systems. Through its oversight, the Board assesses whether or not it is reasonable to conclude, based on its review and discussions with management and the external auditor, that the Company accurately and fairly reports financial and other information to shareholders, other stakeholders and the public. The Board is required to appoint corporate officers. The Board satisfies itself as to the integrity of senior management, that the Company engages in ethical and legal conduct and that senior management maintains a culture of integrity throughout the Company.

2. RESPONSIBILITIES

To ensure that it fulfills its role, the Board, or any Committee so delegated by the Board, will oversee the following:

a. Strategic Goals, Corporate Performance, Performance Objectives and Operational Policies

The Board will review and, if advisable, approve broad strategic objectives and values against which corporate performance will be measured. In this regard, the Board will:

- Determine, from time to time, the appropriate criteria against which to evaluate performance, and set corporate strategic goals and objectives within this context.
- Monitor and evaluate performance against both corporate strategic goals and objectives.
- Approve long-term strategies.
- Review and approve management's strategic and operational plans so that they are consistent with long-term goals.
- Oversee the development, execution and fulfillment of the Company's strategic plans and the operational policies within which management will operate.
- Approve material transactions, including acquisitions, sales of assets or shares, and financing arrangements.
- Review and approve the Company's dividend policy and approve the payment of dividends.
- Approve targets and budgets against which to measure corporate and executive performance.

b. Finance and Capital Matters

- Review with management and receive periodic reports on the Company's target capital structure.
- Review with management and receive periodic reports on the Company's consolidated balance sheet, including cash, investment assets and debt position.
- Receive periodic reports from rating agencies and updates on any material discussions or communications with rating
 agencies.

c. Executive Compensation and Succession Planning

- Satisfy itself of the appropriateness of all executive and colleague compensation matters and that a portion of
 executive compensation is linked appropriately to corporate performance.
- Satisfy itself that a process is in place with respect to the appointment, development, evaluation and succession of senior management.

d. Delegation of Management Authority to the Chairman and President

- Delegate to the Chairman and President the authority to manage and supervise the business of the Company and to make any decisions regarding the Company's ordinary course of business and operations that are not specifically reserved to the Board under the terms of that delegation of authority.
- Determine what, if any, executive limitations may be required in the exercise of the authority delegated to management.

e. Financial Disclosure

- Oversee the Company's financial reporting and disclosure obligations in accordance with applicable law.
- Based on reviews and discussions with management and the external auditor, approve the Company's financial statements, management's discussion and analysis and related releases.
- Oversee the Company's compliance with applicable audit, accounting and reporting requirements, including in the
 areas of internal control over financial reporting and disclosure controls and procedures.

f. Enterprise Risk Management Program

- Oversee the Company's enterprise risk management program, including its design and structure and assessment of its
 effectiveness.
- Approve the Company's enterprise risk management policy, the risk appetite statement, and management's approach
 to enterprise risk management and its mitigation practices, including the identification, assessment and mitigation of
 the principal risks. Satisfy itself as to the effective oversight of risk management of individual risks by the Board or by
 the Risk and Compliance Committee, through the receipt of periodic reports from the Committee Chair or
 management, as appropriate.
- Delegate, as appropriate, the oversight of enterprise risk management design and structure, assessment of its effectiveness and the oversight of the principal risks to the Risk and Compliance Committee.

g. Related Party Transactions

Approve all proposed material related party transactions and any related party transactions that are not dealt with by a
"special committee" of independent directors pursuant to applicable securities legislation.

h. External Communications

- Satisfy itself that there is effective communication between the Board and the Company's shareholders, other stakeholders and the public.
- At least annually, with the assistance of the Audit Committee, review and approve any material changes to the Company's Disclosure Policy.

i. Corporate Governance

- Develop, and review compliance with, a set of corporate governance principles and guidelines.
- Appoint a Lead Director who is independent to provide leadership to the Board and the independent directors, including presiding over meetings or sessions of the non-management directors and consulting with the Chairman and President on any matters arising out of such sessions.
- Ensure that independent directors hold regular meetings without the attendance of management or non-independent directors.
- On the recommendation of the Governance, Employee Development, Nominating and Compensation Committee, approve the appointment of directors or recommend the election of director nominees to the Board at the annual meeting of shareholders.
- Develop, adopt and regularly review position descriptions for the Chairman and President, the Lead Director and the Chair of each committee of the Board.
- Assess the effectiveness and performance of the Board and its committees as well as their individual members.
- Oversee significant compensation decisions for the directors and for senior executive management.

j. Environmental, Social and Governance ("ESG"), Ethics and Compliance

- Oversee and monitor the Company's approach, policies and practices related to ESG matters.
- On the recommendation of the Risk and Compliance Committee, approve the Company's annual ESG Report.
- Oversee actions taken by management to ensure that senior executives maintain a culture of integrity throughout the Company.
- Review and approve a written code of conduct which is applicable to employees, officers and directors of the Company, and oversee compliance with the code.
- Receive periodic reports on the Company's compliance and ethics matters.

3. COMPOSITION

The Board shall be comprised of a majority of independent directors. For this purpose, a director is independent if they would be independent within the meaning of the applicable Canadian securities laws, as the same may be amended from time to time. The Board is responsible for the composition and organization of the Board, including: the number, qualifications and remuneration of directors; diversity considerations; the number of Board meetings; quorum requirements; and meeting procedures.

4. COMMITTEES

The Board may establish committees of the Board where required or prudent. The Board may delegate to such committees of the Board matters for which the Board is responsible, including the approval of Board and management compensation, the conduct of performance evaluations and oversight of internal controls, but the Board retains its oversight function and ultimate responsibility for these matters and all other delegated responsibilities. The Board has established the following committees:

- the Audit Committee (comprised entirely of independent directors);
- the Governance, Employee Development, Nominating and Compensation Committee (comprised entirely of independent directors):
- the Risk and Compliance Committee (no more than one member of the Committee shall be a management director); and
- the Pension Committee (a majority of whom shall be non-management directors).

The Board shall provide a forum for discussion and reporting of all matters considered by the committees. Circumstances may warrant the establishment of new committees, the disbanding of current committees or the reassignment of authority and responsibilities amongst committees. The authority and responsibilities of each committee are set out in a written mandate, as approved by the Board. At least annually, each mandate shall be reviewed by the respective committee and submitted to the Board for approval with such amendments as the committee proposes. Each Committee Chair shall provide a report to the Board on material matters considered by the Committee at the next regular Board meeting following such Committee's meeting.

5. ORIENTATION AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

With the Governance, Employee Development, Nominating and Compensation Committee, the Board shall ensure that all directors receive a comprehensive orientation program and continuing education in connection with their role, responsibilities, the business of the Company, and the skills they must use in their roles as directors.

6. EQUITY OWNERSHIP BY DIRECTORS

The Board shall oversee directors' compliance with the Company's Share Ownership Policy.

7. RETENTION OF EXPERTS

The Board may engage any professional advisors including legal, accounting or other experts, at the expense of the Company, as it considers necessary to perform its duties.

8. REVIEW AND APPROVAL

The Mandate of the Board of Directors shall be reviewed and approved by the Board annually.

Loblaw Companies Limited