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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUMS AMENDMENT ACT, 1998

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### **HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUMS AMENDMENT ACT, 1998**

*(Assented to , 1998)*

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the  
Legislative Assembly of Alberta, enacts as follows:

Amends RSA  
1980 cH-5

**1 The *Health Insurance Premiums Act* is amended by this Act.**

**2 Section 4 is repealed.**

**3 The *Seniors Benefit Act* is amended in section 6(g) by striking out “administering section 4 of that Act” and substituting “determining eligibility for premium subsidies for seniors”.**

**4 This Act comes into force on Proclamation.**

## Explanatory Notes

**1** Amends chapter H-5 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

**2** Section 4 presently reads:

*4(1) If a registrant or the registrant's spouse is receiving a benefit under the Seniors Benefit Act, the registrant is not liable for the payment of premiums on behalf of the registrant, the registrant's spouse or the registrant's dependants.*

*(2) Subsection (1) does not apply to premiums that have become due or become due during a period of time when the registrant or the registrant's spouse is not receiving a benefit under the Seniors Benefit Act.*

**3** Consequential amendment.

**4** Coming into force.