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| **STATUTE** | **AGE** | **DISABILITY** | **RELIGION** |
| **Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005** |  | - “disability”, “disabilities” throughout- **s.2(e)** “handicap”- **s.2(d)** “mental impairment” |  |
| **Accumulations Act** | - **s.1.1(6)** “being of full age”- **s.2** “child of a grantor…child of a person…” |  |  |
| **Age of Majority and Accountability Act** | - “age” throughout- **s.1** “Every person attains the age of majority and ceases to be a minor on attaining the age of eighteen years”- **s.3(1)** “ section 1 applies for the construction of the expression “adult”, “full age”, “infant”, “infancy”, “minor”, “minority” and similar expressions”- **s.4** “any reference to the age of twenty-one years in the Act of Parliament or that provision thereof shall be read as a reference to the age of eighteen years”- **s.10** “A person who has not attained the age of eighteen years may be described as a minor instead of as an infant” |  |  |
| **Agricultural and Horticultural Organizations Act** | - **s.32** and **38(1)** “ no person under the age of eighteen years is eligible to vote” |  |  |
| **Agricultural Research Institute of Ontario Act** |  | - **s.2(7)** “in absence or disability of the chair” |  |
| **Alcohol and Gaming Regulation and Public Protection Act, 1996** | - **s.2** “ an individual who is less than 18 years old”- **s.5** and **6**“an adult employed” |  |  |
| **Algoma University Act, 2008** | - “student” throughout |  |  |
| **Ammunition Regulation Act, 1994** | - **s.2(1)** “ No person shall purchase ammunition unless the person is at least 18 years…photograph and age”**- s.2(2)** “ a person under 18 years old may purchase ammunition if…”- **s.2(3)** “ a person 12 years old or older and under 18 years old may purchase ammunition if…” |  |  |
| **Arbitration Act, 1991** |  | - “legal incapacity” 3 times |  |
| **Architects Act** | - **s.6** “…persons who require special care or treatment on account of their age …”**-s.8(1)** “ students and members of related classes…”- **s.13(1)** “is not less than eighteen years of age” | - **s.6** “…or mental or physical limitations”- **s.25(6)** “disability of a member” |  |
| **Assessment Act** | - **s.22(i)** and **(iv)** “at least 65 years of age”**“**improvements for seniors”**- s.10(2)** “every adult person…” | - **s.22(i)** and **(iv)** “…or has a disability”“and persons with a disability” | - **s.3(1)(2.1)** “religious…owned by a religious organization” |
| **Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Act, 1991** |  | - **s.4** “ to prescribe a hearing aid for a hearing impaired person” |  |
| **Auditor General Act** |  |  | - **s.21(1)** “…swear (or solemnly affirm)…so help me God (omit this line in an affirmation)” |
| **Blind Persons' Rights Act** |  |  | - no search terms, but only applies to blind people (disability) |
| **Building Code Act, 1992** | - **s.15.1(1)** “ “occupant” means any person or persons over the age of 18 years in possession” |  |  |
| **Business Corporations Act** | - **s.4(2)** “ Subsection (1) does not apply to an individual who, (a) is less than eighteen years of age”**- s.118(1)** “ The following persons are disqualified from being a director of a corporation: 1. A person who is less than eighteen years of age.”- **s.67(2)(b)** “a registered security holder who is a minor”- **s.67(5)** “repudiation by a minor…if a minor exercises any rights of ownership….” | - **s.1 definitions** “mentally incapable of managing his or her property”- **s.67(2)(b)** “a person who is incapable of managing his or her property”- **s.118(1)** “The following persons are disqualified from being a director of a corporation: 2. A person who has been found under the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992 or under the Mental Health Act to be incapable of managing property or who has been found to be incapable by a court in Canada or elsewhere.” |  |
| **Certified General Accountants Act, 2010** |  | - **s.44** “ A member of the Association is incapacitated…by reason of physical or mental illness” [“incapacitated” throughout this section] |  |
| **Certified Management Accountants Act, 2010** |  | - **s.46** “ A member of the Association is incapacitated…by reason of physical or mental illness” [“incapacitated” throughout this section] |  |
