



BRITISH COLUMBIA

January 8, 2021

The Honourable Raj Chouhan
Speaker of the Legislative Assembly
Parliament Buildings
Victoria BC V8V 1X4

Dear Mr. Speaker:

This is a report regarding a regulation made on January 8, 2021 under the *COVID-19 Related Measures Act*, SBC 2020, c. 8 (CRMA). This report is presented pursuant to subsection 4 (2) of the CRMA.

Subsection 4 (4) of the CRMA requires that this report be laid before the Legislative Assembly as soon as possible. Fellow Members of the Legislative Assembly have expressed to me their desire that, despite the Legislative Assembly not currently sitting, reports made under Section 4 of the CRMA be distributed to them by your office as soon as possible.

O.C. 004/2021 repeals Item 23.5 (Food and Liquor Premises, Gatherings and Events (COVID-19) Order No. 2) and Item 23.6 (Use of Face Coverings in Indoor Public Spaces (COVID-19) Order) in Schedule 2 of the CRMA.

On January 8, 2021, the Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General made two Ministerial Orders under the authority of Section 10(1) of the *Emergency Program Act* (EPA):

1. Face Coverings (COVID-19) Order (MO 012/2021)
2. Protective Measures (COVID-19) Order (MO 013/2021)

These orders replace the repealed CRMA provisions referenced above. O.C. 004/2021 also discontinues ticketing for the repealed provisions and authorizes the issuance of violation tickets for the replacement EPA orders.

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Members may direct any questions to me in respect of this report and the effects of the attached regulation.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'D. Eby', written in a cursive style.

David Eby, QC
Attorney General and
Minister Responsible for Housing

Enclosure