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RCMP HEALTH COVERAGE STATUTES AMENDMENT ACT, 2013

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RCMP HEALTH COVERAGE STATUTES AMENDMENT ACT, 2013

(Assented to , 2013)

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

Alberta Health Care Insurance Act

Amends RSA 2000 cA-20

- 1(1) The Alberta Health Care Insurance Act is amended by this section.
- (2) Section 4(3)(b) is repealed.

Health Insurance Premiums Act

Amends RSA 2000 cH-6

- 2(1) The *Health Insurance Premiums Act* is amended by this section.
- (2) Section 3 is amended
 - (a) in subsection (1) by adding "or" at the end of clause (b) and repealing clause (c);

Explanatory Notes

Alberta Health Care Insurance Act

- **1**(1) Amends chapter A-20 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000.
- (2) Section 4(3)(b) presently reads:
 - (3) A resident is not entitled to the payment of benefits in respect of health services provided to the resident if the resident is
 - (b) a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who is appointed to a rank in it,

Health Insurance Premiums Act

- **2**(1) Amends chapter H-6 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta.
- (2) Section 3 presently reads:
 - 3(1) Except as otherwise provided in this Act, every resident other than

(b) in subsection (3) by adding "or" at the end of clause (a) and repealing clause (b).

Coming into Force

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3 This Act is deemed to have come into force on April 1, 2013.

- (a) a dependant,
- (b) a member of the Canadian Forces who has no dependants in Alberta.
- (c) a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who is appointed to a rank in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and has no dependants in Alberta, or
- (d) a person serving a term of imprisonment in a penitentiary as defined in the Corrections and Conditional Release Act (Canada) who has no dependants resident in Alberta,

is liable to the Minister for and shall, subject to this Act and the regulations and according to whether the resident is a person with or without dependants, pay to the Minister in advance on behalf of the resident and the resident's dependants, if any, the amount of the premium prescribed in the regulations.

- (2) The regulations may prescribe different rates of premiums according to whether the registrant liable for payment is a person with or without dependants and, in the case of persons with dependants, according to the number of dependants.
- (3) Persons of the following classes, namely,
- (a) members of the Canadian Forces,
- (b) members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who are appointed to a rank in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, or
- (c) persons serving a term of imprisonment in a penitentiary as defined in the Corrections and Conditional Release Act (Canada)

shall pay, in respect of their dependants, the premiums prescribed by the regulations, but are not liable for the payment of premiums in respect of themselves.

(4) This section does not apply to premiums prescribed pursuant to section 2(1)(0).

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