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EMERGENCY MEASURES ACT RENEWAL OF STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS pursuant to subsection 9(1) of the *Emergency Measures Act*, R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. E-6.1, a state of emergency was declared throughout the whole of the Province of Prince Edward Island by the Minister of Justice and Public Safety ("Minister") effective April 17, 2020 until April 30, 2020, which was renewed from May 1, 2020 until May 31, 2020 and from June 1, 2020 to June 14, 2020;

AND WHEREAS the Minister, on the advice of the Chief Public Health Officer, has determined that an emergency continues to exist as defined in the *Emergency Measures Act*, in Prince Edward Island as a result of COVID-19 (coronavirus), which requires continued co-ordination of action or special regulation of persons or property to protect the health, safety or welfare of people;

AND WHEREAS, pursuant to subsection 15(2) of the *Emergency Measures Act*, a state of emergency may be renewed by the Minister, with the approval of Council;

THEREFORE, Council approves the renewal of the state of emergency declared by the Minister effective June 15, 2020 until June 28, 2020, unless it is sooner terminated or renewed.

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PUBLIC DEPARTMENTS ACT TRANSFER ORDER APPROVED

Pursuant to subsection 5(1) of the *Public Departments Act* R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. P-29 Council

- 1. (a) transferred responsibility for administration of the *Apprenticeship and Trades Qualification Act*, R.S.P.E.I. 1988, Cap. A-15.2 from the Minister of Education and Lifelong Learning to the Minister of Economic Growth, Tourism and Culture; and
- (b) transferred responsibility for control and supervision of Skills PEI and the Apprenticeship and Training Section from the Minister of Education and Lifelong Learning/Department of Education and Lifelong Learning to the Minister of Economic Growth, Tourism and Culture/Department of Economic Growth, Tourism and Culture.

This Order-in-Council is deemed to have come into force on April 1, 2020.

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PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND ESTIMATE OF CURRENT EXPENDITURE FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021

This Council in Committee, having under consideration the Estimates of Current Expenditure required to carry on the Public Service of the Province for the Fiscal Year ending March 31, 2021, and amounting in all to the sum of Two Billion, Two Hundred and Seventy-Eight Million, Nine Hundred and Ninety-Five Thousand, Two Hundred Dollars (\$2,278,995,200), together with a sum sufficient for similar expenditure, to carry on the Public Service of the Province from the expiration of the Fiscal Year ending March 31, 2021 up to and until the final passage of the Current Estimates for the Fiscal Year ending March 31, 2022, it was and is hereby recommended that the Current Estimates be approved by Her Honour, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Prince Edward Island, and be presented to the Legislative Assembly during the present session thereof.