

Canada Province of British Columbia

A Proclamation

CHARLES THE THIRD, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom, Canada and His other Realms and Territories, King, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith

To all to whom these presents shall come — Greeting

WHEREAS cardiovascular disease, also known as heart disease, is a leading cause of death in women worldwide, and

WHEREAS some risk factors for and symptoms of heart disease are different for women than for men, and

WHEREAS the Canadian Women's Heart Health Alliance, a volunteer organization of cardiovascular professionals and patients, collaborates closely with the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada to raise awareness of evidence-informed strategies to transform clinical practice and improve women's heart health outcomes, and

WHEREAS Wear Red Canada Day is an opportunity to raise awareness of women's cardiovascular health issues and to show support for women at risk of and suffering from heart disease;

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that February 13, 2023, shall be known as

"Wear Red Canada Day"

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 Janet Austin, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our Province, this nineteenth day of January, two thousand twenty-three and in the first year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND.

Attorney General

Leutenant Governor