

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA  
ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

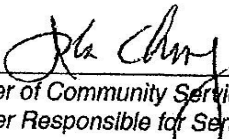
Order in Council No. 292, Approved and Ordered MAY 23 2007


  
~~Lieutenant Governor~~  
Administrator

Executive Council Chambers, Victoria

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the ~~Lieutenant Governor~~<sup>Administrator</sup>, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that

- (a) the Extended Health Care and Dental Plans Regulation, B.C. Reg. 403/97, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix 1,
- (b) the Group Life Insurance Regulation (No. 1), B.C. Reg. 408/97, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix 2, and
- (c) the Long Term Disability Plan Regulation, B.C. Reg. 409/97, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix 3.

  
Minister of Community Services and  
Minister Responsible for Seniors' and Women's Issues

  
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:- Public Service Benefits Plan Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 386, sections 3 and 7

Other (specify):- oic 1325/97

May 22, 2007

R/534/2007/48

## APPENDIX 1

**1 Section 4 of the Extended Health Care and Dental Plans Regulation, B.C. Reg. 403/97, is amended**

**(a) in paragraph (a) by striking out “18 months, or in the case of education leave to a maximum duration of”, and**

**(b) by adding the following paragraph:**

(a.1) despite paragraph (a), an employee is not required to pay the full cost if the leave of absence is for the purpose of working for or volunteering with CUSO;

## APPENDIX 2

***1 Section 10 of the Group Life Insurance Regulation (No. 1), B.C. Reg. 408/97, is amended by adding the following paragraphs:***

- (c) employees granted leave of absence without pay for a period of a full calendar month or more may continue coverage for a maximum duration of 24 months, provided that the employee pays the full cost during the period of absence;
- (d) despite paragraph (c), an employee is not required to pay the full cost if the leave of absence is for the purpose of working for or volunteering with CUSO.

### APPENDIX 3

*1 Section 2.9 of the Long Term Disability Plan Regulation, B.C. Reg. 409/97, is repealed and the following substituted:*

#### **Leave of absence**

- 2.9** (1) Employees on leave of absence without pay may opt to retain coverage under the plan for a period not to exceed 24 months, provided that the employee pays the full premium.
- (2) Despite subsection (1), an employee is not required to pay the full premium if
- (a) the employee is on approved Maternity/Parental/Pre-Placement Adoption Leave, or
  - (b) the leave of absence is for the purpose of working for or volunteering with CUSO.