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REGULATED HEALTH PROFESSIONS ACT

AUDIOLOGISTS AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS

REGULATIONS

AMENDMENT

Pursuant to sections 2 and 96 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. R-10.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. **Section 4 of the *Regulated Health Professions Act* Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists Regulations (EC590/23) is amended by the addition of the following after clause (a):**

(a.1) provisional registration;

2. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 9:**

Provisional Registration

9.1 Provisional registration

- (1) The Council may direct the registrar to register an applicant under this Part in the provisional registration part where the applicant does not meet the examination requirement in section 7, subject to the term or condition that the applicant successfully completes the examination requirement in section 7 within a specified time period.

Renewal

- (2) Registration in the provisional registration part may be renewed if the time period specified by the Council under subsection (1) has not expired or the Council extends the time period for meeting the term or condition.

Subject to supervision

- (3) An audiologist registered in the provisional registration part shall be supervised in practising audiology by an audiologist registered in the general registration part, approved by the Council.

Satisfaction of term or condition

- (4) Where an audiologist satisfies the term or condition imposed under subsection (1), the registrar shall register the audiologist in the general registration part.

No reinstatement

- (5) Registration in the provisional registration part may not be reinstated.

3. **Section 13 of the regulations is amended by the addition of the following after clause (a):**

(a.1) provisional registration;

4. **The regulations are amended by the addition of the following after section 18:**

Provisional Registration

18.1 Provisional registration

- (1) The Council may direct the registrar to register an applicant under this Part in the provisional registration part where the applicant does not meet the examination requirement in section 16, subject to the term or condition that the applicant successfully completes the examination requirement in section 16 within a specified time period.

Renewal

- (2) Registration in the provisional registration part may be renewed if the time period specified by the Council under subsection (1) has not expired or the Council extends the time period for meeting the term or condition.

Subject to supervision

- (3) A speech-language pathologist registered in the provisional registration part shall be supervised in practising speech-language pathology by a speech-language pathologist registered in the general registration part, approved by the Council.

Satisfaction of term or condition

- (4) Where a speech-language pathologist satisfies the term or condition imposed under subsection (1), the registrar shall register the speech-language pathologist in the general registration part.

No reinstatement

- (5) Registration in the provisional registration part may not be reinstated.

5. These regulations come into force on November 1, 2025.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 amends section 4 of the Audiologists and Speech-Language Pathologists Regulations to add a provisional registration part to the register for audiology.

SECTION 2 amends the regulations to add a new heading and section 9.1, which provides for registration in the provisional registration part of the register for audiology for an applicant who has not yet completed the examination required for registration in the general registration part.

SECTION 3 amends section 13 of the regulations to add a provisional registration part to the register for speech-language pathology.

SECTION 4 amends the regulations to add a new heading and section 18.1, which provides for registration in the provisional registration part of the register for speech-language pathology for an applicant who has not yet completed the examination required for registration in the general registration part.

SECTION 5 provides for the commencement of these regulations.

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SECURITIES ACT**REGULATIONS
AMENDMENT**

Pursuant to section 168 of the *Securities Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. S-3.1, Council made the following regulations:

1. (1) The Schedule to the *Securities Act* Regulations (EC57/08) is amended by the addition of the following after section 1:

- 1.1 The fee payable for an international dealer or adviser
- (a) submitting Form 31-103F2 Submission to Jurisdiction and Appointment of Agent for Service under section 8.18(3)(e) or 8.26(4)(f) of National Instrument 31-103 Registration Requirements, Exemptions and Ongoing Registrant Obligations, or under both of those sections if submitted at the same time, is \$750; and
 - (b) providing a notification under section 8.18(5) or 8.26(5) of National Instrument 31-103 Registration Requirements, Exemptions and Ongoing Registrant Obligations, or under both of those sections if the notifications are provided at the same time, is \$750.

(2) Section 3 of the Schedule to the regulations is revoked and the following substituted:

3. The fee payable for filing every amendment to a preliminary, pro forma or other prospectus is
- (a) \$150 for each issuer; and
 - (b) \$150 for each additional type, class, series of a class or unit of securities offered not previously included in a preliminary, pro forma or other prospectus.

(3) Section 4 of the Schedule to the regulations is amended by the deletion of the words “\$1,000” and the substitution of the words “\$1,200”.

(4) The Schedule to the regulations is amended by the addition of the following after section 4:

- 4.1 The fee payable for filing annual financial statements is \$150 per issuer.
- 4.2 (1) The fee payable for filing a Form 45-106F1 Report of Exempt Distribution is \$25.
- (2) The fee payable for filing a Report of Trade under Securities Local Rule 45-508 Respecting Community Economic-Development Business is nil.

2. These regulations come into force on January 1, 2026.

EXPLANATORY NOTES

SECTION 1 amends the Schedule to the *Securities Act* Regulations (EC57/08) with respect to the fees payable for filing the specified forms and documents. Subsection 1(1) adds a new section 1.1 to the Schedule that establishes a fee of \$750 for filing Form 31-103F2. This fee covers the increased volume of filings and associated processing time by staff, and is consistent with fees charged by most provinces. Subsection 1(2) revokes section 3 of the Schedule and substitutes a new section 3 that continues the \$150 fee for filing an amendment to the specified documents and establishes a new \$150 fee for each additional type, class, series of a class or unit of securities offered that was not previously included, consistent with most provinces. Subsection 1(3) amends section 4 of the Schedule by increasing the fee for filing an annual informational form from \$1,000 to \$1,200, consistent with most provinces. Subsection 1(4) adds new sections 4.1 and 4.2 to the

Schedule. Section 4.1 establishes a new fee of \$150 per issuer for filing annual financial statements. Section 4.2 establishes a new fee of \$25 for issuers filing Reports of Exempt Distribution, and authorizes the filing of Reports of Trade for no fee. These are consistent with the practice in most provinces.

SECTION 2 provides that these regulations come into force on January 1, 2026.