Is the title to your home protected? Are you worried about real estate title fraud? Are there other legal issues about your real estate transaction that concern you?

install a pool or add a garage to the property you

should be aware of. Talk to your lawyer as he/she

can provide valuable legal advice in these situations.

are buying, there may be restrictions which you



insurance products generally available in the market

today, a TitlePLUS policy covers all the standard

title related aspects of your deal PLUS the legal

services provided by your lawyer.

Take this opportunity to speak to your real estate lawyer about the benefits of TitlePLUS® title insurance¹ for residential real estate transactions.

Proudly Canadian: TitlePLUS title insurance One-time premium: Unlike other types of is the only all-Canadian title insurance product insurance, the premium for a TitlePLUS policy currently available in the market. is paid only once. Direct coverage: TitlePLUS title insurance Cost savings: A TitlePLUS policy can save you works like other types of insurance; if there is money by eliminating certain searches and a problem that is covered by your policy, you inquiries² and, in most cases, eliminates the need simply contact the title insurer directly to report for an up-to-date survey. In a purchase policy, both you and the lender are covered under the your claim. same policy. Title fraud protection: A TitlePLUS policy Unpaid utility bills and/or appliances: provides coverage for title fraud that may have A TitlePLUS policy may provide coverage for final occurred prior to your purchase or if your property utility bills or appliances which the seller should becomes a target at a later date. have paid for – but didn't. **Building permits:** A TitlePLUS policy may Cottage/recreational properties: These provide coverage where you are required to make types of properties may have access and road repairs to items that were built by the seller without allowance issues. If you are not legally permitted to the proper permits or appropriate inspections. use the road which provides you access to your property – you may lose it. A TitlePLUS policy can provide protection in these situations. **Renovations:** If you are planning to renovate, Legal services coverage³: Unlike other title

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which includes mortgage calculators, a glossary of real estate terms and much more.

A TitlePLUS Purchase Policy

Are you buying a residential property? The TitlePLUS purchase policy is for you. It covers both purchasers and lenders in the transaction. The purchasers' coverage continues for as long as they or their heirs own the property.

TitlePLUS purchase policies are available for new houses or condominiums, resale houses or condominiums, cottages, residential rental units (up to 6 units), rural properties, vacant land, leaseholds⁴ and farms⁴.

A TitlePLUS OwnerEXPRESS® Policy and/or a TitlePLUS Refinance (Mortgage-Only) Policy

If you already own your home but did not get title insurance at the time of purchase, a TitlePLUS OwnerEXPRESS policy is for you.

If you are refinancing your home, a TitlePLUS Refinance (Mortgage-Only) policy provides coverage for the lender only.

Both policies are available for houses, condominiums, cottages, residential rental units (up to 6 units), rural properties, vacant land and leaseholds⁴. TitlePLUS Refinance (Mortgage-Only) policies are also available for farms.

- Are there other legal matters that you need to talk to your lawyer about?
- If you are buying a home, do you need to update your will?
- Be sure to consult with your lawyer who can provide you with valuable legal advice.

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