SUPREME COURT OF NOVA SCOTIA (FAMILY DIVISION) Citation: MacLean v. Cox, 2017 NSSC 309

Date: 2017 - 12 - 05 Docket: 1201- 068809; SFHD-096826 Registry: Halifax

Between:

Kelly Anne MacLean

Petitioner

v.

Gregory Edward Cox

Respondent

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Judge: The Honourable Justice Elizabeth Jollimore

Heard: September 13-14, 2017

- **Summary:** Wife sought unequal division of property after 8 year relationship. Proceeds from sale of matrimonial home divided unequally having regard to wife's post-separation payment of all debts. She contributed to her pension for almost 17 years before cohabitation began. The pre-cohabitation pension contributions were not divided. Where there was no evidence of the value of household contents, a mechanism was put in place for them to be divided *in specie*.
- **Key words:** Family property division, debt division, unequal division, pension, household contents
- Legislation: *Matrimonial Property Act*, R.S.N.S. 1989, c. 275, subsections 4(1), 13(a), 13(b), 13(d), 13(d), 13(h)

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