



## STEP Diploma for Canada Course Comparison Form for the Following STEP Canada Course:

### Trust & Estate Planning

If you are requesting an exemption for the completion of a law school course or for the completion of a course or the attainment of a credential not currently recognized by STEP Canada, you must complete and submit this **form together with your Exemption Application**.

**You must satisfy STEP that there is a very close correlation in both the previously completed course or obtained credential and STEP's *Trust & Estate Planning* Diploma course. Please include as much detail as possible.**

**Name of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Exemption Application:** DD/MM/YYYY

#### 1. Course/Qualification Details

Name of Course/Credential earned: \_\_\_\_\_

Awarding body: \_\_\_\_\_

Date completed: MM/YYYY

Teaching hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Evaluation format (e.g. online exam, closed book proctored exam, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

Post-qualification experience (set out your work experience in the field including timeframes): \_\_\_\_\_

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#### 2. Comparison to STEP Course

STEP Canada Course Name:  
**Trust & Estate Planning**

Name of Course/Credential:

*Summary of Topics Covered (If you require further details, see the detailed description for the course in the Diploma section of the STEP website.):*

*Summary of Topics Covered (Transcribe below the information from a verified course/credential description to match, to the extent possible, the corresponding STEP topics):*

1. The Estate Planning Process

2. Uses of Trusts for Non Tax Reasons

3. Uses of Trusts for Tax Planning



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| 2. Comparison to STEP Course Cont'd                                    |  |
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| 4. Planning for Particular Family Situations                           |  |
| 5. Planning for the Business Owner                                     |  |
| 6. Use of Insurance in Estate Planning                                 |  |
| 7. Post Mortem Tax Planning  |  |
| 8. Designing the Estate Planning to Fit the Client – Avoiding Pitfalls |  |
| 9. Advanced Tax Issues and Traps for Trusts and Estates                |  |
| 10. Charitable Giving  |  |
| 11. U.S. Estate Tax Planning   |  |
| 12. Offshore Basics  |  |

Any further information you would like to include regarding the course/credential you are submitting as comparable (attach schedule if necessary): \_\_\_\_\_

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**2. Comparison to STEP Course Cont'd**

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**3. Confirmation**

I confirm that the details given in Section 1 & 2 are correct.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_