

EC2024-716

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
MINISTER OF FINANCE
AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
(COORDINATED VAPING PRODUCT TAXATION AGREEMENT)
WITH THE
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

Pursuant to clause 10(a) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Finance to enter into a Coordinated Vaping Product Taxation Agreement with the Government of Canada, as represented by the Minister of Finance of Canada, to administer a coordinated taxation regime on vaping products, effective upon signing, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-717

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
(RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
WITH
ABEGWEIT FIRST NATION

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with Abegweit First Nation, for Abegweit Cultural Grounds and Adventure Plan under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to March 31, 2025, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-718

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
(RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
WITH
RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL KINGS

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Rural Municipality of Central Kings, for Community Upgrades under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to October 1, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-719

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
 MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
 AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
 (RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
 WITH
 RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL PRINCE

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Rural Municipality of Central Prince, for Equipment under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to October 31, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-720

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
 MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
 AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
 (RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
 WITH
 TOWN OF KENSINGTON

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Town of Kensington, for Fire Department and Gym Equipment under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to December 31, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-721

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
 MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
 AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
 (RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
 WITH
 RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF MIMINEGASH

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Rural Municipality of Miminegash, for Fire Hall Upgrades under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to December 31, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-722

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
 MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
 AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
 (RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
 WITH
 RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF MURRAY RIVER

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Rural Municipality of Murray River, for Hall

Upgrades under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to December 31, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-723

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
(RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
WITH
RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ST. PETERS

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Rural Municipality of St. Peters, for Community Upgrades under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to December 1, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-724

EXECUTIVE COUNCIL ACT
MINISTER OF FISHERIES, TOURISM, SPORT AND CULTURE
AUTHORITY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT
(RURAL GROWTH FUNDING AGREEMENT)
WITH
TOWN OF THREE RIVERS

Pursuant to clause 10(c) of the *Executive Council Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-12 Council authorized the Minister of Fisheries, Tourism, Sport and Culture to enter into an agreement with the Town of Three Rivers, for Gear Replacement under the Rural Growth Initiative program, effective upon signing to December 31, 2024, such as more particularly described in the draft agreement.

EC2024-725

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION ACT
SPECIAL WARRANT
(SUPPLEMENTARY CAPITAL EXPENDITURE
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024/25)
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Pursuant to subsection 37(1) of the *Financial Administration Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. F-9, Council ordered that a Special Warrant do issue authorizing a supplementary payment out of the Operating Fund (Capital) for the Department of Transportation and Infrastructure as follows:

Account Class	Account Name	Amount
	Capital Improvements - Highways	
0362-5010	Provincial Paving	\$4,000,000
0371-5010	National and Collector Highways	8,580,000
0368-5010	National and Collector Highways	3,900,000
0359-5010	Bridges	<u>4,450,000</u>
	Total	<u>\$20,930,000.00</u>

Further, Council noted that \$4,321,500 of this amount will be partially offset by revenue.

EC2024-726

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
KATHY CONNOR AND JOHN CONNOR
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Kathy Connor and John Connor, both of Severn, Ontario to acquire a land holding of approximately one decimal zero six (1.06) acres of land at Brackley Beach, Lot 33, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Message Centre P.E.I. Inc. and Pelleco Inc., both of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-727

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
DIANNE DELANEY
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Dianne Delaney of Edmonton, Alberta to acquire a land holding of approximately four decimal nine three (4.93) acres of land at Central Kildare, Lot 3, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Edward Cahill of Alberton, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-728

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
DIANNE DELANEY
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Dianne Delaney of Edmonton, Alberta to acquire a land holding of approximately five decimal two two (5.22) acres of land at Central Kildare, Lot 3, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Edward Cahill of Alberton, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-729

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
WESLEY ELLIS AND DANIELLE DE BOUCHERVILLE TAILLON
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Wesley Ellis and Danielle De Boucherville Taillon, both of Nepean, Ontario to acquire a land holding of approximately twenty-three decimal seven eight (23.78) acres of land at Skinners Pond, Lot 1, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Rose Gavin and Leigh Gavin, both of Seacow Pond, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-730

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
VICTORIA FISHER
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2024-623 of June 19, 2024, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for Victoria Fisher of Ottawa, Ontario to acquire an interest in a land holding of approximately decimal nine two (.92) acre of land at Malpeque, Lot 18, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Catherine Pettigrew of Osgoode, Ontario.

EC2024-731

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
VICTORIA FISHER
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Victoria Fisher of Ottawa, Ontario to acquire an interest in a land holding of approximately one decimal two eight (1.28) acres of land at Malpeque, Lot 18, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Catherine Pettigrew of Osgoode, Ontario.

EC2024-732

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
KATRINA LEDUC
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2022-448 of June 1, 2022, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for Katrina

Leduc of Granby, Quebec to acquire a land holding of approximately twenty-three decimal seven eight (23.78) acres of land at Skinners Pond, Lot 1, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Leigh Gavin and Rose Gavin, both of Seacow Pond, Prince Edward Island .

