



Career and Employment Information Services

Subject: Ministerial Order Re-establishing and Appointing Members to the Disability Related

Employment Supports Review Committee (DRESRC)

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BACKGROUND:

The Minister has signed Ministerial Order (MO) No. 2017-12 which re-establishes the Disability Related Employment Supports Review Committee (DRESRC) and appoints members to the Committee under section 7 of the DRES Regulation. In February 2017, a MO rescinded, in error, the MO which established the DRESRC.

DRES funds individualized supports and/or services to help Albertans overcome the disability-related barriers to their education, career and employment goals. Assistance includes job search, workplace and educational supports.

The DRESRC provides advice to the director during the review of a decision to help ensure decisions are fair and equitable and are within parameters established by legislation, regulations, policy and agreements.

The re-established Committee includes the following members. Designates may act in the place of these members:

- Senior Program Planner assigned to DRES Policy, Career and Employment Information Services, Financial Supports, Delivery Services Portfolio, Community and Social Services;
- Director, Program Development and Innovation, Disabilities, Inclusion and Accessibility, Community and Social Services; and
- Director, Student Services, Student Aid, Advanced Education.

INTENT:

To ensure a MO establishing and appointing members to the DRESRC is in place and is posted in the Alberta Works Policy Manual.

POLICY:

The following MO has been posted.

Ministerial Order No. 2017-12