| **Change of Name Act** | - **s.1** “ “child” means a person under the age of eighteen years”- **s.4(1)** “ A person at least sixteen years of age…change his or her forename or surname or both”- **s.5(2)** “ The application under subsection (1) requires the written consent of… (c) the child, if the child is **twelve** years of age or older.” |  |  |
| **Charities Accounting Act** |  |  | - **s.1(1)** “ trustee for a religious…”**- s.1(2)** “ Any corporation incorporated for a religious, educational, charitable or public purpose shall be deemed to be a trustee…”- **s.6(8)** “ Nothing in this section applies to any religious…any religious or fraternal organization”- **s.7** “ In sections 8, 9 and 10,“charitable purpose” means…(c) the advancement of religion” |
| **Chartered Accountants Act, 2010** |  | - **s.42** “A member of the Institute is incapacitated …if, by reason of physical or mental illness…he or she is incapable of meeting his or her obligations under this Act” [“incapacitated” throughout this section] |  |
| **Child and Family Services Act** | - **s.3(1)** “ “child” means a person under the age of eighteen years”“ “young person” means a person who is …12 years of age or older but less than 18 years old”- **s.3** “ The functions of a children’s aid society are to, (a) investigate allegations or evidence that children who are under the age of sixteen years …(b) protect, where necessary, children who are under the age of sixteen years”- **s.27(1)** “A service provider may provide a service to a person who is sixteen years of age or older **(2)** A service provider may provide a residential service to a child who is less than sixteen years of age only with the consent of the child’s parent”- **s.29(6)** “…6 years of age…”- also “adult”, “minor” throughout | - “disability”, “developmental disability” throughout- **s.29(3)** “…does not apply…the child does not have capacity to participate in the agreement because of a developmental disability” | - **s.107** “religion” |
| **Children's Law Reform Act** | **- Art. 4** “the convention shall cease to apply when the child attains the age of 16 years”**- Art. 13** “ has attained an age and degree of maturity at which it is appropriate to take account of its views”- “sixteen years” and “eighteen years” throughout |  |  |
| **Christmas Tree Day Act, 2015** |  |  | - no search terms in statute but represents a Christian holiday |
| **City of Toronto Act, 2006** | - **s.92(1)** “ permitting any person under the age of 18 years to enter or remain in the adult entertainment establishment” |  |  |
| **Co-operative Corporations Act** | - “eighteen” and “sixteen” throughout- **s.63(1)** “ Subject to the by-laws of the co-operative, a person of the full age of sixteen years or more may become a member thereof.**(2)** Any person under the full age of eighteen years admitted to membership in the co-operative is competent to enter into any contract with the co-operative, and with respect to contracts with the co-operative shall be deemed to be of full age and capacity”- **s.89(1)** “ No person under eighteen years of age shall be a director of a co-operative” | - **s.89(1)** “ No…person who is incapable of managing property within the meaning of the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992 shall be a director, and a director who becomes…incapable of managing property ceases to be a director” |  |
| **Colleges Collective Bargaining Act, 2008** |  |  | - **s.13(2)** “ Where the Ontario Labour Relations Board is satisfied that an employee because of his or her religious convictions or belief objects to paying dues…” |
| **Commissioners for Taking Affidavits Act** | - **s.4(1)** “ The Attorney General may appoint any person of the age of 18 years or over to administer oaths and take affidavits” |  |  |
| **Compensation for Victims of Crime Act** |  | - **s.7(1)** “ total or partial disability affecting the victim’s capacity for work” |  |
| **Condominium Act, 1998** | - **s.29(1)** “ No person shall be a director if,(a) the person is under eighteen years of age; | - **s.29(1)** “ No person shall be a director if,(c) the person is incapable of managing property within the meaning of the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992 |  |
| **Conveyancing and Law of Property Act** | “minor” 23 times throughout |  |  |
| **Corporations Act** | “eighteen years of age” throughout | “ provide for the payment of benefits by reason of illness, accident or disability” throughout- **s.91** “ trustee of a testator, intestate, mentally incapable person”  | - **s.23(1)** “ money for charitable, benevolent, educational or religious objects” |
