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Feedback Wanted – Bylaw Amendments

As part of ACSLPA’s work to serve our members and the public, efforts to streamline our bylaws are ongoing. As per Bylaw 17.2 (Amendment of Bylaws), ACSLPA Council is seeking member feedback on three proposed bylaw amendments. Council will consider member feedback, modify the bylaw changes as needed based on the feedback, and then approve the revised bylaws if it is appropriate to do so.

We encourage you to review these changes and send any feedback to feedback@acslpa.ab.ca. Please include “Bylaw Amendment” in your email subject line. For ease, any changes to the bylaws have been highlighted for quick identification.

If you would like to discuss these changes with an ACSLPA staff member directly, please feel free to contact any of the following individuals. We’d be happy to hear from you! We can all be reached at 780-944-1609 (Edmonton area) or toll-free, 1-800-537-0589.

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➤ Bylaw 3.1 – Reinstatement of Registration – Regulated Members

Who does this affect?

Changes to this bylaw affect those who had their registration cancelled under the *Health Professions Act*.

What is the change and why is it being recommended?

It is recommended that this bylaw be amended to ensure that reinstatement requirements include consideration of the character and reputation of the individual at the time of their reinstatement, as well as considerations for individuals who have outstanding Hearing Tribunal decisions. Specifically, the bylaw change is:

3.1 Reinstatement of Registration – Regulated Members

A former Regulated Member whose registration was cancelled under the *Health Professions Act*, except for under Part 4 of the Act, may make application for reinstatement of registration, practice permit, or both, to the Registrar by submitting:

3.1.1	the prescribed form(s) required by Council;	No change
3.1.2	reinstatement fees, dues or levies, as set by Council;	No change
3.1.3	evidence of meeting the requirements for current qualifications, as stated in the regulation;	No change
3.1.4	any other required information or documents as determined by Council;	No change
3.1.5	evidence of meeting the requirements for professional liability insurance and good character and reputation, as stated in the regulation; and	Added
3.1.6	if the former member has a prior decision of the Hearing Tribunal on their record with the college, evidence satisfactory to the Registration Committee that all Orders of the Hearing Tribunal have been complied with or satisfied; or	Added
3.1.7	If the former member had conditions on their registration or practice permit when it was cancelled, evidence that they have complied with the conditions, or if they have not yet complied, acknowledgement that they will comply with the conditions within a specified time upon reinstatement.	Added