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ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

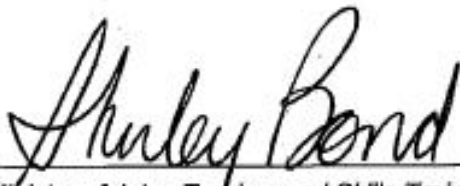
Order in Council No. 184

, Approved and Ordered April 07, 2017

  
Lieutenant Governor

**Executive Council Chambers, Victoria**

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that the Occupational Health and Safety Regulation, B.C. Reg. 296/97, is amended as set out in the attached Schedule.



Minister of Jobs, Tourism and Skills Training and  
Responsible for Labour



Presiding Member of the Executive Council Minister

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*(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)*

**Authority under which Order is made:**

Act and section: Workers Compensation Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 492, ss. 225 and 229

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

April 4, 2017

R/196/2017/96

## SCHEDULE

***1 Section 8.22 of the Occupational Health and Safety Regulation, B.C. Reg. 296/97, is amended***

***(a) in subsection (1) by adding “and that allows the worker to safely perform the worker’s work” after “appropriate to the protection required”,***

***(b) by repealing subsection (2) and substituting the following:***

(2) To determine appropriate footwear under subsection (1), the following factors must be considered:

- (a) slipping;
- (b) tripping;
- (c) uneven terrain;
- (d) abrasion;
- (e) ankle protection and foot support;
- (f) potential for musculoskeletal injury;
- (g) crushing potential;
- (h) temperature extremes;
- (i) corrosive substances;
- (j) puncture hazards;
- (k) electrical shock;
- (l) any other recognizable hazard. , ***and***

***(c) by adding the following subsection:***

(2.1) An employer must not require a worker to wear footwear that does not comply with subsection (1).