

Appendix: Corporate History

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Date of Ontario incorporation	July 23, 1881 ⁷
Date business commenced	July 23, 1881
Date of federal registration	May 2, 1889

Instruments of incorporation and amendments, including continuance:

July 23, 1881	Declaration of Incorporation of the Supreme Court of The Independent Order of Foresters
May 2, 1889	The Supreme Court of The Independent Order of Foresters was incorporated through a Special Act of Canadian Parliament
1913	The Independent Order of Foresters Consolidated Act, Chapter 113 of the Statutes of Canada, 1913, continued the Supreme Court of The Independent Order of Foresters as a body corporate, and changed its name to The Independent Order of Foresters
1926	The Independent Order of Foresters acquired the assets and operations of Ancient Order of United Workmen of Ontario and Order of Canadian Home Circles
1931	The Independent Order of Foresters acquired the assets and operations of Royal Templars of Temperance and Modern Brotherhood of America
1952	The Independent Order of Foresters acquired the assets and operations of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association
1972	The Independent Order of Foresters acquired the assets and operations of Order of Scottish Clans
March 7, 1974	The Independent Order of Foresters was incorporated by Letters Patent under the Canadian and British Insurance Companies Act

⁷ The Independent Order of Foresters established itself "independent": of the Ancient Order of Foresters on June 17, 1874 and commenced business. The Independent Order of Foresters was reincorporated as an Ontario based fraternal benefit society on July 23, 1881, and then reincorporated as a federal fraternal benefit society on May 2, 1889.

- 1992 The Independent Order of Foresters acquired the assets and operations of Canadian Foresters Life Insurance Society
- April 2, 2008 The Independent Order of Foresters acquired 100% of the shares of Unity Life of Canada (originally the Ancient Order of Foresters in Ontario) following its demutualization on April 2, 2008.
- January 19, 2011 The Independent Order of Foresters acquired 100% of the shares of First Investors Consolidated Corporation, which is the sole shareholder of First Investors Corporation (a broker-dealer), First Investors Management Company (a 40 Act investment management company), ADM (a transfer agency), and First Investors Life Company (a New York domiciled life insurance company).