



ALBERTA

COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES
Office of the Minister

Ministerial Order No. 2018-09

WHEREAS the Government of Canada replaced the former system of federal child benefits, including the National Child Benefit Supplement, with the Canada Child Benefit effective July 1, 2016;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to sections 21(1)(b) and 21(2)(b) of the Income Support, Training and Health Benefits Regulation (the Regulation) under the *Income and Employment Supports Act*, the Minister may determine the federal child benefit amount that would be provided to the household unit if each dependent child was assumed to be eligible for the federal child benefit for the purposes of the liquid asset tests;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to Ministerial Order No. 2016-25 of the former department of Human Services, federal National Child Benefit Supplement amounts were used to determine eligibility under the liquid asset tests for Income Support households with children;

AND WHEREAS the National Child Benefit Supplement will be repealed from the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) effective July 1, 2018;

I, IRFAN SABIR, Minister of Community and Social Services, effective July 1, 2018, pursuant to sections 21(1)(b) and 21(2)(b) of the Regulation, determine the federal child benefit amounts for the purposes of the liquid asset tests as:

- (a) \$192 per month for the first dependent child;
- (b) \$170 per month for the second dependent child; and
- (c) \$162 per month for each remaining dependent child.

DATED this 30 day of June, 2018.

Irfan Sabir

Minister of Community and Social Services