

PART V: REGISTRATION

Repealed

43. Repealed.

Classes of registrants

44. The following classes of registrants are established:

- (a) general;
- (b) conditional;
- (c) conditional (remedial);
- (d) conditional (return to practice);
- (e) temporary;
- (f) temporary (limited scope);
- (g) temporary (emergency);
- (h) non-practising;
- (i) student.

Basic registration requirements

45. (1) An applicant for registration, or reinstatement of registration, must deliver the following to the registrar:
- (a) a completed and signed application for registration, or reinstatement of registration, and a statutory declaration, in Form 1;
 - (b) any applicable administrative, application, jurisprudence examination, registration examination, registration, reinstatement or other fees specified in Schedule 3;
 - (c) any other fee, fine, debt or levy owed to the college;
 - (d) a certified passport size photograph of the applicant taken within one (1) year prior to the date of application;

- (e) a notarized copy, or other evidence satisfactory to the registration committee, of the applicant's
 - (i) Canadian citizenship, or
 - (ii) authorization to reside and work in Canada, or in the case of an applicant for student registration, to reside and study in Canada;
 - (f) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee of the applicant's English language proficiency;
 - (g) a signed criminal record check authorization or criminal record check verification authorization, as applicable, in the form required by the *Criminal Records Review Act*;
 - (h) in the case of an applicant who is practising or has practised midwifery or another health profession in another jurisdiction, an authorization for a criminal record check in that other jurisdiction.
- (2) An applicant for registration, or reinstatement of registration, must
- (a) disclose on her or his application form all information that relates to the applicant and her or his practice of midwifery, including but not limited to the following, regardless of where the events took place:
 - (i) a finding of professional misconduct, incompetence or incapacity by a regulatory authority;
 - (ii) an investigation in process with a regulatory authority;
 - (iii) a reprimand or imposition of conditions or educational requirements by a regulatory authority as a result of a complaint;
 - (iv) an agreement to an undertaking made by consent with a regulatory authority;
 - (v) a dismissal for cause by an employer;
 - (vi) a denial of registration by a regulatory authority;
 - (vii) a voluntary resignation of registration on the request or advice of a regulatory authority;
 - (viii) any verdict and recommendations of a coroner's investigation, coroner's inquiry or coroner's inquest;

- (ix) a coroner's investigation, inquiry or inquest that is in process;
 - (x) a denial, suspension, restriction or modification of hospital admitting privileges or a permit to practice;
 - (xi) a voluntary resignation of hospital privileges on the request or advice of a hospital or health authority administration;
 - (xii) a professional liability insurance claim;
 - (xiii) a settlement or judgement in any civil law suit or particulars of any civil action that is pending where the applicant is a party;
 - (xiv) a conviction in relation to any federal or provincial offence,
- (b) satisfy the registration committee that any deficiency in her or his practice or ethics revealed by the matters disclosed under paragraph (a) has been remedied and there is no undue risk to public health and safety, and
 - (c) satisfy the registration committee of her or his good character consistent with the responsibilities of a registrant and the standards of practice expected of a registrant.
- (3) Subsections (1) and (2) do not apply in respect of
 - (a) an application for registration, or renewal of registration, under section 49.2,
 - (b) an application for registration under section 50, or
 - (c) an application for return to general or temporary registration under section 56.
 - (4) Subsection (2) applies in respect of an application for renewal of registration under section 53.

Repealed

45.1. Repealed.

General registration

- 46. (1) For the purposes of section 20 (2) of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for general registration are

