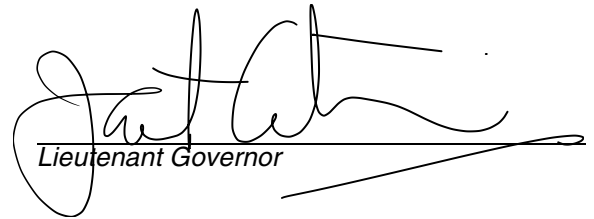


PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 649

, Approved and Ordered November 29, 2021



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 17 and 78 of the *Budget Measures Implementation Act, 2021*, S.B.C. 2021, c. 18, are brought into force,
- (b) the Employer Health Tax Regulation, B.C. Reg. 268/2018, is amended as set out in Appendix 1, and
- (c) the Speculation and Vacancy Tax Regulation, B.C. Reg. 275/2018, is amended as set out in Appendix 2.



Minister of Finance



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: *Budget Measures Implementation Act, 2021*, S.B.C. 2021, c. 18, s. 85;
Employer Health Tax Act, S.B.C. 2018, c. 42, s. 106;
Speculation and Vacancy Tax Act, S.B.C. 2018, c. 46, s. 138

Other: OIC 725/2018; OIC 727/2018

APPENDIX 1

- 1 The Employer Health Tax Regulation, B.C. Reg. 268/2018, is amended by adding the following section:*

Communication of information – prescribed enactments

- 5** For the purposes of section 90 (5) (j) [*communication of information*] of the Act, the following enactments are prescribed:
- (a) the *Business Number Act*;
 - (b) section 8 of the *Financial Administration Act*.

APPENDIX 2

- 1 The Speculation and Vacancy Tax Regulation, B.C. Reg. 275/2018, is amended by adding the following section:*

Communication of information – prescribed enactment

- 8** Section 8 of the *Financial Administration Act* is prescribed for the purposes of section 120 (5) (j) [*communication of information*] of the Act.