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 Letters Patent, in the form attached, be issued to reclassify the District of Mission as a city.

Minister of Municipal Affairs

Presiding Member of the Executive Council

Authority under which Order is made:

Act and section:  Local Government Act, R.S.B.C. 2015, c. 1, s. 11

Other: OIC 3306/1969
Whereas the District of Mission is a municipality incorporated by Letters Patent issued on October 22, 1969 (Order in Council 3306/1969), and

Whereas a request has been received by the Minister of Municipal Affairs from the Council of the District of Mission to change the classification of the municipality to a city, and

Whereas the Council of the District of Mission has obtained electoral approval for the proposed change in classification in accordance with section 86 of the Community Charter, and

Whereas the Lieutenant Governor in Council considers it to be in the public interest to change the municipal classification as requested;

Now know ye that We do by these presents proclaim and order as follows:
Class and name of municipality

1 The District of Mission is reclassified as a city and the municipality is to be called and known by the name of the “City of Mission”.

References to municipality

2 On or after the date these Letters Patent are issued, a reference to the District of Mission in any commercial paper, lease, licence, permit or other contract, instrument or document is deemed to be a reference to the City of Mission.

Actions continue to be valid

3 All bylaws, permits, resolutions, licences and other actions passed, made, issued, taken or otherwise approved by the District of Mission remain in full force and effect as if passed, made, issued, taken or otherwise approved by the City of Mission.

4 The Letters Patent issued on October 22, 1969 for the District of Mission are amended

(a) by striking out “shall be incorporated as a district municipality” and substituting “shall be incorporated as a city”, and

(b) by repealing section 1 and substituting the following:

1. The municipality shall be called and known by the name of the “City of Mission”.

In testimony whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, The Honourable Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this 29th day of March , two thousand twenty-one and in the seventieth year of Our Reign.

By Command.

[Signature]

Attorney General and Minister Responsible for Housing
(Counter signature for the Great Seal)

[Signature]

Lieutenant Governor

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