



ONEX CORPORATION ROLE OF THE LEAD DIRECTOR

The Lead Director is appointed to facilitate the functioning of the Board independently of management, to ensure that directors have an independent contact on matters of concern to them and to ensure the Board's agenda will enable it to successfully carry out its duties. In particular, the Lead Director would provide leadership to the Board if circumstances arose in which the joint role of the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer may be, or may be perceived to be, in conflict and chairs those Board sessions that are attended only by independent directors. To carry out his duties the Lead Director, who is also a member of the Corporation's Audit and Corporate Governance Committee, is knowledgeable on corporate governance practices and developments and is able to provide the necessary guidance. The Lead Director also leads the regular and ongoing assessment of the effectiveness of individual Board members.