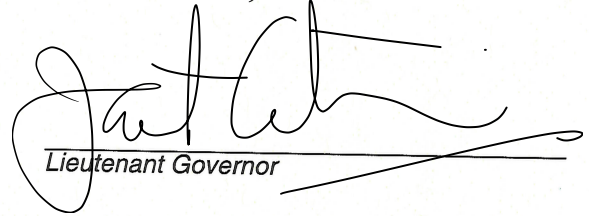


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 640

, Approved and Ordered November 28, 2022



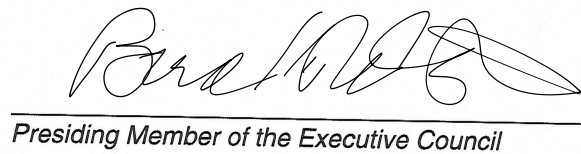
Lieutenant Governor

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 the Drug Plans Regulation, B.C. Reg. 73/2015, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule.



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: *Pharmaceutical Services Act*, S.B.C. 2012, c. 22, ss. 59 (e) and 63 (1)

Other: OIC 231/2015

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SCHEDULE

1 *Section 11 of the Drug Plans Regulation, B.C. Reg. 73/2015, is amended by adding the following definition:*

“BC Housing program” means one of the following programs administered by the British Columbia Housing Management Commission that provide assistance to eligible individuals in relation to monthly rent payments:

- (a) the Rental Assistance Program;
- (b) the Shelter Aid for Elderly Renters program; .

2 *Section 18 (1) is amended by repealing paragraph (b) and substituting the following:*

- (b) deduct all of the following from the amount calculated under paragraph (a):
 - (i) if the relevant taxation year is 2018 or before, the amounts, if any, reported on Lines 117 and 125 of each notice of assessment;
 - (ii) if the relevant taxation year is after 2018, the amounts, if any, reported on Lines 11700 and 12500 of each notice of assessment;
 - (iii) the total of all payments received by the registrant and the registrant’s spouse under a BC Housing program during the taxation year in relation to which the calculation under paragraph (a) is made.

3 *Section 25 (2) (c) is amended by adding the following subparagraph:*

- (v.1) proof of amounts received under a BC Housing program; .