| **Corporations Tax Act** |  | - **s.13.4(2)** “ to transport children or to transport adults with a developmental disability”**-** “mobility impairment”, “visual impairment”, “hearing impairment”, “mental impairment” throughout |  |
| **Courts of Justice Act** | - **s.32(3)** “ If the deputy judge is 65 years of age or older and under 75 years of age, the appointment shall be for a term of one year **(7)** If the deputy judge is 63 years of age or older and under 65 years of age”**- s.47(1)** “ Every provincial judge shall retire upon attaining the age of sixty-five years.**(2)** …a judge appointed as a full-time magistrate, judge of a juvenile and family court or…shall retire upon attaining the age of seventy years”[same ages repeated throughout statute] | - **s.33.1(10)** “disability” throughout**- 49.1(23)** “ for the purpose of accommodating the needs of any members who have disabilities”- **s.51** “ To enable persons with disabilities to participate effectively in the complaints process,” | - **s.80** “ So help me God. (Omit this line in an affirmation.)” |
| **Credit Unions and Caisses Populaires Act** | - **s.41** “ a person under the age of 18 years may be a member of the credit union” [“eighteen years” throughout statute] | - **s.92(1)** “ The following individuals are disqualified from being directors of a credit union: 2.One who has been found under the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992 or under the Mental Health Act to be incapable of managing property or who has been found to be incapable by a court” |  |
| **Day Nurseries Act** | - **s.8(4)** “enrolled in a day nursery and who attains the age of 18 years, where the child has a developmental disability, or the age of 10 years, where the child does not have a developmental disability” | 🡨 **s.8(4)** disability interacting w age |  |
| **Deaf-Blind Awareness Month Act, 2000** |  | - “disability” throughout |  |
| **Dog Owners' Liability Act** | -**s.1(1)** “ “owner”, when used in relation to a dog, includes a person who possesses or harbours the dog and, where the owner is a minor, the person responsible for the custody of the minor” |  |  |
| **Early Childhood Educators Act, 2007** | - “18 years” throughout- **s.49(1)(a)** “ convicted of an offence under the Criminal Code (Canada) involving sexual conduct and minors” | - “incapacity”, “incapacitated” throughout |  |
| **Education Act** | - “compulsory school age” throughout- **s.37(8)** “ who has attained the age of fourteen years may be excused from attendance at school”- **s.21(1)** “ every person who attains the age of six years on or before the first school day in September in any year shall attend…**(2)** attained the age of seven years but not the age of 10 years” | - **s.21(3)** “ The fact that a person is blind, deaf or has a developmental disability is not of itself an unavoidable cause under clause (2)(b)”**- s.169.1(1)** “ promote a positive school climate that is inclusive and accepting of all pupils, including pupils of…or disability”- **s.310(1)** “Activities leading to suspension: Any activity listed in subsection 306 (1) that is motivated by bias, prejudice or hate based on…mental or physical disability”- **s.42(11)** “ it is impractical by reason of distance or terrain or by reason of physical handicap, mental handicap or multi-handicap for the person to attend a secondary school…”- **s.190(1)** “hearing-handicapped children”- **s.12(4.1)** “ pecial education services for exceptional pupils with learning disabilities or with hearing or visual - impairments” | - **s.21(2)** “ A person is excused from attendance at school if **(g)** the person is absent on a day regarded as a holy day by the church or religious denomination to which he or she belongs”- **s.51(2)** “ No pupil in a public school shall be required to read or study in or from a religious book, or to join in an exercise of devotion or religion, objected to by the pupil’s parent or guardian, or by the pupil, where the pupil is an adult”- **s.53(3)** “ A member of the clergy of the Roman Catholic Church may visit a Roman Catholic school in the area where the member has pastoral charge”- **s.264(1)** “It is the duty of a teacher and a temporary teacher **(c)** to inculcate by precept and example respect for religion and the principles of Judaeo-Christian morality” |
| **Elderly Persons Centres Act** | - “elderly” throughout |  |  |
| **Elderly Persons' Housing Aid Act** | - “elderly” only in title of act |  |  |
