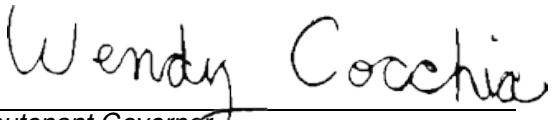


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 481

, Approved and Ordered October 27, 2025



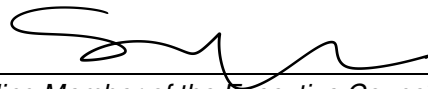
Lieutenant Governor

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 the Independent School Regulation, B.C. Reg. 262/89, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule.



Minister of Education and Child Care



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: *Independent School Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 216, s. 18

Other: *OIC 1282/89*

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SCHEDULE

- 1** *Section 1 of the Independent School Regulation, B.C. Reg. 262/89, is amended*
 - (a) by repealing the definition of “public distributed learning school”, and*
 - (b) by adding the following definition:*

“public online learning school” means an online learning school as defined in the *School Act*.
- 2** *Section 2 (1) is amended by striking out “distributed learning” wherever it appears and substituting “online learning”.*
- 3** *Section 3 is amended*
 - (a) in subsection (1) by striking out “a distributed learning independent school” and substituting “an online learning independent school”,*
 - (b) in subsection (2) by striking out “distributed learning independent school” and substituting “online learning independent school”,*
 - (c) in subsections (2) (b) and (5) by striking out “public distributed learning school” and substituting “public online learning school”, and*
 - (d) in subsections (6) and (7) by striking out “distributed learning” and substituting “online learning”.*
- 4** *Sections 4 and 4.1 are amended by striking out “a distributed learning independent school” wherever it appears and substituting “an online learning independent school”.*
- 5** *Section 6 (3) (b), (4) and (5) is amended by striking out “distributed learning” and substituting “online learning”.*