- (a) graduation from a recognized midwifery education program,
- (b) attendance as a midwife, in a jurisdiction where midwifery is recognized by law, at a minimum of sixty (60) births within the five (5) years prior to the date of application under this section, of which
 - (i) at least thirty (30) births were conducted in accordance with the principles of continuity of care, and
 - (ii) at least forty (40) births were attended as the principal midwife, and of those
 - (A) at least five (5) births were in a hospital setting, and
 - (B) at least five (5) births were in an out-of-hospital setting,
- (c) successful completion of the registration examination required by the registration committee, no more than three (3) years prior to the date of application under this section,
- (d) successful completion of the jurisprudence examination required by the registration committee, no more than three (3) years prior to the date of application under this section,
- (e) current certification in neonatal resuscitation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and emergency skills from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee, and
- (f) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) a notarized, certified or other copy acceptable to the registration committee of all certificates, diplomas or degrees, and evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the applicant is the person named therein,
 - (ii) a letter or certificate, in a form satisfactory to the registration committee, from each body responsible for the regulation of midwifery or another health profession in a jurisdiction where the applicant is, or has been, authorized to practice midwifery or another health profession, specifying particulars of any cancellation, suspension, limitation or conditions on the applicant's entitlement to practice, or any investigation, review or proceeding which could lead to cancellation, suspension, limitation or conditions on the applicant's entitlement to practice,

- (iii) proof of professional liability protection or insurance coverage as required under section 58,
 - (iv) the items required under section 45 (1), and
 - (v) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the applicant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 45 (2) (b) and (c).
- (2) Despite subsection (1), an applicant may be granted registration under this section if the applicant
 - (a) is authorized, by a regulatory authority that regulates the practice of midwifery in another Canadian jurisdiction, to practice midwifery in the other Canadian jurisdiction as the equivalent of a general registrant,
 - (b) satisfies the registration committee that she or he is in good standing and currently authorized to practice midwifery in the other jurisdiction, with no practice restrictions, limitations or conditions,
 - (c) for the purpose of meeting the requirements of subsection (2) (a), provides the registrar with a signed consent authorizing the regulatory body in any Canadian jurisdiction in which the applicant is currently or was previously registered to provide the registrar with a letter of good standing in respect of the applicant, and
 - (d) meets the conditions and requirements established in subsection (1) (d), (e) and (f) (ii) to (v).
- (3) Despite subsection (1), the registration committee has discretion, in satisfying itself under section 20 of the *Act* that the applicant meets the conditions or requirements for registration as a member of the college under this section, to
 - (a) consider whether the applicant's knowledge, skills and abilities are substantially equivalent to the standard of academic and technical achievement and the competencies or other qualifications established in subsection (1) (a) and (b), and
 - (b) grant registration under this section on that basis if the applicant also meets the conditions and requirements established in subsection (1) (c) to (f).
- (4) Despite subsection (1), an applicant may be granted registration under this section if the applicant
 - (a) is appointed to the full-time faculty of a recognized midwifery education program,

- (b) is a graduate of
 - (i) a recognized midwifery education program, or
 - (ii) a midwifery education program in a jurisdiction where midwifery is recognized by law,
- (c) has attended as a midwife, in a jurisdiction where midwifery is recognized by law, at a minimum of two hundred (200) births,
- (d) has attended as a midwife, in a jurisdiction where midwifery is recognized by law, at a minimum of twenty five (25) births within the five (5) years prior to the date of application under this section, of which
 - (i) at least fifteen (15) births were conducted in accordance with the principles of continuity of care,
 - (ii) at least twenty (20) births were attended as the principal midwife, and of those, at least five (5) births were in a hospital setting, and
 - (iii) at least five (5) births were in an out-of-hospital setting and were attended as the principal midwife or as the second midwife, and
- (e) meets the conditions and requirements established in subsection (1) (c) to (f).

Repealed

47. Repealed.

Conditional registration

48. (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for conditional registration are
- (a) the applicant does not meet the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (a) and (b), (2) (a) and (b), (3) (a) or (4) (c), as applicable,
 - (b) in the opinion of the registration committee, the applicant
 - (i) is likely to meet the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (a) and (b), (2) (a) and (b), (3) (a) or (4) (c), as applicable, by completing educational upgrading courses or a period of supervised practice acceptable to the registration committee, and
 - (ii) can practice as a conditional registrant without any undue risk to public health and safety, and