| **Election Act** | - “18 years of age” throughout- **s.32(1)** “… may appoint any person at least sixteen years of age to be a scrutineer for the candidate…”- **s.114.2(1)** “voting age” | - **s.24(1.1)** “… to an elector who could vote more conveniently in another polling division because his or her mobility is impaired by disability”- **s.45.4(1)** “ the elector needs assistance with making an application to vote by special ballot, because of a disability” | - **s.9.1(6)** “ If the Chief Electoral Officer is of the opinion that a Thursday that would otherwise be polling day is not suitable for that purpose because it is a day of cultural or religious significance, the Chief Electoral Officer shall choose another day” |
| **Election Finances Act** |  | - def of “campaign expense” includes “ expenses that are incurred by a candidate with disabilities and that are directly related to the candidate’s disabilities” |  |
| **Employment Standards Act, 2000** | - **s.15(1)** “ An employer shall record the following information…2. The employee’s date of birth, if the employee is a student and under 18 years of age” |  | - **s.3(5)** “ This Act does not apply with respect to the following individuals and any person for whom such an individual performs work or from whom such an individual receives compensation: 7. A holder of political, religious or judicial office” |
| **Endangered Species Act, 2007** |  |  | - **s.9(5)** “If the Crown is in possession of anything referred to in clause (1) (b), the Minister may transfer it to another person or body and authorize the person or body to possess it, despite clause (1) (b), for,**(b)** traditional cultural, religious or ceremonial purposes” |
| **Estates Act** | - **s.26(1)** “ Where a minor is sole executor, administration with the will annexed shall be granted to the guardian of the minor …until the minor has attained the full age of eighteen years, at which time, and not before, probate of the will may be granted to the minor” |  | - **s.49(8)** “…any religious, educational, charitable or other purpose” |
| **Estates Administration Act** | - **s.15(1)** “ Where a minor is interested in real property that but for this Act would not devolve on the personal representative, no sale or conveyance is valid under this Act without the written approval of the Children’s Lawyer”**-** “minor or mentally incapable person” throughout | **-** “minor or mentally incapable person” throughout |  |
| **Evidence Act** | - **s.18(1)** “ A person of any age is presumed to be competent to give evidence”**- s.18.1(1)** “ When the competence of a proposed witness who is a person under the age of 14 is challenged”- “under the age of 14” and “under the age of 18” throughout | - **s.14** “Actions by or against incapable persons: An opposite or interested party in an action by or against one of the following persons shall not obtain a verdict, judgment or decision on the party’s own evidence, unless the evidence is corroborated by some other material evidence:1. A person who has been found,i. incapable of managing property under the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992 or under the Mental Health Act,ii. incapable of personal care under the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992, oriii. incapable by a court in Canada or elsewhere.2. A patient in a psychiatric facility.3. A person who, because of a mental disorder within the meaning of the Mental Health Act, is incapable of giving evidence” | - **s.16** “ Where an oath may be lawfully taken, it may be administered to a person while such person holds in his or her hand a copy of the Old or New Testament without requiring him or her to kiss the same” |
| **Executive Council Act** |  |  | - **s.7(2)** “ A day on which a minister is absent from the Chamber is not counted as an absence for the purpose of this section if the Premier is of the opinion that the absence is justified because of,(a) illness, bereavement, a religious holiday or some similar reason” |
| **Expropriations Act** | - **s.22(2)** “ Where the person who is injuriously affected is a minor or a person who is incapable as defined in the Substitute Decisions Act, 1992…the claim for compensation shall be made within one year after he or she ceased to be a minor or incapable or, in the case of death while a minor or incapable, within one year after his or her death” |  |
| **Extra-Provincial Corporations Act** | - **s.19(1)** “ Every extra-provincial corporation …shall ensure the continuing appointment, at all times, of an individual, of the age of eighteen years or older…as its agent for service” |  |  |
