The Honourable John Klebuc, Chief Justice of Saskatchewan, is pleased to announce the appointment of Melanie Baldwin as Registrar and Executive Legal Officer of the Court of Appeal.

Ms. Baldwin received a Bachelor of Laws from the University of Saskatchewan in 1992 and was called to the Bar in Saskatchewan in 1993. She articled with the Olive, Waller, Zinkhan and Waller law firm and practiced there for four years before becoming Board Registrar and Legal Counsel for the Saskatchewan Labour Relations Board in 1997. Ms. Baldwin represented the Board before the Court of Queen’s Bench, Court of Appeal and Supreme Court of Canada.

In 2008, Ms. Baldwin accepted the position of Registrar and Executive Legal Officer for the Court of Queen’s Bench. In this capacity, she has provided leadership and advice in developing and implementing policies, programs and legislative and regulatory review initiatives.

Ms. Baldwin has been active in professional associations, including acting as President of Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers and Chair of the Young Lawyers (South) Section of the Saskatchewan branch of the Canadian Bar Association. She has been a guest lecturer at SIAST, the University of Saskatchewan and the University of Regina.

As of July 1st, Ms. Baldwin can be contacted at 787-5382 or by email at mbaldwin@sasklawcourts.ca.