



Canada  
Province of British Columbia  
A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,  
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the  
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

**To all to whom these presents shall come – Greeting**

WHEREAS Bullying Awareness Day (Pink Shirt Day) highlights British Columbia's commitment to a safe and inclusive province, and

WHEREAS acts of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, intimidation and violence have a profound effect on an individual's feelings of safety, self-worth and ability to learn, and

WHEREAS acts of bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, intimidation and violence are unacceptable in a safe, caring and orderly society, and

WHEREAS communities, workplaces, families, schools and individuals all have critical roles to play in modelling, teaching and promoting socially responsible behaviour, and

WHEREAS Bullying Awareness Day (Pink Shirt Day) recognizes efforts to build communities fostering respect, inclusion, fairness, equity and compassion, and

WHEREAS Bullying Awareness Day (Pink Shirt Day) is an opportunity to actively promote respectful and kind behaviour, and

WHEREAS Bullying Awareness Day (Pink Shirt Day) is an occasion to celebrate the actions of individuals, schools and communities to address bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, intimidation and violence;

NOW KNOW YE THAT, We do by these presents proclaim and declare that February 27, 2019 shall be known as

**“Bullying Awareness Day (Pink Shirt Day)”**

in the Province of British Columbia.

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 twenty-second day of November, two thousand eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

  
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Attorney General  
(counter signature for the Great Seal)

  
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Lieutenant Governor