EC2024-733

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
PHILIPPE RICHOMME AND CAROLE HALBIG
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 4 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Philippe Richomme and Carole Halbig, both of Rawdon, Quebec to acquire a land holding of approximately one decimal zero nine (1.09) acres of land at Chepstow, Lot 45, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Steven T. Wilson, Darlene A. Wilson and Shannon M. Wilson, all of Hamilton, Ontario.

EC2024-734

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
BEACH LIGHT HOLDINGS LTD.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Beach Light Holdings Ltd. of Victoria, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately eight decimal seven three (8.73) acres of land at Albany, Lot 27, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from O'Leary Building Centre Ltd. of Kensington, Prince Edward Island SUBJECT TO the condition that the said real property not be subdivided. The condition preventing subdivision shall be binding on the said Beach Light Holdings Ltd. and on all successors in title.

EC2024-735

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
CA VENTURES INC.
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2024-394 of April 30, 2024, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for CA Ventures Inc. of Summerside, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately seventeen (17) acres of land at DeSable, Lot 29, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Fangyi Tian of Sharon, Ontario.

EC2024-736

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
CA VENTURES INC.
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2024-395 of April 30, 2024, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for CA Ventures Inc. of Summerside, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately eighty-three (83) acres of land at DeSable, Lot 29, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Fangyi Tian, of Sharon, Ontario.

EC2024-737

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
CA VENTURES INC.
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2024-396 of April 30, 2024, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for to CA Ventures Inc. of Summerside, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately nineteen decimal six four (19.64) acres of land at DeSable, Lot 29, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Hong Yang and Fei Tian, both of DeSable, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-738

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
G. VISSER & SONS INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to G. Visser & Sons Inc. of Orwell, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately twenty-six (26) acres of land at Belle River, Lot 62, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Wayne Matheson, of Stratford, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-739

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
ISLAND OCEAN INVESTMENTS LTD.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Island Ocean Investments Ltd. of Kensington, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land

holding of approximately seventeen (17) acres of land at Darnley, Lot 18, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Martin MacDonald of Kensington, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the portion of the said real property that has not received planning approval, being approximately fourteen decimal two nine (14.29) acres, is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-740

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MARVYN'S GARDEN INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Marvyn's Garden Inc. of Elmira, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately sixty-two (62) acres of land at Kingsboro, Lot 47, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from the Province of Prince Edward Island, as represented by the Minister of Finance of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-741

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MARVYN'S GARDEN INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Marvyn's Garden Inc. of Elmira, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately forty (40) acres of land at Lakeville, Lot 47, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Stephen Lank Enterprises Ltd. of Cornwall, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-742

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
MCINNIS GROUP (1993) LTD.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to McInnis Group (1993) Ltd. of Summerside, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately two decimal three (2.3) acres of land at Tyne Valley, Lot 13, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from the Estate of Douglas Ferguson of O'Leary, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-743

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
PLAN2WORK CONSULTING SERVICES INC.
(TO RESCIND)

Council, having under consideration Order-in-Council EC2024-641 of June 19, 2024, rescinded the said Order forthwith, thus rescinding permission for Plan2Work Consulting Services Inc. of Ottawa, Ontario to acquire a land holding of approximately decimal nine two (.92) acre of land at Malpeque, Lot 18, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Catherine Pettigrew of Osgoode, Ontario.

EC2024-744

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
PLAN2WORK CONSULTING SERVICES INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Plan2Work Consulting Services Inc. of Ottawa, Ontario to acquire a land holding of approximately one decimal two eight (1.28) acres of land at Malpeque, Lot 18, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Catherine Pettigrew of Osgoode, Ontario.

EC2024-745

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
R.A. ROSE & SONS LIMITED
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to R.A. Rose & Sons Limited of Lakeville, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately one hundred and fifteen (115) acres of land at Rock Barra, Lot 45, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Robert Fortune of Brudenell, Prince Edward Island PROVIDED THAT the said real property is identified for non-development use pursuant to the Land Identification Regulations (EC606/95) made under the said Act.

EC2024-746

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
R.A. ROSE & SONS LIMITED
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to R.A. Rose & Sons Limited of Lakeville, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of

approximately two decimal two five (2.25) acres of land at Rock Barra, Lot 45, Kings County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Robert Fortune of Brudenell, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-747

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
STONEWORX CONCRETE LIMITED
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 and section 9 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Stoneworx Concrete Limited of Bonshaw, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately sixty-six (66) acres of land at DeSable, Lot 29, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Fangyi Tian of Sharon, Ontario SUBJECT TO the condition that the said real property not be subdivided. The condition preventing subdivision shall be binding on the said Stoneworx Concrete Limited and on all successors in title.

EC2024-748

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
WESTCOUNTRY FARMS INC.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to Westcountry Farms Inc. of Richmond, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately three decimal eight (3.8) acres of land at Arlington, Lot 14, Prince County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from Barrie Millar Phillips and Margaret "Peggy" Christine Phillips, both of Tyne Valley, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-749

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND
LANDS PROTECTION ACT
PETITION TO ACQUIRE A LAND HOLDING
WM&M (1993) Ltd.
(APPROVAL)

Pursuant to section 5 of the *Prince Edward Island Lands Protection Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. L-5 Council granted permission to WM&M (1993) Ltd. of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island to acquire a land holding of approximately two decimal four two (2.42) acres of land at Charlottetown, Queens County, Province of Prince Edward Island, being acquired from 103345 P.E.I. Inc. of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island.

