

## APPENDIX

### Health Professions Act

#### HEARING AID PRACTITIONERS PROFESSION AMENDMENT REGULATION

**1** The *Hearing Aid Practitioners Profession Regulation* (AR 123/2002) is amended by this Regulation.

**2** Section 1(b) is repealed.

**3** Section 8 is repealed.

**4** The heading “Restricted Activities” preceding section 9 and sections 9 and 10 are repealed.

**5** The heading “Continuing Competence” preceding section 11 is repealed and the heading “Practice Permit Renewal Requirements” is substituted.

**6** Section 11 is repealed and the following is substituted:

##### **Renewal requirements**

**11(1)** In addition to meeting the requirements established under section 40 of the Act, a regulated member applying for renewal of the member’s practice permit must

- (a) have been granted a diploma described in section 3, and successfully completed the educational program described in section 4 within the 3-year period immediately preceding the application for renewal, or
- (b) have practised as a hearing aid practitioner for 1500 working hours in the 3-year period immediately preceding the application for renewal.

**(2)** A regulated member applying for renewal of the member’s practice permit must provide one or more of the following as requested by the Registrar or Registration Committee:

- (a) evidence of being a Canadian citizen or being lawfully permitted to work in Canada;
- (b) evidence of English language proficiency.

**7 The heading “Alternative Complaint Resolution Process” preceding section 12 and sections 12 to 15 are repealed.**

**8 The heading “Reinstatement” preceding section 16 and sections 16 and 17 are repealed.**

**9 Section 18 is amended by striking out “section 17(3)(c)” and substituting “section 45.1(6) of the Act”.**

**10 The heading “Information” preceding section 19 and sections 19 and 20 are repealed.**

**11 This Regulation comes into force on December 31, 2022.**