



ALBERTA

COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES
Office of the Minister

Ministerial Order No. 2018-20

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 10 of the Schedule of the *Income and Employment Supports Act* (the *Act*), the Minister may determine the amount or value of a supplementary income support payment or allowance and the frequency with which the payment or allowance may be provided, for the purposes of Schedule 4 of the Income Support, Training and Health Benefits Regulation (the Regulation);

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to Ministerial Order No. 2018-08, child supplement allowance eligibility and amounts were established;

AND WHEREAS *An Act to Combat Poverty and Fight for Albertans with Disabilities* provides for the annual adjustment of income support payment amounts by the Alberta Consumer Price Index (CPI) in accordance with the Act and Regulations;

AND WHEREAS it is desirable to re-establish child supplement allowance provisions as previously set out in Ministerial Order No. 2018-08 for the purposes of determining eligibility and calculating amounts for the 2019 CPI adjustment year;

I, IRFAN SABIR, Minister of Community and Social Services, effective January 1, 2019:

- 1 Determine that a child supplement allowance may be provided to a barriers to full employment household unit or an expected to work or working household unit that:
 - (a) is not eligible to receive the Canada Child Benefit, or
 - (b) is eligible to receive the Canada Child Benefit and is receiving less than \$205 per month per dependent child;
- 2 Determine the amount of a child supplement allowance to be:
 - (a) \$205 per month per dependent child, where the household unit is not receiving the Canada Child Benefit, or
 - (b) the difference between \$205 per month per dependent child and the amount of the Canada Child Benefit that the household unit is receiving per month per dependent child; and

3 Rescind Ministerial Order No. 2018-08.

DATED this 5TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2018.



Irfan Sabir
Minister of Community and Social Services