EC2024-750**PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS ACT
ACTING PREMIER
APPOINTMENT**

Under authority of subsection 4(2) of the *Public Departments Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. P-29 the following appointment was made:

Honourable Bloyce Thompson to be Acting Premier and Acting President of the Executive Council commencing on the 3rd day of August 2024 and continuing for the duration of the absence from the Province of Honourable Dennis King.

EC2024-751**PUBLIC SECTOR PENSION PLAN ACT
AND
TEACHERS' PENSION PLAN ACT
INVESTMENT POLICY**

Pursuant to subsection 5(4) of the *Public Sector Pension Plan Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. P-32.11 and subsection 9(4) of the *Teachers' Pension Plan Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. T-.01, Council approved the Statement of Investment Policies and Procedures, dated June 7, 2024 for pension plans sponsored by the Province of Prince Edward Island (the Public Sector Pension Plan and the Teachers' Pension Plan), a copy of which is attached to the file copy of this Order in the Office of the Clerk of the Executive Council.

Further, Council rescinded Order-in-Council EC2023-710 of August 8, 2023.

EC2024-752**REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT
COUNSELLING THERAPISTS REGULATIONS
AMENDMENT**

Pursuant to sections 2 and 96 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **The *Regulated Health Professions Act* Counselling Therapists Regulations (EC578/21) are amended by the addition of the following immediately before Part 4:**

Reserved Activities**14.1 Reserved activity, psychosocial intervention**

A counselling therapist may perform the reserved activity of performing a psychosocial intervention with an expectation of modifying a substantial disorder of thought, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, the capacity to recognize reality or the ability to meet the ordinary demands of life.

2. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 adds a new heading and section 14.1 to the regulations, which provides for a counselling therapist to perform the specified reserved activity.

SECTION 2 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

EC2024-753

REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS REGULATIONS AMENDMENT

Pursuant to sections 2 and 96 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **Section 4 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* Medical Practitioners Regulations (EC843/21) is amended**
 - (a) **by the addition of the following after subclause (a)(ii.1):**
 - (ii.2) clinical assistant registration,
 - (b) **by the addition of the following after subclause (b)(ii.1):**
 - (ii.2) clinical assistant registration,

2. **Section 12.1 of the regulations is amended**
 - (a) **by the revocation of clause (a) and the substitution of the following:**
 - (a) meet the education and training requirements set out in subsections 6(1) and (3), respectively;
 - (b) **by the addition of the following after clause (a):**
 - (a.1) for the purpose of clause 12(2)(f) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills by having done one of the following within the five years immediately preceding the application:
 - (i) successfully completed the training requirement set out in subsection 6(3),
 - (ii) actively practiced medicine in the province or in another jurisdiction recognized by the Council to an extent that is acceptable to the Council,
 - (iii) successfully completed a refresher program approved by the Council; and

3. **Section 12.3 of the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words “subsection 6(4)” and the substitution of the words “clause 12.1(a.1)”.**

4. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 12.4:**

Clinical Assistant Registration

12.5 Requirements

An applicant for clinical assistant registration under this Part shall

- (a) meet the education, examination and training requirements set out in subsections 6(1) to (3), respectively;
- (b) for the purpose of clause 12(2)(f) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills by having done one of the following within the five years immediately preceding the application:
 - (i) successfully completed the training requirement set out in subsection 6(3),
 - (ii) actively practiced medicine in the province or in another jurisdiction recognized by the Council to an extent that is acceptable to the Council,
 - (iii) successfully completed a refresher program approved by the Council; and
- (c) pursuant to clause 12(2)(k) of the Act, be enrolled in the Canadian Medical Register as a Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada or have qualifications that the Council accepts as an alternative.

12.6 Supervision

A medical practitioner with clinical assistant registration under this Part shall not practise medicine except under the supervision of a supervisor designated in accordance with section 33.

12.7 Renewal of clinical assistant registration

An applicant for the renewal of clinical assistant registration under this Part shall, for the purpose of subclause 22(2)(a)(ii) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills in accordance with clause 12.5(b).

12.8 No reinstatement

Clinical assistant registration under this Part may not be reinstated under section 24 of the Act.

5. Subsection 15(2) of the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words “with provisional registration or associate registration” and the substitution of the word “registered”.

6. Section 23.1 of the regulations is amended

(a) by the revocation of clause (a) and the substitution of the following:

- (a) meet the education and training requirements set out in subsections 17(1) and (3), respectively;

(b) by the addition of the following after clause (a):

- (a.1) for the purpose of clause 12(2)(f) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills by having done one of the following within the five years immediately preceding the application:
 - (i) successfully completed the training requirement set out in subsection 17(3),
 - (ii) actively practiced medicine in the province or in another jurisdiction recognized by the Council to an extent that is acceptable to the Council,
 - (iii) successfully completed a refresher program approved by the Council; and

7. Section 23.3 of the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words “subsection 17(4)” and the substitution of the words “clause 23.1(a.1)”.

8. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 23.4:**

Clinical Assistant Registration

23.5 Requirements

An applicant for clinical assistant registration under this Part shall

- (a) meet the education, examination and training requirements set out in subsections 17(1) to (3), respectively;
- (b) for the purpose of clause 12(2)(f) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills by having done one of the following within the five years immediately preceding the application:
 - (i) successfully completed the training requirement set out in subsection 17(3),
 - (ii) actively practiced medicine in the province or in another jurisdiction recognized by the Council to an extent that is acceptable to the Council,
 - (iii) successfully completed a refresher program approved by the Council; and
- (c) pursuant to clause 12(2)(k) of the Act, be enrolled in the Canadian Medical Register as a Licentiate of the Medical Council of Canada or have qualifications that the Council accepts as an alternative.

23.6 Supervision

A medical practitioner with clinical assistant registration under this Part shall not practise medicine except under the supervision of a supervisor designated in accordance with section 33.

23.7 Renewal of clinical assistant registration

An applicant for the renewal of clinical assistant registration under this Part shall, for the purpose of subclause 22(2)(a)(ii) of the Act, demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills in accordance with clause 23.5(b).

23.8 No reinstatement

Clinical assistant registration under this Part may not be reinstated under section 24 of the Act.

9. **Subsection 26(2) of the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words “with provisional registration or associate registration” and the substitution of the word “registered”.**

10. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 amends section 4 of the Medical Practitioner Regulations to add a clinical assistant registration part to the family medical register and the specific disciplines register.

SECTION 2 amends section 12.1 of the regulations to set out currency of professional knowledge and skills specific to associate registration in the family medical register.

SECTION 3 amends section 12.3 of the regulations to reference the currency of professional knowledge and skills in the new clause 12.1(a.1).

SECTION 4 amends the regulations by adding a new heading and sections 12.5 to 12.8, which set out the requirements for registration in the new clinical assistant part of the family medical register.

SECTION 5 amends subsection 15(2) of the regulations to refer to any medical practitioner registered under Part 2 who is subject to supervision in practising medicine.

SECTION 6 amends section 23.1 of the regulations to set out currency of professional knowledge and skills specific to associate registration in the specific disciplines register.

SECTION 7 amends section 23.3 of the regulations to reference the currency of professional knowledge and skills in the new clause 23.1(a.1).

SECTION 8 amends the regulations by adding a new heading and sections 23.5 to 23.8, which set out the requirements for registration in the new clinical assistant part of the specific disciplines register.

SECTION 9 amends subsection 26(2) of the regulations to refer to any medical practitioner registered under Part 3 who is subject to supervision in practising medicine.

SECTION 10 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS REGULATIONS AMENDMENT

Pursuant to sections 2 and 96 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. (1) Clauses 14(1)(a) to (g) of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* Physician Assistants Regulations (EC428/23) are revoked and the following substituted:

- (a) performing a procedure on tissue below the dermis, below the surface of a mucous membrane or on the surface of the cornea;
- (b) setting or casting a fracture of a bone or a dislocation of a joint;
- (c) ordering a therapeutic diet that is to be administered by enteral instillation or parenteral instillation;
- (d) administering a substance by injection, transfusion, inhalation, mechanical ventilation, irrigation, enteral or parenteral instillation;
- (e) prescribing or dispensing a drug, as defined in the *Pharmacy Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. P-6.1;
- (f) administering a drug or vaccine by any means;
- (g) putting an instrument, hand or finger
 - (i) beyond the external ear canal,
 - (ii) beyond the point in the nasal passages where they normally narrow,
 - (iii) beyond the pharynx or larynx,
 - (iv) beyond the opening of the urethra,
 - (v) beyond the labia majora,
 - (vi) beyond the anal verge, or
 - (vii) into an artificial opening into the body;
- (h) ordering and interpreting screening and diagnostic tests that do not use prescribed forms of energy;
- (i) applying or ordering the application of sound energy or electrical energy, other than ionizing radiation;
- (j) ordering the application of electrical energy in the form of ionizing radiation to conduct an X-ray;
- (k) managing labour or conducting the delivery of a baby;
- (l) performing allergy challenge testing by any method;

- (m) performing a psycho-social intervention with an expectation of modifying a substantial disorder of thought, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, the capacity to recognize reality or the ability to meet the ordinary demands of life.

(2) Subsection 14(2) of the regulations is revoked and the following substituted:

Supervision agreement and practice description

- (2) A physician assistant shall not perform a reserved activity referred to in subsection (1) except in accordance with the physician assistant’s supervision agreement and practice description referred to in section 12.

2. These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 revokes and replaces clauses 14(1)(a) to (g) of the regulations to expand the list of reserved activities a physician assistant may perform. It also revokes and replaces subsection 14(2) of the regulations to require the performance of a reserved activity in accordance with the physician assistant’s supervision agreement and practice description instead of pursuant to an order of a medical practitioner or nurse practitioner or a Health PEI protocol.

