**AODA Customer Service Policy**

NVT Phybridge strives to provide its goods and services in a way that respects the dignity and independence of people with disabilities. We are also committed to giving people with disabilities the same opportunity to access our goods and services and allowing them to benefit from the same services, in the same place and in a similar way as to other customers.

NVT Phybridge is committed to excellence in serving all customers including people with disabilities and we will carry out our functions and responsibilities in the following areas:

**Assistive devices**

We are committed to serving people who need assistive devices to obtain, use or benefit from our goods and services.

**Communication**

We will communicate with people with disabilities in ways that take into account their disability.

**Service animals**

We are committed to welcoming people with disabilities who are accompanied by a service animal on the parts of our premises that are open to the public and other third parties.

**Support persons**

We are committed to welcoming people with disabilities who are accompanied by a support person. Any person with a disability who is accompanied by a support person will be allowed to enter NVT Phybridge’s premises with his or her support person. At no time will a person with a disability who is accompanied by a support person be prevented from having access to his or her support person while on our premises.

**Notice of temporary disruption**

In the event of a planned or unexpected disruption to services or facilities or services usually used by people with disabilities NVT Phybridge will notify customers promptly. This notice will include information about the reason for the disruption, its anticipated length of time, and a description of alternative facilities or services, if available.

The notice will be placed on the company website and at its Oakville, Ontario office.

**Training**

NVT Phybridge will provide training to employees, volunteers, anyone who provides goods, services or facilities to customers on behalf of the Company and all those who are involved in the development and approval of customer service policies, practices and procedures.

This training will be provided to employees as part of the onboarding process and completed within 90 days.

Training will include:

* An overview of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 and the requirements of the customer service standard
* How to interact and communicate with people with various types of disabilities
* How to interact with people with disabilities who use an assistive device or require the assistance of a service animal or a support person
* What to do if a person with a disability is having difficulty in accessing NVT Phybridge’s goods and services

**Feedback process**

The goal of NVT Phybridge is to meet and surpass customer expectations while serving customers with disabilities. Comments on our services regarding how well those expectations are being met are welcome and appreciated.

Customers who wish to provide feedback on the way NVT Phybridge provides goods and services to people with disabilities can email the company, provide feedback through the “Contact Us” functionality of our website, or verbally by phone or in person. All feedback will be directed to the VP Operations. Customers can expect to hear back in 21 days. Complaints will be addressed according to our organization’s regular complaint management procedures.

**Modifications to this or other policies**

Any policy of NVT Phybridge that does not respect and promote the principles of dignity, independence, integration and equal opportunity for people with disabilities in accessing our good and services will be modified or removed.

**Questions about this policy**

This policy exists to achieve service excellence to customers with disabilities. If anyone has questions about this policy kindly contact VP Operations at NVT Phybridge.

John Croce

Chief Executive Officer

Date: December 1, 2017

*AODA: Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005*