

Chapter 5

AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEDICAL CARE ACT

(Assented to March 19, 2013)

The Commissioner of Nunavut, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly, enacts as follows:

1. **The *Medical Care Act* is amended by this Act.**
2. **Paragraph 3(2)(b) is repealed.**

Consequential Changes

3. **(1) The *Territorial Hospital Insurance Services Regulations* are amended by this section.**
(2) Section 1 of Schedule C is amended:
 - (a) **in paragraph (f) by striking out the semi-colon and substituting a period; and**
 - (b) **by repealing paragraph (g).**

Transitional Provisions

4. **Despite the waiting period stipulated in section 3 of the Act, a member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who is a resident of Nunavut on April 1, 2013 becomes on that day eligible for and entitled to payment of benefits in respect of insured services rendered to the resident in accordance with the Act and its regulations.**
5. **A member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police who is a resident of Nunavut on April 1, 2013 becomes on that date an insured person as defined in the *Hospital Insurance and Health and Social Services Administration Act* without being subject to the waiting period prescribed by section 3 of the *Territorial Hospital Insurance Services Regulations*.**

Coming into force

6. **This Act comes into force on April 1, 2013.**