SECTION 2 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT

**REGISTERED NURSES REGULATIONS
AMENDMENT**

Pursuant to sections 2 and 96 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

- 1. The title of the *Regulated Health Professions Act Registered Nurses Regulations (EC551/23)* is amended by the addition of the words “and Registered Psychiatric Nurses” after the words “Registered Nurses”.**
- 2. Section 1 of the regulations is amended**
 - (a) by the addition of the following after clause (f):**
 - (f.1) “**psychiatric nursing**” means the health profession in which a person applies specialized and evidence-based knowledge of psychiatric nursing theory and health and human sciences, skills and judgment in providing services to another person, including
 - (i) the promotion of mental health,
 - (ii) the prevention, management and treatment of mental illness or developmental challenges,
 - (iii) the assistance of individuals, families, groups and communities to achieve an optimal state of health, and
 - (iv) the research, education, management, or administrative activities incidental to performing the services referred to in subclauses (i) to (iii);
 - (b) in clause (g), by the deletion of the period and the substitution of a semi-colon; and**

(c) **by the addition of the following after clause (g):**

(h) **“registered psychiatric nurse”** means a member who is registered in the registered psychiatric nurses register.

3. Section 2 of the regulations is revoked and the following substituted:

2. Designation as regulated health profession

Nursing and psychiatric nursing are designated as regulated health professions.

4. Section 4 of the regulations is amended

(a) **by renumbering it as subsection 4(1); and**

(b) **by the addition of the following after subsection (1):**

Register for psychiatric nursing

(2) The register for psychiatric nursing contains the psychiatric nurses register, which is divided into the following classes:

- (a) general class;
- (b) provisional class;
- (c) special class.

5. Section 12 of the regulations is revoked and the following substituted:

12. Designations

For the purpose of subsection 89(1) of the Act,

- (a) the designations of a registered nurse include the following titles, abbreviations and initials:
 - (i) registered nurse,
 - (ii) R.N. or RN,
 - (iii) Reg. N. or Reg N; and
- (b) the designations of a registered nurse with special authorization pursuant to section 13.1 include the following titles, abbreviations and initials:
 - (i) registered nurse (authorized prescriber),
 - (ii) R.N.(A.P.) or RN(AP),
 - (iii) Reg. N.(A.P.) or Reg N(AP).

6. Subclause 13(1)(e)(iii) is amended by the deletion of the word “larynx” and the substitution of the words “pharynx or larynx”.

7. The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 13:

13.1 Special authorization to perform additional reserved activities

(1) A registered nurse may apply to the registrar, in the form approved by the Council, for a special authorization to perform one or more of the following reserved activities:

- (a) diagnosing a disease, disorder or condition for which a drug listed in clause (c) may be prescribed, dispensed or administered, and communicating the diagnosis in circumstances in which it is reasonably foreseeable that it will be relied on in health care decisions;
- (b) ordering and interpreting screening and diagnostic tests that do not use prescribed forms of energy for the purpose of making a diagnosis under clause (a) or monitoring and managing drug therapy prescribed, dispensed or administered under clause (c);
- (c) prescribing, dispensing and administering the following drugs or classes of drugs:
 - (i) analgesics,

- (ii) antibiotics,
 - (iii) anticoagulants,
 - (iv) antifungals,
 - (v) antihistamines,
 - (vi) anti-inflammatories,
 - (vii) antivirals,
 - (viii) beta2 agonists,
 - (ix) contraceptives,
 - (x) emergency contraceptives,
 - (xi) epinephrine,
 - (xii) glucagon,
 - (xiii) hypoglycemics,
 - (xiv) immune globulins,
 - (xv) inhaled corticosteroids,
 - (xvi) insulin,
 - (xvii) lactation aids or suppressants,
 - (xviii) laxatives,
 - (xix) leukotriene inhibitors,
 - (xx) medicated dressings,
 - (xxi) nicotine replacements,
 - (xxii) opioid antagonist,
 - (xxiii) permethrin,
 - (xxiv) topical anesthetics,
 - (xxv) topical corticosteroids,
 - (xxvi) vitamins;
- (d) prescribing a new dose of a drug indicated by Health Canada for the treatment of diabetes, originally prescribed for that purpose by a person authorized to practise as a medical practitioner or a nurse practitioner under the laws of this province or another province or territory.

Requirements for special authorization

- (2) An applicant is eligible for a special authorization to perform a reserved activity listed in subsection (1), if the applicant has successfully completed
- (a) for the purpose of clauses (1)(a), (b) and (c),
 - (i) a certificate or diploma program in prescribing for registered nurses, approved by the Council; or
 - (ii) an education program that the Council considers substantially equivalent to a program described in subclause (i); and
 - (b) for the purpose of clause (1)(d), a diabetes educator program approved by the Council.

Grant of special authorization

- (3) On receipt of an application in accordance with subsection (1), the registrar may grant the applicant a special authorization to perform a reserved activity listed in subsection (1), if the registrar is satisfied that the applicant meets the applicable requirement in subsection (2).

Referral to the council

- (4) Where the registrar is not satisfied that the applicant meets the applicable requirement in subsection (2), the registrar shall refer the application to the Council.

