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February 26, 2025

Cynthia Johansen, MAL
Registrar and Chief Executive Officer
British Columbia College of Nurses and Midwives
900-200 Granville Street
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Dear Cynthia Johansen:

Thank you for your letter of January 14, 2025, submitting a resolution of the board of the British Columbia College of Nurses and Midwives dated September 26, 2024, which amends the College bylaws by amending Schedule B - Recognized Practical Nursing Education Programs.

I understand notice of the amendment to the College bylaws, as set out in the resolution, was given in accordance with section 19 (6.2) of the *Health Professions Act* on September 27, 2024. As delegate of the Minister of Health, I acknowledge that the notice period has been satisfied.

Please find enclosed for your records the stamped original resolution which confirms this amendment was filed in accordance with section 19 (3) of the *Health Professions Act* on January 14, 2025, and are effective as of March 17, 2025.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chris Bennett". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Chris Bennett
Executive Director, Professional Regulation and Oversight
Ministry of Health

Enclosure

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF THE BRITISH COLUMBIA COLLEGE OF NURSES AND MIDWIVES PASSED
THE 26th DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2024**

Bylaw Amendments: New Practice Nursing Programs

WHEREAS section 37 of the BCCNM Bylaws provides for the Education Program Review Committee (“EPRC”) to review education programs not yet recognized by BCCNM, and to report to the Board and make recommendations about recognition of such programs and any corresponding amendments to the relevant Schedules of the BCCNM Bylaws;

AND WHEREAS a Panel of the EPRC has recommended the Board grant initial recognition to the Access Practical Nursing Programs to be offered by Sprott Shaw College (Abbotsford and Surrey campuses) for 2 years and 11 months until June 30, 2027 without terms and conditions, and the Generic Practical Nursing Program to be offered by Coast Mountain College (Terrace) for 2 years until August 31, 2026 without terms and conditions, and has further recommended the Board amend Schedule B of the BCCNM Bylaws accordingly.

AND WHEREAS the Board has considered and accepts the EPRC Panel’s recommendations.

RESOLVED THAT the Board grants initial recognition to the Access Practical Nursing Programs to be offered by Sprott Shaw College (Abbotsford and Surrey campuses) for 2 years and 11 months until June 30, 2027 without terms and conditions, and the Generic Practical Nursing Program to be offered by Coast Mountain College (Terrace) for 2 years until August 31, 2026, and has further recommended the Board amend Schedule B of the BCCNM Bylaws accordingly.

FURTHER RESOLVED THAT in accordance with the authority established in section 19 (1) of the Health Professions Act (the “Act”), and subject to filing with the minister as required by section 19(3) of the Act, the Board amends the bylaws of the British Columbia College of Nurses and Midwives, by repealing Schedule B and substituting the attached new Schedule B.

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Cynthia Johansen
Registrar and Chief Executive Officer

SCHEDULE B – RECOGNIZED PRACTICAL NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAMS

(Sections 88, 91, 93)

TABLE A: [Table A repealed October 16, 2020]

TABLE B: EFFECTIVE ON OCTOBER 16, 2020

<i>Educational Institution</i>	<i>Campus</i>	<i>Program Type</i>
Camosun College	Victoria	Generic
CDI College	Richmond	Generic
CDI College	Surrey	Generic
Coast Mountain College	Terrace	Generic & Access
College of New Caledonia	Prince George	Generic
College of the Rockies	Cranbrook	Generic
Discovery Community College	Campbell River	Generic & Access
Discovery Community College	Nanaimo	Generic & Access
Nicola Valley Institute of Technology	Merritt	Access
North Island College	Campbell River	Generic
North Island College	Port Alberni	Generic
North Island College	Comox	Generic
North Island College	Courtenay	Access
Northern Lights College	Dawson Creek	Generic & Access
Okanagan College	Kelowna	Generic & Access
Okanagan College	Penticton	Generic & Access
Okanagan College	Salmon Arm	Generic & Access
Okanagan College	Vernon	Generic & Access

<i>Educational Institution</i>	<i>Campus</i>	<i>Program Type</i>
Selkirk College	Trail	Generic
Sprott Shaw College	Abbotsford	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Downtown Vancouver	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	East Vancouver	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Kamloops	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Kelowna	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	New Westminster	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Penticton	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Surrey	Generic & Access
Sprott Shaw College	Victoria	Generic
Stenberg College	Surrey	Generic
Thompson Rivers University	Williams Lake	Generic
University of the Fraser Valley	Chilliwack	Generic
Vancouver Career College	Abbotsford	Generic
Vancouver Career College	Burnaby	Generic
Vancouver Community College	Vancouver (Broadway)	Generic & Access
Vancouver Island University	Cowichan	Generic
Vancouver Island University	Nanaimo	Access
Vancouver Island University	Nanaimo	Generic