

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 it is desirable that employers, workers and the community at large be made aware of the need to undertake basic organizational and attitudinal changes in the workplace to reduce the incidence of occupational injuries and illnesses, and

WHEREAS the Province of British Columbia, through WorkSafeBC (the Workers' Compensation Board) and other provincial agencies, supports the efforts of the development and promotion of individuals and organizations who are committed to safer working practices, and raising public awareness of workplace hazards, and

WHEREAS the British Columbia and Yukon region of the Canadian Society of Safety Engineering and the NAOSH Week Steering Committee–BC, together with the British Columbia Government and its agencies, promote the open communication of occupational health and safety information among workers and employers;

NOW KNOW YE THAT, We do by these presents proclaim and declare that the week of May 6 to 12, 2018 shall be known as

"North American Occupational Safety and Health Week"

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 Judith Guichon, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this thirteenth day of April, two thousand eighteen and in the sixty-seventh year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General (counter signature for the Great Seal)

Lieutenant Governor