Review by the council

- (5) On receipt of an application referred by the registrar, the Council shall review the application and may
- (a) direct the registrar to grant a special authorization to perform a reserved activity listed in subsection (1); and
 - (b) impose any terms and conditions on the special authorization that the Council considers appropriate.

Register and certificate

- (6) Where the registrar grants a special authorization under subsection (3) or (5), the registrar shall record the special authorization and any terms and conditions on the special authorization in the register and on the certificate of registration of the registered nurse.

Notice

- (7) Where the Council refuses to grant a special authorization, the Council shall serve on the applicant written notice of and reasons for the refusal.

Suspension, cancellation, expiration, renewal

- (8) A special authorization granted under this section is suspended or cancelled, or expires, on the suspension, cancellation or expiration of the registered nurse's registration, as the case may be, and may be renewed on renewal of the registered nurse's registration.

8. **Clause 17(b) of the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words "for at least 900 hours" and the substitution of the words "to an extent acceptable to the Council".**

9. **Section 23 of the regulations is amended**

- (a) **in clause (f), by the deletion of the word "selling" and the substitution of the word "dispensing"; and**
- (b) **in subclause (h)(iii), by the deletion of the word "larynx" and the substitution of the words "pharynx or larynx".**

10. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 23:**

PART 3.1 – REGISTERED PSYCHIATRIC NURSES**Registration***General Class***23.1 General Class**

- (1) The registrar shall register an applicant in the general class of the registered psychiatric nurses register where
- (a) the registrar is satisfied that the applicant meets all the requirements for registration set out in subsection 12(2) of the Act and these regulations and registers the applicant pursuant to subsection 12(3) of the Act; or
- (b) the Council directs the registrar to register the applicant in the general class pursuant to subsection 12(6) of the Act or reinstate the registration of the applicant in the general class pursuant to subsection 24(4) of the Act.

Reinstatement period

- (2) For the purpose of subsection 24(1) of the Act, a former member may apply for reinstatement of registration in the general class of the registered psychiatric nurses register within three years after a lapse in the registration.

23.2 Education

For the purpose of clause 12(2)(c) of the Act, the requirement for registration under this Part with respect to education is the successful completion of

- (a) an undergraduate degree program in psychiatric nursing, approved by the Council; or
- (b) a psychiatric nursing education program that the Council considers substantially equivalent to a program described in clause (a).

23.3 Examination

- (1) For the purpose of clause 12(2)(d) of the Act, the requirement for registration under this Part with respect to an examination is the successful completion of the Registered Psychiatric Nurses of Canada Examination.

Successful completion of examination

- (2) The successful completion of the examination referred to in subsection (1) means obtaining the established pass mark or other minimum standard approved by the Council.

23.4 Currency requirements

For the purpose of clause 12(2)(f), subclause 22(2)(a)(ii) and clause 24(4)(c) of the Act, to demonstrate currency of professional knowledge and skills, an applicant under this Part shall have done one of the following within the three years preceding the application:

- (a) successfully completed the education requirement set out in section 23.2;
- (b) actively practised psychiatric nursing as a registered psychiatric nurse, without the imposition of any restrictions, in the province or another jurisdiction recognized by the Council, to an extent acceptable to the Council;
- (c) successfully completed a refresher program acceptable to the registrar.

23.5 Insurance requirements

- (1) For the purpose of clause 12(2)(j), subclause 22(2)(a)(v) and clauses 24(4)(f) and 25(3)(c) of the Act, an applicant under this Part or a registered psychiatric nurse, as the case may be, is required to be eligible to or to hold or be covered by professional liability insurance or protection satisfactory to the Council that, at a minimum,
- (a) is issued in the name of the applicant or registered psychiatric nurse or clearly extends to the applicant or registered psychiatric nurse;
 - (b) extends to any practice setting in Prince Edward Island;
 - (c) provides protection of not less than \$10,000,000 per claim or occurrence and an aggregate limit of not less than \$10,000,000;
 - (d) extends to professional liability for any professional service the applicant will be providing or the registered psychiatric nurse provides in practising nursing; and
 - (e) includes an extended reporting period of at least six years in the case of claims-based protection or a minimum retroactive date of six years in the case of occurrence-based or claims-based protection.

Proof of insurance

- (2) An applicant or registered psychiatric nurse, as the case may be, shall provide proof or ensure proof is provided to the registrar that the applicant or registered psychiatric nurse is eligible to hold or be covered by or holds or is covered by, as the case may be, professional liability insurance or protection that meets the requirements of subsection (1).

Provisional Class**23.6 Provisional class**

- (1) The Council may direct the registrar to register an applicant in the provisional class of the registered psychiatric nurses register, where
- (a) the applicant does not meet the examination requirement in section 23.3, subject to the term or condition that the applicant successfully completes the examination requirement in section 23.3 within a specified time period; or
 - (b) the applicant does not meet the requirements for currency of professional knowledge and skills in section 23.4, subject to the term or condition that the applicant successfully completes a refresher program, approved by the Council, within a specified time period.

Renewal

- (2) Registration in the provisional class may be renewed if the time period specified by the Council under subsection (1) has not expired or the Council extends the time period for meeting the term or condition, and section 23.4 does not apply in respect of the renewal of the registration of an applicant registered pursuant to clause (1)(b).

