

Capital Markets Tribunal Tribunal des marchés financiers

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## IN THE MATTER OF NVEST CANADA INC., GX TECHNOLOGY GROUP INC., SHORUPAN PIRAKASPATHY and WARREN CARSON

File No. 2023-1

**Adjudicators**: James Douglas (chair of the panel)

Andrea Burke William J. Furlong

November 1, 2024

## **ORDER**

(Subsection 127(1) and section 127.1 of the Securities Act, RSO 1990, c S.5)

WHEREAS on October 25, 26, 27, November 6, December 11, 2023 and April 18, 2024, the Capital Markets Tribunal held a combined merits and sanctions and costs hearing at 20 Queen Street West, 17<sup>th</sup> Floor, Toronto, Ontario;

AND WHEREAS the Tribunal made findings against Nvest Canada Inc., GX Technology Group Inc., Shorupan Pirakaspathy and Warren Carson (the **Respondents**) in its Reasons and Decision issued on November 1, 2024;

ON READING the materials filed by the Ontario Securities Commission and on hearing the submissions of the representative for the Commission, and no one appearing for the Respondents;

## IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- with respect to the Respondents:
  - a. they shall cease trading in any securities or derivatives for a period of 10 years, pursuant to paragraph 2 of s. 127(1) of the Securities Act (Act);
  - b. they shall be prohibited from acquiring any securities for a period of 10 years, pursuant to paragraph 2.1 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*;
  - c. any exemptions contained in Ontario securities law do not apply to them for a period of 10 years, pursuant to paragraph 3 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*;
  - d. they are prohibited from becoming or acting as a registrant or promoter for a period of 10 years, pursuant to paragraph 8.5 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*;

- e. they shall each pay a separate administrative penalty of \$200,000 to the Commission pursuant to paragraph 9 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*;
- f. they shall, on a joint and several basis, disgorge \$293,493.19 to the Commission, pursuant to paragraph 10 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*;
- g. they shall, on a joint and several basis, pay to the Commission \$162,390.10 for the costs of the investigation and hearing; and
- 2. With respect to Pirakaspathy and Carson:
  - a. they shall resign from any position that they may hold as a director or officer of any issuer or registrant, pursuant to paragraphs 7 and 8.1 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*; and
  - b. they shall be prohibited from becoming or acting as a director or officer of any issuer or registrant for a period of 10 years, pursuant to paragraphs 8 and 8.2 of s. 127(1) of the *Act*.

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