| **Family Law Act** | - **s.31(1)** “ Every parent has an obligation to provide support for his or her unmarried child who is a minor…**(2)** The obligation under subsection (1) does not extend to a child who is sixteen years of age or older and has withdrawn from parental control”**- s.55(2)** “A minor has capacity to enter into a domestic contract, subject to the approval of the court, which may be given before or after the minor enters into the contract” | - **s.33(9)** “ whether the spouse has undertaken the care of a child who is of the age of eighteen years or over and unable by reason of illness, disability or other cause to withdraw from the charge…”- **s.55(4)** “In all other cases of mental incapacity, the Public Guardian and Trustee has power to act on the person’s behalf in accordance with subsection (3)” |  |
| **Farm Registration and Farm Organizations Funding Act, 1993** |  |  | - **s.22(1), (2) and (3)** “religious” objections to making payments |
| **Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997** | - **s.53.1(2)** “A collective agreement may contain a provision requiring firefighters to retire at a specified age of 60 or over…**(3.1)** …does not contain a provision requiring firefighters to retire at a specified age or if it contains a provision requiring firefighters to retire at an age under 60, the agreement is deemed to contain a provision requiring firefighters to retire at the age of 60” |  |  |
| **Fish and Wildlife Conservation Act, 1997** | - **s.64(1)** “A licence shall not be issued to a person who is under 16 years of age.” |  |  |
| **Forest Fires Prevention Act** | - **s.7** “ For the purpose of controlling and extinguishing a fire, an officer may use any privately-owned equipment and may employ or summon the assistance of every able person over the age of eighteen” |  |  |
| **Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act** | - **s.66** “ where the individual is less than sixteen years of age, by a person who has lawful custody of the individual” |  | - **s.65(5.3)** “ This Act does not apply to the ecclesiastical records of a church or religious organization that is affiliated with an educational institution or a hospital” |
| **Fuel Tax Act** | - **s.13.1(2)** “ If at any time a person transfers property…to an individual who is less than 18 years old at the time of the transfer… the transferor and transferee are jointly and severally liable to pay” |  |  |
| **Gaming Control Act, 1992** | - **s.2(3)** “ No individual who is under 19 years of age shall enter or remain in a gaming site…**(4)** No person shall permit an individual under 19 years of age to play a lottery scheme in a gaming site” |  |  |
| **Health Care Consent Act, 1996** | - “16 years of age” throughout | - **s.25(3)** “ a treatment may be administered without consent to a person who is apparently capable with respect to the treatment, if…**(b)** the person has a disability that prevents the communication from taking place”- “incapable” 191 times |  |
| **Health Facilities Special Orders Act** |  | - **s.12(1)** “evidence of disabled person” |  |
| **Health Protection and Promotion Act** | - **s.23** “ Where an order by a medical officer of health in respect of a communicable disease is directed to a person under sixteen years of age…” |  |  |
| **Highway Traffic Act** | - “16 years of age” throughout, except:- **s.104.1(1)** “ No person under the age of 18 years shall ride or be mounted on a horse on a highway unless that person has and is correctly using the following equipment” | - “developmental disabilities” throughout | - **s.75(8)** “ does not apply to a horse-drawn vehicle when driven by a person whose religious convictions or beliefs prohibit…” |
| **Holocaust Memorial Day Act, 1998** |  |  | - “Jewry”, “Jewish”, “religious” |
