## IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT AND SECTION 7(1)(d) OF THE GENERAL REGULATIONS (ALBERTA REGULATION 325/2002 AS AMENDED) -AND-

## IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION BY THE GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA TO HAVE THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT APPLY TO CERTAIN PERSONS

## **ORDER**

UPON THE APPLICATION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA,

AND UPON READING the letter from the Assistant Deputy Minister of Alberta Employment and Immigration dated April 15, 2011.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that with **effect from the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2011**, those individuals funded under the following employment and training programs, and under the following conditions, shall be deemed to be workers of the Government of Alberta.

- Exposure Courses
- Basic Skills
- Literacy and Numeracy
- Adult Basic Education
- Academic Upgrading
- English Language Training
- University and Technical Institution Entrance Preparation
- Enhanced Language Training only for those individuals receiving funding under Alberta Works
- Language Training Program only for those individuals receiving funding under Alberta Works
- Occupational Training
- Integrated Training (inc. Immigrant Bridging)
- Transitional Vocational Program
- Self-Employment Training
- Workplace Training
- First Nations Training to Employment
- Aboriginal Training to Employment
- Summer Temporary Employment Program

For the following three programs, the learner is covered only when engaged in the job shadowing, work experience or casual labour pool work portion:

- Career and Employment Services
- Job Placement
- Youth Connections

The following conditions will apply to all individuals sponsored under the above-noted programs.

The Deeming Order applies while those persons:

- are in active training and not during any follow-up periods;
- are in tuition-based training or in contract-based training which is funded by AEI; and
- are in attendance in the training and not when those individuals are engaging or participating in extra-curricular sporting, recreational, social or personal fulfillment activities which are not part of the academic requisite or required as a part of the course of training.

The Deeming Order does not apply while those persons:

• are engaged in homework, study or e-learning when they are outside of the training provider's institution

This Deeming Order excludes:

- individuals attending a public institution for which the Alberta Government has existing coverage under Section 7(1) of the General Regulation deeming them to be workers of Advanced Education and Technology
- Apprentices without a sponsoring employer as those persons are already considered Government of Alberta workers under a Board Order under s.
   7(1)(c)(vi). (See Policy 04-01, Establishing Net Earnings, Application 2, Q11).
- Apprentices with a sponsoring employer as that Employers' WCB will cover this Apprentice.

THIS ORDER supersedes the Order dated August 23, A.D. 2006.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 5 day of July, 2011.

THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION BOARD

Per:

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Program Development & Risk Management