- (c) the applicant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (c) to (f).
- (2) Conditional registration may be granted under subsection (1) for a period of up to one (1) year.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of conditional registration are receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
 - (a) a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2,
 - (b) the applicable registration renewal fee, if any, specified in Schedule 3, and
 - (c) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the conditional registrant's authorization to reside and work in Canada has been extended for an additional period.
- (4) Conditional registration may be renewed under subsection (3) once for an additional period of up to one (1) year.
- (5) Until proof of successful completion of the specified educational upgrading courses or supervised practice requirements has been received and is accepted by the registration committee, a conditional registrant may provide midwifery services only
 - (a) under the supervision of a general registrant, temporary registrant or other health care practitioner acceptable to the registration committee, and
 - (b) in accordance with a supervision plan approved by the registration committee.
- (6) Despite section 46 or 49, general or temporary registration may be granted to a conditional registrant if she or he successfully completes, to the satisfaction of the registration committee, the educational upgrading courses or supervised practice requirements specified by the registration committee.
- (7) Despite sections 3 to 5, a conditional registrant must not
 - (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board, or
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position.

Conditional (remedial) registration

- 48.1 (1) A registrant must be transferred to the conditional (remedial) class if
- (a) the registrant's registration as a member of the college is suspended under the *Act*, or
 - (b) limits or conditions are imposed on the registrant's practice of midwifery under section 20, 32.2, 32.3, 33, 36, 37.1, 38, 39 or 39.1 of the *Act*.
- (2) Subject to any applicable order or agreement under the *Act*,
- (a) for the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of conditional (remedial) registration are, for each conditional (remedial) registrant, the conditions and requirements for renewal of registration in the class from which she or he was transferred, and
 - (b) a conditional (remedial) registrant must be transferred back to the class from which she or he was transferred, if subsection (1) (a) or (b) no longer describes the registrant.
- (3) Despite sections 3 to 6 and 35, a conditional (remedial) registrant must not
- (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board,
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position,
 - (c) vote in an election of board members, or
 - (d) vote at a general meeting of registrants,
- and on becoming a conditional (remedial) registrant, she or he ceases to hold office as a member of the board if she or he is a member of the board immediately before becoming a conditional (remedial) registrant.

Conditional (return to practice) registration

- 48.2 (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for conditional (return to practice) registration are
- (a) the applicant is
 - (i) a general registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 53 (a) and (c) to (e),

- (ii) a non-practicing registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56 (a) and (c) to (e), or
 - (iii) a former registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56.1 (a), (c) and (d), and
 - (b) in the opinion of the registration committee, the applicant
 - (i) is likely to attain the knowledge, skills and abilities required to continue or re-enter practice as a general registrant by completing educational upgrading courses or supervised practice requirements acceptable to the registration committee, and
 - (ii) can practice as a conditional (return to practice) registrant without any undue risk to public health and safety.
- (2) Conditional (return to practice) registration may be granted under subsection (1) for a period of up to one (1) year.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of conditional (return to practice) registration are receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
 - (a) a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2,
 - (b) the applicable registration renewal fee, if any, specified in Schedule 3, and
 - (c) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the conditional (return to practice) registrant's authorization to reside and work in Canada has been extended for an additional period.
- (4) Conditional (return to practice) registration may be renewed under subsection (3) once for an additional period of up to one (1) year.
- (5) Until proof of successful completion of the specified educational upgrading courses or supervised practice requirements has been received and is accepted by the registration committee, a conditional (return to practice) registrant may provide midwifery services only
 - (a) under the supervision of a general registrant, temporary registrant or other health care practitioner acceptable to the registration committee, and
 - (b) in accordance with a supervision plan approved by the registration committee.

- (6) Despite section 46 or 49, general or temporary registration may be granted to a conditional (return to practice) registrant if she or he successfully completes, to the satisfaction of the registration committee, the educational upgrading courses or supervised practice requirements specified by the registration committee.

