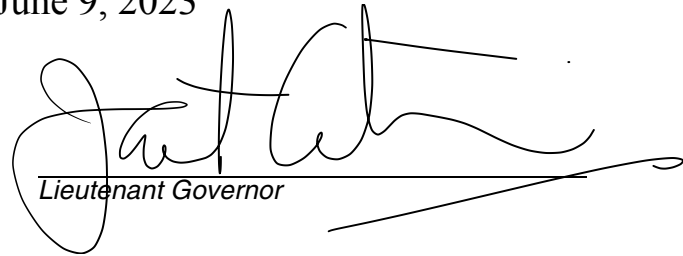


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 343

, Approved and Ordered June 9, 2023



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 July 1, 2023,

- (a) the Employment and Assistance Regulation, B.C. Reg. 263/2002, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule 1, and
- (b) the Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities, B.C. Reg. 265/2002, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule 2.



Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction



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: *Employment and Assistance Act*, S.B.C. 2002, c. 40, s. 35;  
*Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act*, S.B.C. 2002, c. 41, s. 26

Other: O.C. 873/2002; O.C. 874/2002

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## SCHEDULE 1

**1 Section 7 of the Employment and Assistance Regulation, B.C. Reg. 263/2002, is amended**

**(a) in subsection (1) by striking out “or” at the end of paragraph (e), by striking out the period at the end of paragraph (f) and substituting “, or”, and by adding the following paragraph:**

(g) a person who is in Canada under a temporary resident visa under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) that was issued through an emergency authorization process for humanitarian reasons related to armed conflict. , **and**

**(b) in subsection (2) by striking out “or” at the end of paragraph (f), by striking out the period at the end of paragraph (g) and substituting “, or”, and by adding the following paragraph:**

(h) a person who is in Canada under a temporary resident visa under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) that was issued through an emergency authorization process for humanitarian reasons related to armed conflict.

**2 Section 39 is amended**

**(a) in subsection (1) (a) by striking out “sections 41 to 47.21” and substituting “sections 41 to 47.2”,**

**(b) in subsection (2) (c) (i) by striking out “and 47.21”, and**

**(c) by repealing subsection (3.1).**

**3 Section 47.21 is repealed.**

## SCHEDULE 2

**1 Section 6 of the Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Regulation, B.C. Reg. 265/2002 is amended**

**(a) in subsection (1) by striking out “or” at the end of paragraph (e), by striking out the period at the end of paragraph (f) and substituting “, or” and by adding the following paragraph:**

(g) a person who is in Canada under a temporary resident visa under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) that was issued through an emergency authorization process for humanitarian reasons related to armed conflict. , **and**

**(b) in subsection (2) by striking out “or” at the end of paragraph (f), by striking out the period at the end of paragraph (g) and substituting “, or”, and by adding the following paragraph:**

(h) a person who is in Canada under a temporary resident visa under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada) that was issued through an emergency authorization process for humanitarian reasons related to armed conflict.

**2 Section 35 is amended**

**(a) in subsection (1) (a) by striking out “sections 37 to 41.1” and substituting “sections 37 to 41”, and**

**(b) by repealing subsection (4).**

**3 Section 41.1 is repealed.**