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## Dear Client Name:

Pursuant to Section 15.2 of the *Employment and Assistance (EA) Act* or Section 14.2 of the *Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act* (EAPWD) *Act*, the Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation may deny or limit assistance for an individual for whom there is an outstanding arrest warrant under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* (Canada), or any other enactment of Canada in relation to an offence for which a person may be prosecuted by indictment.

The ministry has verified that there is such an outstanding warrant(s) for your arrest. This letter is to inform you that you are therefore ineligible for income or disability assistance. The remaining members of your family unit may still be eligible for income or disability assistance.

You and your family unit may be eligible for a temporary repayable supplement to avoid undue hardship while dealing with the outstanding warrant(s). If you choose to resolve your outstanding warrant(s), you or your family unit may also be eligible for a repayable supplement to cover transportation costs to return to the issuing jurisdiction to resolve the warrant(s).

We suggest that you seek **appropriate legal advice** if you wish to resolve your outstanding warrant(s). We have enclosed an Information Sheet and a listing of legal resources and services in British Columbia.

If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you can ask the ministry to reconsider it. You have 20 business days from the day you were notified of this decision to submit a completed Request for Reconsideration form. We have enclosed our Reconsideration and Appeals brochure to give you more information.

The Ministry of Social Development and Social Innovation operates under the authority of the *Employment and Assistance Act* and Regulations, and the *Employment and Assistance for Persons with Disabilities Act* and Regulations.

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If you have any questions, please contact the ministry by calling toll-free 1 866-866-0800 or, by contacting your local ministry office at Phone number or visit the ministry web site at: <a href="http://www.gov.bc.ca/sdsi/">http://www.gov.bc.ca/sdsi/</a>.

Sincerely,

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