Subject to supervision

- (3) A registered psychiatric nurse registered in the provisional class shall be supervised in practising psychiatric nursing by a registered psychiatric nurse registered in the general class, approved by the Council.

Satisfaction of term or condition

- (4) Where a registered psychiatric nurse satisfies the term or condition imposed under subsection (1), the registrar shall register, or renew or reinstate the registration of, as the case may be, the registered psychiatric nurse in the general class.

No reinstatement

- (5) Registration in the provisional class may not be reinstated.

*Special Class***23.7 Special registration**

- (1) Where the Council directs the registrar to register an applicant in the registered psychiatric nurses register pursuant to subsection 13(3) of the Act, the registrar shall register the applicant in the special class.

No renewal or reinstatement

- (2) Registration in the special class may not be renewed or reinstated.

Designations and Reserved Activities**23.8 Designations**

For the purpose of subsection 89(1) of the Act,

- (a) the designations of a registered psychiatric nurse include the following titles, abbreviations and initials:
- (i) registered psychiatric nurse,
 - (ii) R.P.N. or RPN; and
- (b) the designations of a registered psychiatric nurse with special authorization pursuant to section 23.10 include the following titles, abbreviations and initials:
- (i) registered psychiatric nurse (authorized prescriber),
 - (ii) R.P.N.(A.P.) or RPN(AP).

23.9 Reserved activities

- (1) Subject to subsection (2) and any terms or conditions imposed on the registered psychiatric nurse's registration, a registered psychiatric nurse is authorized to perform the following reserved activities:
- (a) performing a procedure on tissue below the dermis or below the surface of a mucous membrane;
 - (b) administering a substance by injection, transfusion, inhalation, mechanical ventilation, irrigation or enteral or parenteral instillation;
 - (c) administering a drug or vaccine by any means;
 - (d) putting an instrument, hand or finger
 - (i) beyond the external ear canal,
 - (ii) beyond the point in the nasal passages where they normally narrow,
 - (iii) beyond the pharynx or larynx,
 - (iv) beyond the opening of the urethra,
 - (v) beyond the labia majora,

- (vi) beyond the anal verge, or
- (vii) into an artificial opening into the body;
- (e) applying sound energy or electrical energy, other than ionizing radiation;
- (f) performing a psycho-social intervention with an expectation of modifying a substantial disorder of thought, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, the capacity to recognize reality or the ability to meet the ordinary demands of life.

Conditions

- (2) A registered psychiatric nurse shall not perform a reserved activity referred to in subsection (1) unless it is performed pursuant to
 - (a) an order made by a person authorized to practise as a medical practitioner or a nurse practitioner under the laws of this province or another province or territory; or
 - (b) a Health PEI protocol.

Administering a vaccine

- (3) Notwithstanding subsection (2), a registered psychiatric nurse is authorized to administer by any means a vaccine prescribed by a person authorized to practise as a pharmacist under the laws of this province.

23.10 Special authorization to perform additional reserved activities

- (1) A registered psychiatric nurse may apply to the registrar, in the form approved by the Council, for a special authorization to perform the following reserved activities:
 - (a) diagnosing a disease, disorder or condition for which a drug listed in clause (c) may be prescribed, dispensed or administered, and communicating the diagnosis in circumstances in which it is reasonably foreseeable that it will be relied on in health care decisions;
 - (b) ordering and interpreting screening and diagnostic tests that do not use prescribed forms of energy for the purpose of making a diagnosis under clause (a) or monitoring and managing drug therapy prescribed, dispensed or administered under clause (c);
 - (c) prescribing, dispensing and administering the following drugs or classes of drugs:
 - (i) analgesics,
 - (ii) antibiotics,
 - (iii) anti-inflammatories,
 - (iv) antivirals,
 - (v) contraceptives,
 - (vi) emergency contraceptives,
 - (vii) laxatives,
 - (viii) sedatives.

Requirements for special authorization

- (2) An applicant is eligible for a special authorization to perform the reserved activities listed in subsection (1), if the applicant has successfully completed
 - (a) a certificate or diploma program in prescribing for registered psychiatric nurses, approved by the Council; or
 - (b) an education program that the Council considers substantially equivalent to a program described in clause (a).

Grant of special authorization

- (3) On receipt of an application in accordance with subsection (1), the registrar may grant the applicant a special authorization to perform the reserved activities listed in subsection (1), if the registrar is satisfied that the applicant meets the requirement in subsection (2).

Referral to the council

- (4) Where the registrar is not satisfied that the applicant meets the requirement in subsection (2), the registrar shall refer the application to the Council.

Review by the council

- (5) On receipt of an application referred by the registrar, the Council shall review the application and may
- (a) direct the registrar to grant a special authorization to perform the reserved activities listed in subsection (1); and
 - (b) impose any terms and conditions on the special authorization that the Council considers appropriate.

Register and certificate

- (6) Where the registrar grants a special authorization under subsection (3) or (5), the registrar shall record the special authorization and any terms and conditions on the special authorization in the register and on the certificate of registration of the registered psychiatric nurse.

