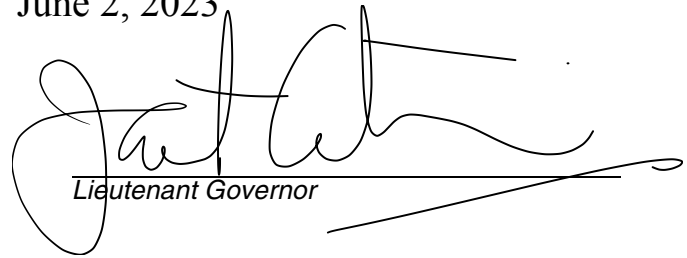


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 332

, Approved and Ordered June 2, 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

- (a) sections 1, 9, 12, 13, 15, 18, 46, 53, 54, 55, 57, 59, 60, 61 and 62 of the *Professional Governance Amendment Act, 2022*, S.B.C. 2022, c. 19, are brought into force,
- (b) the Professional Governance General Regulation, B.C. Reg. 107/2019, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix A,
- (c) the Architects Regulation, B.C. Reg. 33/2023, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix B, and
- (d) the Employment Standards Regulation, B.C. Reg. 396/95, is amended as set out in the attached Appendix C.



Minister of Post-Secondary Education and Future Skills



Presiding Member of the Executive Council

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*(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)*

**Authority under which Order is made:**

Act and section: *Professional Governance Amendment Act, 2022*, S.B.C. 2022, c. 19, s. 67;  
*Professional Governance Act*, S.B.C. 2018, c. 47, s. 118 (2);  
*Employment Standards Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 113, s. 127 (2)

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Other: OIC 1155/95; OIC 250/2019; OIC 64/2023; OIC 65/2023

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## APPENDIX A

**1** *Section 1.3 of the Professional Governance General Regulation, B.C. Reg. 107/2019, is amended*

*(a) by striking out “councillors” and substituting “board members”,*

*(b) by striking out “councillor” and substituting “board member”, and*

*(c) by striking out “president” in both places and substituting “board chair”.*

**2** *Sections 1.6 and 1.8 are amended by striking out “council” wherever it appears and substituting “board”.*

**3** *Section 3 is amended by striking out “council” in both places and substituting “board”.*

**4** *Section 4 is repealed and the following substituted:*

### **Interpretation – interim elections to board**

**4** In sections 5 and 6 of this regulation,

(a) a reference to a board is to be read as including a board under an affected Act,

(b) a reference to a registrant is to be read as including a member of an affected body,

(c) a reference to a registrant board member is to be read as including a board member under an affected Act, and

(d) a reference to a regulatory body is to be read as including an affected body.

**5** *Section 5 (b) (i) is amended by striking out “councillor” and substituting “board member”.*

**6** *Section 6 is amended*

*(a) in subsections (1) and (4) (a) (ii) by striking out “councillors” and substituting “board members”,*

*(b) in subsections (4) (a) (i) and (f) by striking out “councillor” and substituting “board member”, and*

*(c) by striking out “council” wherever it appears and substituting “board”.*

**7** *Schedule 2 is amended by striking out “council” in both places and substituting “board” and by striking out “Council” and substituting “Board”.*

## APPENDIX B

**1** *Section 1 of the Architects Regulation, B.C. Reg. 33/2023, is amended by adding the following definition:*

**“building height”** means building height as defined in the building code; .

**2 Section 2 is amended**

**(a) by repealing subsection (1) (b) and (c) and substituting the following:**

(b) its council under the former Act is continued as a board established under section 23 of the Act,

(c) each individual who was a councillor of the council under the former Act is continued as a board member under the Act, , **and**

**(b) in subsection (2) by striking out “councillor” wherever it appears and substituting “board member” and by striking out “council” and substituting “board”.**

**3 Section 5 is amended**

**(a) in subsection (2) by striking out “gross area of 470 m<sup>2</sup> or more” wherever it appears and substituting “gross area that exceeds 470 m<sup>2</sup>”,**

**(b) in subsection (2) (d) by striking out “except as permitted in article 3.1.2.5. of the building code,”,**

**(c) in subsection (2) (e) (ii) by striking out “area of 600 m<sup>2</sup> or more” and substituting “area that exceeds 600 m<sup>2</sup>”,**

**(d) in subsection (2) (e) (iii) by striking out “that has 4 or more storeys” and substituting “that has a building height of 4 or more storeys”, and**

**(e) in subsection (3) (a) (i) by adding “major” after “the building’s”.**

**4 Sections 7 (5) and 8 are amended by striking out “council” and substituting “board”.**

**5 Section 1 (a) of Schedule 1 is amended**

**(a) by repealing subparagraphs (i) and (iii), and**

**(b) in subparagraph (v) by striking out “paper”.**

## **APPENDIX C**

**1 The Employment Standards Regulation, B.C. Reg. 396/95, is amended in section 31 (f.1) by striking out “, architectural technologist or intern architect”.**