PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO BILL 18

Honourable Carole James to move, in Committee of the Whole, on

Bill 18

Economic Stabilization (COVID-19) Act

to amend as follows:

SECTION 21, by deleting the text shown as struck out and adding the underlined text as shown:

- 21 Section 24 of the Financial Administration Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 138, is amended
 - (a) in subsection (1) by adding the following definition:
 - "state of emergency" means a state of emergency declared under section 9 of the *Emergency Program Act.*,
 - (b) in subsection (2) by striking out "or" at the end of paragraph (a) and by adding the following paragraph:
 - (a.1) during a state of emergency, and for the ensuing period ending $\underline{63}$ months after the expiry of the state of emergency, a matter arises for which an expenditure is required, or , *and*
 - (c) by repealing paragraph (b)subsection (2) (b) and substituting the following:
 - (b) a disaster or emergency occurs or is anticipated and a matter arises for which an expenditure is required, or for the ensuing period ending <u>63</u> months after the occurrence of the disaster or emergency, a matter arises for which an expenditure is required,.

The Honourable Carole James