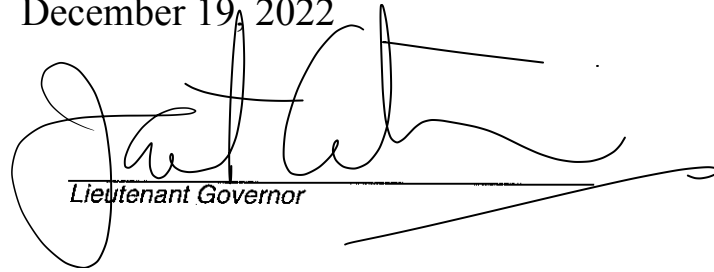


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 681

, Approved and Ordered December 19, 2022



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

- (a) the Employment and Assistance Regulation, B.C. Reg. 263/2002, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix 1, and
- (b) the Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Regulation, B.C. Reg. 265/2002, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix 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: OIC 873/2002; OIC 874/2002

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APPENDIX 1

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

(a) *in the definition of “BC child opportunity benefit” by adding “as it read before January 1, 2023” after “section 13.092 [BC child opportunity benefit] of the Income Tax Act”,*

(b) *by adding the following definition:*

“**BC family benefit**” means an amount deemed to be an overpayment on account of an individual’s liability for the taxation year determined under section 13.092 of the *Income Tax Act* as it read on or after January 1, 2023; , *and*

(c) *in the definition of “child benefits cheque” by adding the following paragraph:*

(h) the BC family benefit; .

2 *Section 11 (1) is amended by adding the following paragraphs:*

(hh.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(hh.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(ww.2) a BC family benefit; .

3 *Schedule B is amended in section 1 (a) by adding the following subparagraphs:*

(xxxi.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(xxxi.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(xliv.2) a BC family benefit; .

4 *Schedule D is amended in section 6 by adding the following paragraphs:*

(nn.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(nn.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(rr.2) a BC family benefit; .

APPENDIX 2

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

(a) *in the definition of “BC child opportunity benefit” by adding “as it read before January 1, 2023” after “section 13.092 [BC child opportunity benefit] of the Income Tax Act”,*

(b) *by adding the following definition:*

“BC family benefit” means an amount deemed to be an overpayment on account of an individual’s liability for the taxation year determined under section 13.092 of the *Income Tax Act* as it read on or after January 1, 2023;, *and*

(c) *in the definition of “child benefits cheque” by adding the following paragraph:*

(h) the BC family benefit; .

2 *Section 10 (1) is amended by adding the following paragraphs:*

(hh.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(hh.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(ww.2) a BC family benefit; .

3 *Schedule B is amended in section 1 (a) by adding the following subparagraphs:*

(xxxii.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(xxxii.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(xlv.2) a BC family benefit; .

4 *Schedule D is amended in section 6 by adding the following paragraphs:*

(oo.1) a rental housing benefit provided under the *Rental Housing Benefit Act* (Canada);

(oo.2) a dental benefit provided under the *Dental Benefit Act* (Canada);

(ss.2) a BC family benefit; .