



Canada
Province of British Columbia
A Proclamation

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom,
Canada and Her other Realms and Territories, Queen, Head of the
Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come – Greeting

WHEREAS the steadfast work of the construction sector has an impact on every community in British Columbia, and

WHEREAS the skilled trades provide rewarding, sustainable career opportunities to more than 245,000 British Columbians, and

WHEREAS a high quality, safe built environment is essential to the health and well-being of every British Columbian, and

WHEREAS notwithstanding the skills and expertise required to excel in the construction trades, and the dependency of our communities on the hard work of skilled trades people and builders, many tradespeople do not receive recognition for the important contributions they make to our province, and

WHEREAS there is a definite need to raise awareness of the important work done by the construction workforce in all settings, in part so that our youth will perceive that respect is due and given to the tradespeople of our province and will be confident in considering a similar career path; and

KNOW YE THAT, We do by these presents proclaim and declare that April 2018 shall be known as

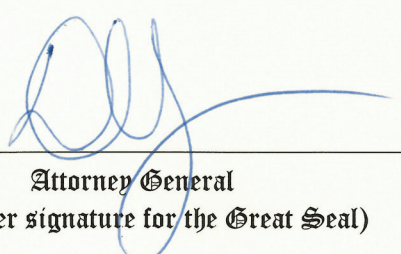
“Construction and Skilled Trades Month”

in the Province of British Columbia.

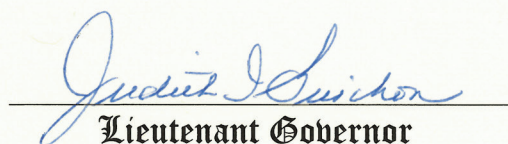
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS, The Honourable Judith Guichon, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this twenty-sixth day of January, two thousand eighteen and in the sixty-sixth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.



Attorney General
(counter signature for the Great Seal)



Lieutenant Governor