



## MONKHOUSE LAW

### **Class Actions Associate – Posted June 1, 2019**

Monkhouse Law is offering a great position which allows you to assist people, put your law degree to good use and help those in need in Plaintiff side class actions.

Monkhouse Law is a truly Canadian law firm that is uniquely positioned to help our clients achieve their ambitions in today's challenging employment market.

Monkhouse law is looking for an eager, energetic, associate for it's growing class actions division. Monkhouse law started the first misclassification class action in Canada (*Sondhi v. Deloitte*) and Canada's first 'vacation short-changing' class action (*Singh v. RBC Insurance*) as well as *Morris v. Solar Brokers et al*, the first employment class action to personally name the directors of the Defendant.

We are currently seeking a lawyer to assist with the class actions division of Monkhouse law. The candidate will have an interest or experience with employment law and experience in class actions with 1 to 3 years' experience (2017 to expected 2019 call) to join our team.

### **Ideal Experience, Skills, Competencies:**

- Interest in class proceedings procedure and regulations;
- Experience in legal research and drafting of documents such as factums and motion records;
- Willingness to work to find representative plaintiffs and media relations relating to class actions;
- Good law school grades and/or publications;
- Strong analytical and research skills;

### **Preferred Candidate Requirements:**

- Team player with excellent communication and interpersonal skills and a positive attitude;
- Strong knowledge of computer systems including PC and Mac;
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office;

- Past Employment, Labour and/or Class Actions experience a definite asset;
- Member in good standing with the Law Society of Ontario.

**Responsibilities Include:**

- Management of files from beginning to end at various stages of negotiation and litigation;
- Working independently and following instructions from senior counsel;
- Regular interaction with new and current clients;
- Effective management of deadlines and priorities;
- Supervising and delegating to direct support staff;
- Legal research and drafting of legal documents;
- Docketing time.

**Term:** Requesting 1-year commitment from candidates, position is however, permanent.

**Compensation:** Compensation commensurate with experience, competitive with comparable downtown employment and labour boutique firms.

**Application:** Please submit your law school grades, two writing samples, resume and cover letter to [careers@monkhouselaw.com](mailto:careers@monkhouselaw.com) subject line: Class Action Associate