Temporary registration

49. (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for temporary registration are that the applicant
- (a) meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (a), (b) and (d) to (f),
 - (b) meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (2),
 - (c) is a non-practising registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56, or
 - (d) is a former registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56.1.
- (2) Temporary registration may be granted under subsection (1)
- (a) for a period of up to sixty (60) days, if the application is under subsection (1) (a), and
 - (b) for a period of up to ninety (90) days, in any other case.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of temporary registration are receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
- (a) a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2,
 - (b) the applicable registration renewal fee, if any, specified in Schedule 3, and
 - (c) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the temporary registrant's authorization to reside and work in Canada has been extended for an additional period.
- (4) Temporary registration may be renewed under subsection (3)
- (a) for one or more additional periods of up to sixty (60) days, if the registration was granted under subsection (1) (a), and
 - (b) for one or more additional periods of up to ninety (90) days, in any other case.

- (5) Despite sections 3 to 6, a temporary registrant must not
- (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board, or
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position,
- but may continue to serve as a member of the board until the next scheduled board election, if she or he was a member of the board immediately before becoming a temporary registrant.

Temporary (limited scope) registration

- 49.1 (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for temporary (limited scope) registration are that the applicant
- (a) is a non-practicing registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56 (a), (b) and (e), or
 - (b) is a former registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56.1 (a), (b) and (d).
- (2) Temporary (limited scope) registration may be granted under subsection (1) for a period of up to one hundred and eighty (180) days.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of temporary (limited scope) registration are receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
- (a) a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2,
 - (b) the applicable registration renewal fee, if any, specified in Schedule 3, and
 - (c) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the temporary (limited scope) registrant's authorization to reside and work in Canada has been extended for an additional period.
- (4) Temporary (limited scope) registration may be renewed under subsection (3) for one or more additional periods of up to one hundred and eighty (180) days.
- (5) Despite subsection (4), the cumulative total period of time that any person is registered under this section must not exceed three (3) years.
- (6) A temporary (limited scope) registrant may provide only the following midwifery services:

- (a) antepartum or postpartum care;
 - (b) intrapartum care as a second midwife.
- (7) Despite subsection (6), a temporary (limited scope) registrant must not attend a birth as a second midwife unless the registrant holds current certificates in neonatal resuscitation and cardiopulmonary resuscitation from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee.
- (8) Despite sections 3 to 6, a temporary (limited scope) registrant must not
- (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board, or
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position,
- but may continue to serve as a member of the board until the next scheduled board election, if she or he was a member of the board immediately before becoming a temporary (limited scope) registrant.

Temporary (emergency) registration

- 49.2 (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for temporary (emergency) registration are
- (a) the applicant
 - (i) meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (2) (a) and (b),
 - (ii) is a non-practising registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56 (a) to (c), or
 - (iii) is a former registrant who meets the conditions and requirements established in section 56.1 (a) and (b),
 - (b) an emergency situation has been declared by the registrar, according to criteria set by the board, and
 - (c) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) a completed and signed application for temporary (emergency) registration and a declaration, in Form 3, confirming that the applicant is applying for temporary (emergency) registration solely for the purpose of providing assistance during the emergency situation, and

- (ii) a notarized copy, or other evidence satisfactory to the registration committee, of the applicant's Canadian citizenship or authorization to reside and work in Canada.
- (2) Temporary (emergency) registration may be granted under subsection (1) for a period of up to ninety (90) days.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of temporary (emergency) registration are
 - (a) the registrar's declaration of an emergency situation continues to be in effect, and
 - (b) receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
 - (i) a completed and signed application for renewal of temporary (emergency) registration renewal in Form 4, and
 - (ii) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the temporary (emergency) registrant's authorization to work in Canada has been extended for an additional period.
- (4) Temporary (emergency) registration may be renewed under subsection (3) for one or more additional periods of up to ninety (90) days.
- (5) A temporary (emergency) registrant must not attend a birth as the principal midwife, or as a second midwife, unless the registrant holds current certificates in neonatal resuscitation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and emergency skills from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee.
- (6) Despite sections 3 to 6, a temporary (emergency) registrant must not
 - (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board, or
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position.

but may continue to serve as a member of the board until the next scheduled board election, if she or he was a member of the board immediately before becoming a temporary (emergency) registrant.

