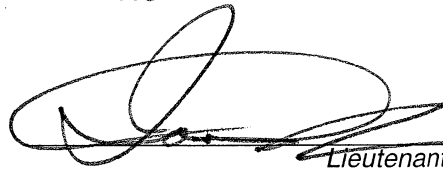


ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. _____

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, Approved and Ordered JUN 28 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 August 19, 2005,

- 1 Schedule 2 of the *Criminal Records Review Act* is amended by deleting item 7, and
- 2 the amendments set out in the attached Appendix are made.


Minister of Health
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:- *Criminal Records Review Act*, s. 29; *Insurance Premium Tax Act*, s. 41; *Motor Vehicle Act*, s. 227; *Crime Victim Assistance Act*, s. 26; *Employment Standards Act*, s. 127; *Evidence Act*, s. 51; *Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admission) Act*, s. 1; *Health Professions Act*, ss. 12, 19, 50, 55; *Health and Social Services Delivery Improvement Act*, s. 6; *Medicare Protection Act*, s. 51; *Pharmacists, Pharmacy Operations and Drug Scheduling Act*, s. 1; *Mines Act*, s. 38

Other (specify):- oic 519/2002; 1155/95; 492/99; 89/2000; 1143/92; 389/96; 174/2002; 249/2005; 1436/97; 1262/88; 1395/83; 961/97

June 20, 2005

APPENDIX

Crime Victim Assistance Act

- 1 *Section 2 of the Crime Victim Assistance (General) Regulation, B.C. Reg. 161/2002, is amended*
- (a) *by repealing paragraph (e), and*
- (b) *in paragraph (g) by adding the following:*
- (x.1) registered nurse; .

Employment Standards Act

- 2 *Section 33 of the Employment Standards Regulation, B.C. Reg. 396/95, is amended by repealing paragraph (a) and substituting the following:*
- (a) a student in an academic or technical program recognized under the bylaws of the College of Registered Nurses of British Columbia as meeting a standard of academic or technical achievement required for registration as a member of that College; .

Evidence Act

- 3 *Section 1 of the Designation Regulation (No. 2), B.C. Reg. 125/99, is amended by repealing paragraph (d) and substituting the following:*
- (d) the College of Registered Nurses of British Columbia; .

Health Care (Consent) and Care Facility (Admissions) Act

- 4 *Section 3 of the Health Care Consent Regulation, B.C. Reg. 20/2000, is amended by repealing paragraph (f).*

Health and Social Services Delivery Improvement Act

- 5 *Section 7 of the Health Sector Labour Adjustment Regulation, B.C. Reg. 39/2002, is amended by adding the following:*
- (b.1) registered nurses; .

Health Professions Act

- 6 *Section 6 of the Health Professions Regulation, B.C. Reg. 237/92, is amended by repealing paragraph (h).*
- 7 *Section 1 of the Licensed Practical Nurses Regulation, B.C. Reg. 71/96, is amended by repealing the definition of “registered nurse” and substituting the following:*

“registered nurse” means a person authorized by the College of Registered Nurses of British Columbia to practise nursing.

Insurance Premium Tax Act

- 8 *Section 1 of the Approved Plan Regulation, B.C. Reg. 143/2005, is amended by repealing paragraph (b) (v).*

Medicare Protection Act

- 9 *Section 45 of the Medical and Health Care Services Regulation, B.C. Reg. 426/97, is amended by*

(a) striking out “the following categories of practitioners” and substituting “the following categories of persons”, and

(b) adding the following:

- (a.1) nurse practitioners: laboratory medicine, diagnostic radiology and imaging services which are associated with the scope of practice of a nurse practitioner; .

Mines Act

- 10 *Section 18 (1) (b) of the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System Regulation (Mines), B.C. Reg. 257/88, is repealed and the following substituted:*

- (b) a person authorized under an enactment to practise nursing, psychiatric nursing or licensed practical nursing in British Columbia, .

Motor Vehicle Act

- 11 *Form 1 in the Schedule to the Blood Sample Certificate Regulation, B.C. Reg. 333/83, is amended by striking out “registered nurse within the meaning of the Nurses (Registered) Act” and substituting “registered nurse authorized under an enactment to practise as a registered nurse in British Columbia”.*

Pharmacists, Pharmacy Operations and Drug Scheduling Act

- 12 *The Prescribed Health Care Profession Regulation, B.C. Reg. 277/97, is amended by adding the following section:*

Nursing as a nurse practitioner

- 3 Nursing as a nurse practitioner is a prescribed health care profession for the purposes of the definition of “practitioner” in section 1 of the *Pharmacists, Pharmacy Operations and Drug Scheduling Act*.