



ALBERTA

COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES  
*Office of the Minister*

## Ministerial Order No. 2021-012

WHEREAS the Government of Alberta may provide the Working Parents Benefit, a one-time payment of \$561 per child aged 12 years and under, to parents whose gross household income was \$100,000 or lower in the 2020 tax year, and who paid for regulated or unregulated full-time child care for at least three months between April 2020 and December 2020;

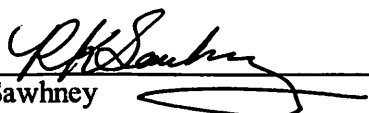
AND WHEREAS pursuant to section 1(1)(y) of Schedule 2 of the Income Support, Training and Health Benefits Regulation (the Regulation) under the *Income and Employment Supports Act*, the Minister may exempt any payment received from the Government of Alberta, to the extent determined by the Minister, from the determination of financial resources;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to section 1(1)(n.2) of Schedule 1 of the Regulation, the Minister may exempt any asset or liquid asset that was purchased or obtained with money exempted under 1(1)(y) of Schedule 2 of the Regulation, for the purpose of determining assets for a Barriers to Full Employment household unit or an Expected to Work or working household unit;

I, RAJAN SAWHNEY, Minister of Community and Social Services:

1. Pursuant to section 1(1)(y) of Schedule 2 of the Regulation exempt the Working Parents Benefit payment of \$561 per child received from the Government of Alberta from the determination of financial resources; and
2. Pursuant to section 1(1)(n.2) of Schedule 1 of the Regulation, exempt an asset or liquid asset that was purchased or obtained with money from the Working Parents Benefit payment of \$561 per child received from the Government of Alberta for the purpose of determining assets.

DATED this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.

  
Rajan Sawhney  
Minister of Community and Social Services