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## FORM 13-501F1 CLASS 1 REPORTING ISSUERS AND CLASS 3B REPORTING ISSUERS – PARTICIPATION FEE

## **MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION**

I, <u>FORZLEY, Harold</u>, an officer of the reporting issuer noted below have examined this Form 13-501F1 ( the **Form**) being submitted hereunder to the Alberta Securities Commission and certify that to my knowl edge, having exercised reasonable diligence, the information provided in the Form is complete and accur ate.

 (s) FORZLEY, Harold
 21 Mar 2024

 Name: FORZLEY, Harold
 Date:

 Title: CFO
 Very Strands Inc. / Nevis Brands Inc. (000032827)

Type of Reporting Issuer:	[X] Class 1 reporting issuer [_] Class 3B reporting issuer

30 Nov 2023

Highest Trading Marketplace: Canadian Securities Exchange (CSE)

Market value of listed or quoted equity securities:

End date of previous financial year:

 Equity Symbol
 NEVI

 1st Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)
 01/12/22 to 28/02/23

\$ 0.075

Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading

day of the specified trading period in which such security quoted on the highest trading marketplace	(i)	
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		13118955 (ii)
Market value of class or series	(i) x (ii)	\$ 983921.63 (A)
2nd Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/03/23 to 31/05/23
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the la day of the specified trading period in which such security quoted on the highest trading marketplace	U	\$ 0.075 (iii)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading pe	U	13118955 (iv)
Market value of class or series	(iii) x (iv)	\$ 983921.63 (B)
3rd Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/06/23 to 31/08/23
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace		\$ 0.14 (v)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		38140327 (vi)
Market value of class or series	(v) x (vi)	\$ 5339645.78 (C)
4th Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		01/09/23 to 30/11/23

Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace		\$ 0.08 (vii)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		38140327 (viii)
Market value of class or series	(vii) x (viii)	\$ 3051226.16 (D)
5th Specified Trading Period (dd/mm/yy)		N/A
Closing price of the security in the class or series on the last trading day of the specified trading period in which such security was listed or quoted on the highest trading marketplace		\$ N/A (ix)
Number of securities in the class or series of such security outstanding at the end of the last trading day of the specified trading period		N/A (x)
Market value of class or series	(ix) x (x)	\$ N/A (E)
<b>Average Market Value of Class or Series</b> (Calculate the simple average of the market value of the class or series of security for each applicable specified trading period (i.e. A through E above))		\$ 2589678.80 (1)
(Repeat the above calculation for each other class or (and a subsidiary, if applicable) that was listed or que financial year)		

financial year)

## Fair value of outstanding debt securities:

(Provide details of how value was determined)	\$ 0.00 (2)
Capitalization for the previous financial year (1) + (2)	\$ 2,589,678.80
Participation Fee	\$ 400.00

Late Fee, if applicable

**Total Fee Payable** (Participation Fee plus Late Fee)

\$ N/A

\$ 400.00