Non-practising registration

50. (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for non-practising registration are
- (a) the applicant is a general registrant or temporary registrant, and
 - (b) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) a completed and signed application for non-practising registration and a statutory declaration, in Form 5, and
 - (ii) the applicable registration and other fees, if any, specified in Schedule 3.
- (2) A non-practising registrant must not provide midwifery services in British Columbia.
- (3) Despite sections 3 to 5, a non-practising registrant must not
- (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board, or
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position,
- but, for greater certainty, may continue to serve as a member of the board until the end of her or his term of office or appointment, if she or he is a member of the board immediately before becoming a non-practising registrant.

Repealed

51. Repealed.

Student registration

- 51.1 (1) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for student registration are
- (a) the applicant is currently enrolled as a student in a recognized midwifery education program, and
 - (b) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) evidence of the applicant's enrollment in a recognized midwifery education program, and evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the applicant is the person named therein,
 - (ii) the items required under section 45 (1), and

- (iii) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the applicant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 45 (2) (b) and (c).
- (2) Student registration may be granted under subsection (1) for a period of up to one (1) year.
- (3) For the purposes of section 20 of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of student registration are receipt by the registrar, prior to the date that the registration granted under subsection (1) will be cancelled otherwise, of
 - (a) a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2,
 - (b) the applicable registration renewal fee, if any, specified in Schedule 3,
 - (c) if applicable, evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the conditional registrant's authorization to reside and study in Canada has been extended for an additional period, and
 - (d) evidence of the applicant's continued enrollment in a recognized midwifery education program.
- (4) Student registration may be renewed under subsection (3) for one or more additional periods of up to one year.
- (5) A student registrant's registration is cancelled if she or he ceases to be enrolled in a recognized midwifery education program.
- (6) A student registrant may only provide midwifery services in connection with fulfilling the conditions and requirements of the recognized midwifery education program in which she or he is enrolled.
- (7) Despite sections 3 to 5 and 35, a student registrant must not
 - (a) be nominated for election, or elected, to the board,
 - (b) be appointed to fill a vacancy of an elected board member position,
 - (c) vote in an election of board members, or
 - (d) vote at a general meeting of registrants.

Certificates of registration and registration cards

52. (1) For the purpose of indicating that the holder is a registrant of the college and whether the registrant is entitled to practice midwifery in British Columbia, the registrar must issue each of the following, in a form approved by the board, to each registrant on the granting of registration as a member of the college:
- (a) a certificate of registration;
 - (b) a registration card;
 - (c) an identity card containing a photograph of the registrant.
- (2) A certificate of registration must specify the class of registrants in which the registrant is registered, and the limits or conditions, if any, that apply to that class of registrants or to the registrant.
- (3) A certificate of registration or registration card is valid until no later than
- (a) the following March 31, if issued to a general registrant or a non-practising registrant, and
 - (b) the date shown on the certificate or card, in any other case.
- (4) If registration is renewed in accordance with these bylaws, the registrar must issue each of the following, in a form approved by the board, to the registrant on such renewal:
- (a) a new certificate of registration;
 - (b) a new registration card.

Renewal of general or non-practising registration

53. For the purposes of section 20 (2) of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for renewal of general or non-practising registration are, despite section 46 or 50,
- (a) receipt by the registrar of a completed and signed application for renewal of registration in Form 2, and an attestation that the registrant is in compliance with
 - (i) the *Act*, the *Regulation*, and these bylaws, and
 - (ii) any limits or conditions imposed under the *Act*,

- (b) in the case of a general registrant, the registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (b),
- (c) the registrant has completed any applicable continuing competency requirements under section 59,
- (d) in the case of a general registrant, the registrant holds current certification in neonatal resuscitation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and emergency skills from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee,
- (e) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) any applicable administrative or renewal fees specified in Schedule 3,
 - (ii) any other fee, fine, debt or levy owed to the college, and
 - (iii) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 45 (2) (b) and (c).