Notice

- (7) Where the Council refuses to grant a special authorization, the Council shall serve on the applicant written notice of and reasons for the refusal.

Suspension, cancellation, expiration, renewal

- (8) A special authorization granted under this section is suspended or cancelled, or expires, on the suspension, cancellation or expiration of the registered psychiatric nurse's registration, as the case may be, and may be renewed on renewal of the registered psychiatric nurse's registration.

11. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 amends the title of the regulations to Registered Nurses and Registered Psychiatric Nurses Regulations.

SECTION 2 amends section 1 of the regulations to add definitions of "psychiatric nursing" and "registered psychiatric nurse".

SECTION 3 revokes and replaces section 2 of the regulations to designate nursing and psychiatric nursing as regulated health professions.

SECTION 4 amends section 4 of the regulations by adding a psychiatric nurses register with three classes: general, provisional and special.

SECTION 5 revokes and replaces section 12 of the regulations to update the possible designations of a registered nurse.

SECTION 6 amends the list of reserved activities for registered nurses in section 13 of the regulations to include placing an instrument, hand or finger beyond the pharynx.

SECTION 7 amends the regulations by adding a new section 13.1, which provides for a registered nurse to apply for special authorization to perform specified reserved activities.

SECTION 8 amends the option for demonstrating currency of professional knowledge and skills in clause 17(b) of the regulations from actively practising for at least 900 hours to an extent acceptable to the Council.

SECTION 9 amends the list of reserved activities for nurse practitioners set out in section 23 of the regulations by removing selling a drug and adding dispensing a drug and including placing an instrument, hand or finger beyond the pharynx.

SECTION 10 amends the regulations by adding a new Part 3.1 – Registered Psychiatric Nurses, which provides for registration in the general class, provisional class or special class of the registered psychiatric nurses register, sets out possible designations of registered psychiatric nurses, sets out reserved activities registered psychiatric nurses may

perform, and provides for a psychiatric nurse to apply for special authorization to perform specified reserved activities.

SECTION 11 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT RESERVED ACTIVITIES REGULATIONS AMENDMENT

Pursuant to subsection 96(1) of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **Section 2 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* Reserved Activities Regulations (EC536/15) is amended**
 - (a) **in clause (e), by the deletion of the period and the substitution of a semicolon; and**
 - (b) **by the addition of the following after clause (e):**
 - (f) performing a psychosocial intervention with an expectation of modifying a substantial disorder of thought, mood, perception, orientation or memory that grossly impairs judgment, behaviour, the capacity to recognize reality or the ability to meet the ordinary demands of life.
2. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 8:**
9. **Exemption, assisting physiotherapist**
For the purpose of subsections 86(3) and (4) of the Act, persons employed to assist a physiotherapist are exempted in respect of applying electrical and sound energy in the provision of treatment in the course of their employment and under the supervision of a physiotherapist who is physically present.
3. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 amends section 2 of the regulations by adding a reserved activity.

SECTION 2 adds a new section 9 to the regulations, which sets out an exemption from the prohibition in subsection 86(2) of the Act against performing a reserved activity unless authorized by regulations or another enactment. It exempts persons employed to assist a physiotherapist in respect of applying electrical or sound energy in the provision of treatment in the course of their employment, provided they are under the supervision of a physiotherapist who is physically present.

SECTION 3 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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RENEWABLE ENERGY ACT

**DEVELOPMENT PERMIT REGULATIONS
AMENDMENT**

Pursuant to subsection 9(1) of the *Renewable Energy Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-12.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **Clause 1(d) of the *Renewable Energy Act* Development Permit Regulations (EC773/08) is revoked and the following substituted:**
 - (d) **“large capacity renewable energy generation facility”** means a renewable energy generation facility that
 - (i) uses a renewable energy source as defined in clause 1(1)(u) of the Act, and
 - (ii) has a name plate capacity equal to or greater than 1 megawatt.
2. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 revokes clause 1(d) of the Development Permit Regulations (EC773/08) and substitutes a new clause 1(d) that defines a large capacity renewable energy generation facility as one that uses any of the sources of renewable energy listed in clause 1(1)(u) of the Act and that has a name plate capacity equal to or greater than 1 megawatt.

SECTION 2 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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RENEWABLE ENERGY ACT

**RENEWABLE ENERGY DESIGNATED AREAS REGULATIONS
AMENDMENT**

Pursuant to section 18 of the *Renewable Energy Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-12.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **Subsection 3(2) of the *Renewable Energy Act* Renewable Energy Designated Areas Regulations (EC766/05) is revoked and the following substituted:**

Exception

 - (2) The Minister may, on application, issue an authorization for the development of a renewable energy generation facility outside of a zone of inclusion if the proposed facility meets the other applicable requirements of the Act, the Development Permit Regulations (EC773/08) made under the Act and these regulations.
2. **These regulations come into force on August 10, 2024.**

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 revokes subsection 3(2) of the Renewable Energy Designated Areas Regulations (EC766/05) and substitutes a new subsection 3(2) to eliminate a condition that no longer applies and to clarify the wording.

SECTION 2 provides for the commencement of these regulations.