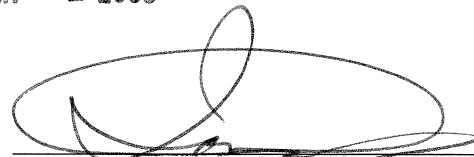


ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

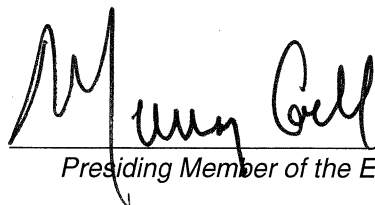
Order in Council No. 183, Approved and Ordered MAR 2 2005

  
Lieutenant Governor

Executive Council Chambers, Victoria

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that, effective April 1, 2005,

- (a) the Continuing Care Fees Regulation, B.C. Reg. 330/97, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule 1, and
- (b) the Hospital Insurance Act Regulations, B.C. Reg. 25/61, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule 2.

  
Minister of Health Services  
Presiding Member of the Executive Council

*(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)*

Authority under which Order is made:

Act and section: Continuing Care Act, s. 6 (1); Hospital Insurance Act, s. 29 (3) (a); Interpretation Act, s. 41 (1) (a) and (b)

Other (specify): OIC 1106/97; OIC 315/61

## SCHEDULE 1

- 1 *Section 1 of the Continuing Care Fees Regulation, B.C. Reg. 330/97, is amended*
  - (a) *by repealing the definition of “health authority” and substituting the following:*  
“**health authority**” means a regional health board designated under the *Health Authorities Act*; ,
  - (b) *in the definition of “person with disabilities”, by striking out “Disability Benefits Program Act” and substituting “Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act”.*
  
- 2 *Section 2 is amended by striking out “Revenue Canada to release to the Minister of Health” and substituting “Canada Customs and Revenue Agency to release to the Minister of Health Services”.*
  
- 3 *Subsection 3 (2) is amended by repealing paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) and substituting the following:*
  - (a) the guaranteed income supplement, the spouse’s allowance or the survivor’s allowance under the *Old Age Security Act* (Canada);
  - (b) income assistance under the *Employment and Assistance Act*;
  - (c) disability assistance under the *Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act*; .
  
- 4 *Section 4 is amended*
  - (a) *by repealing subsection (1) (a) and (b) and substituting the following:*
    - (a) the guaranteed income supplement, the spouse’s allowance or the survivor’s allowance under the *Old Age Security Act* (Canada);
    - (b) income assistance under the *Employment and Assistance Act*;
    - (b.1) disability assistance under the *Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act*; ,
  - (b) *in subsection (2) by striking out “Old Age Security Pension/Guaranteed Income Supplement is \$21.40” and substituting “old age security pension/guaranteed income supplement is \$22.20”, and*
  - (c) *by repealing subsections (3) and (4).*

5 *Section 5 (2) is amended by repealing the table and substituting the following table:*

<b>Column 1</b>	<b>Column 2</b>
<b>Remaining Annual Income</b>	<b>Rate</b>
\$0.00 - \$7 000.00	\$28.10
\$7 000.01 - \$9 000.00	\$30.60
\$9 000.01 - \$11 000.00	\$33.90
\$11 000.01 - \$13 000.00	\$36.90
\$13 000.01 - \$15 000.00	\$40.90
\$15 000.01 - \$18 000.00	\$45.30
\$18 000.01 - \$21 000.00	\$49.50
\$21 000.01 - \$24 000.00	\$53.80
\$24 000.01 - \$27 000.00	\$58.10
\$27 000.01 - \$30 000.00	\$62.70
\$30 000.01 or more	\$67.50

## **SCHEDULE 2**

1 *Section 8.3 of the Hospital Insurance Act Regulations, B.C. Reg. 25/61, is amended by repealing paragraphs (a) and (b) and substituting the following:*

- (a) the guaranteed income supplement, the spouse's allowance or the survivor's allowance under the *Old Age Security Act* (Canada);
- (b) income assistance under the *Employment and Assistance Act*;
- (b.1) disability assistance under the *Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act*; .

2 *Section 8.4 is amended*

*(a) in subsection (1) by striking out "Old Age Security Pension/Guaranteed Income Supplement is \$21.40" and substituting "old age security pension/guaranteed income supplement is \$22.20",*

*(b) by repealing subsection (2), and*

*(c) in subsection (4) by striking out “or (2)” and by repealing the table and substituting the following table:*

<b>Column 1</b>	<b>Column 2</b>
<b>Remaining Annual Income</b>	<b>Rate</b>
\$0.00 - \$7 000.00	\$28.10
\$7 000.01 - \$9 000.00	\$30.60
\$9 000.01 - \$11 000.00	\$33.90
\$11 000.01 - \$13 000.00	\$36.90
\$13 000.01 - \$15 000.00	\$40.90
\$15 000.01 - \$18 000.00	\$45.30
\$18 000.01 - \$21 000.00	\$49.50
\$21 000.01 - \$24 000.00	\$53.80
\$24 000.01 - \$27 000.00	\$58.10
\$27 000.01 - \$30 000.00	\$62.70
\$30 000.01 or more	\$67.50