Failure to renew

54. (1) On or before April 1 in each year, each general registrant or non-practising registrant must meet the applicable conditions and requirements established in section 53.
- (2) If a general registrant or non-practising registrant fails to meet, on or before April 1 in a year, the applicable conditions and requirements established in section 53, the registrant's registration is cancelled.

Registration examinations

55. (1) Except for the Canadian Midwifery Registration Examination prepared by and under the direction of the Canadian Midwifery Regulators Consortium, any registration examination required to be taken under these bylaws must be prepared by or under the direction of the registration committee.
- (2) The registration committee must
- (a) review the results of the registration examination for each applicant in making a determination as to that applicant's qualification for registration, and
 - (b) notify the applicant, in writing, of the results of the registration examination as soon as is practicable.
- (3) An applicant who fails the initial attempt at a registration examination is entitled to two (2) further opportunities to attempt the registration examination.

- (4) If an invigilator has reason to believe that an applicant has engaged in improper conduct during the course of a registration examination, the invigilator must make a report to the registration committee and may recommend that the registration committee take one or more of the following courses of action:
 - (a) fail the applicant;
 - (b) pass the applicant;
 - (c) require the applicant to re-attempt the registration examination, in which case the re-attempt will count as an attempt for the purpose of subsection (3);
 - (d) disqualify the applicant from participating in any registration examination for a period of time.
- (5) After considering a report made under subsection (4), the registration committee may take one or more of the actions specified in subsection (4) (a) to (d).
- (6) An applicant disqualified under subsection (4) (d) must be provided with written reasons for the disqualification.

Non-practising registrant returning to practice

56. For the purposes of section 20 (2) of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for a non-practising registrant to return to general or temporary registration are, despite section 46 or 49,
 - (a) the registrant's registration is not suspended under the *Act*,
 - (b) the registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (b),
 - (c) the registrant has completed any applicable continuing competency requirements under section 59,
 - (d) the registrant holds current certification in neonatal resuscitation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and emergency skills from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee, and
 - (e) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) a completed and signed application for return to general or temporary registration in Form 6,

- (ii) any applicable administrative or registration fees specified in Schedule 3, and
- (iii) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 45 (2) (b) and (c).

Reinstatement of former general or temporary registrant

56.1. For the purposes of section 20 (2) of the *Act*, the conditions and requirements for reinstatement of the most recent previous registration of a former registrant are, despite section 46 (1) or (3) or 49,

- (a) the former registrant's most recent previous registration was as a general registrant or temporary registrant, the registration was not cancelled under Part 3 of the *Act* and the former registrant was in good standing at the time of cancellation,
- (b) the former registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 46 (1) (b),
- (c) the former registrant holds current certificates in neonatal resuscitation, cardiopulmonary resuscitation and emergency skills from programs that are acceptable to the registration committee,
- (d) receipt by the registrar of
 - (i) the items required under section 45 (1), and
 - (ii) evidence satisfactory to the registration committee that the registrant meets the conditions and requirements established in section 45 (2) (b) and (c).

Repealed

57. Repealed

Liability insurance

58. (1) Each registrant, except a non-practising registrant or student registrant, must obtain and at all times maintain professional liability protection or insurance coverage with a limit of liability not less than seven million dollars (\$7M) per occurrence protecting or insuring against liability arising from an error, omission or negligent act of the registrant.

- (2) A registrant who ceases to be protected or insured as required under subsection (1) must
 - (a) cease the practice of midwifery immediately, and
 - (b) no more than seven (7) days after ceasing to be protected or insured, notify the registrar and
 - (i) apply for non-practising registration, or
 - (ii) voluntarily relinquish her or his registration as a member of the college.
- (3) A registrant's registration is cancelled if she or he fails to comply with subsection (2) (b).

Continuing competency

- 59. Each registrant must complete all applicable annual, bi-annual or other continuing competency requirements recommended by the quality assurance committee and approved by the board.