| **Home Care and Community Services Act** | - **s.46(1)** “ but the party or other person is unable to attend the hearing by reason of age, infirmity or physical disability…”**- (2)** A medical report signed by a legally qualified medical practitioner stating that the practitioner believes that the person is unable to attend the hearing by reason of age, infirmity or physical disability is proof…” | - **s.46(1)** “ but the party or other person is unable to attend the hearing by reason of age, infirmity or physical disability…”**- (2)** A medical report signed by a legally qualified medical practitioner stating that the practitioner believes that the person is unable to attend the hearing by reason of age, infirmity or physical disability is proof…”- **s.22(5)** “an approved agency shall take into account all assessments and information that are provided to it relating to the person’s capacity, the person’s impairment…”- definitions of “mentally capable” and “mentally incapable”- **s.22(4)** “mentally incapable”- **s.25(1)** “mentally incapable”- **s.35(2)** “[Exception] A person may disclose information described in subsection (1) in a proceeding before a court or an administrative body if,…if the person to whom the information relates is mentally incapable, by his or her substitute decision-maker” | - **s.63(1)** “under oath” |
| **Homemakers and Nurses Services Act** | - **s.1** “ “child” means a person under sixteen years of age”- **s.6**  The services of a homemaker may be furnished under this Act **(b)** “ for a person who is elderly…”- **s.7** “The services of a nurse may be furnished under this Act on a visitation basis in the home of a person who is elderly…where a physician certifies that such services are necessary…” | - **s.6**  The services of a homemaker may be furnished under this Act **(a)** “ a child who might otherwise be cared for in other than his or her own home during the absence, illness, convalescence or incapacity of his or her mother or other person…” **(b)** “ for a person who is elderly, handicapped…”-  **s.7** “The services of a nurse may be furnished under this Act on a visitation basis in the home of a person who is…handicapped…where a physician certifies that such services are necessary…” |  |
| **Horse Riding Safety Act, 2001** | - **s.2(1)** No owner or operator of a horse riding establishment shall permit any rider under the age of 18 years |  |  |
| **Housing Services Act, 2011** |  | - **s.41(2)** “… a unit that has been modified so as to be accessible to an individual with a physical disability or so as to allow an individual with a physical disability to live independently” |  |
| **Human Rights Code** | - **s.10(1)** In Part I and in this Part, “age” means an age that is 18 years or more**- s.15** “ A right under Part I to non-discrimination because of age is not infringed where an age of sixty-five years or over is a requirement, qualification or consideration for preferential treatment”- **s.20(2)** “ The right under section 1 to equal treatment with respect to services, goods and facilities without discrimination because of age is not infringed by the provisions of the Liquor Licence Act and the regulations under it relating to providing for and enforcing a minimum drinking age of nineteen years”- **ss.20(4) and (5)** same re: tobacco and e-cigarettes “ persons who are, or who appear to be, under the age of 19 years or 25 years”- **s.24(1)** The right under section 5 to equal treatment with respect to employment is not infringed where **(e)** a judge or master is required to retire or cease to continue in office on reaching a specified age under the Courts of Justice Act” [similar provisions not listed here] | **- s.1** “every person has a right to equal treatment…or disability” [repeated several times throughout]- **s.10(1)** definition of disability…- **s.17(1)** “A right of a person under this Act is not infringed for the reason only that the person is incapable of performing or fulfilling the essential duties or requirements attending the exercise of the right because of disability”[several provisions (similar to the age ones) exempting other statutes from charges of discrim on basis of disability]- **s.25(4)** “ An employer shall pay to an employee who is excluded because of a disability … compensation equivalent to the contribution that the employer would make thereto on behalf of an employee who does not have a disability.”**- s.31.4(1)** Disability Rights Secretariat … |  |
|  | - **s.25(2.1)** “ The right under section 5 to equal treatment with respect to employment without discrimination because of age is not infringed by an employee benefit, pension, superannuation or group insurance plan or fund that complies with the Employment Standards Act, 2000”**- s.4** Accommodation of Person Under 18… Every sixteen or seventeen year old person who has withdrawn from parental control has a right to equal treatment with respect to occupancy of and contracting for accommodation without discrimination because the person is less than eighteen years old. |  |  |
| **Imitation Firearms Regulation Act, 2000** | - **s.3(1), (2)** “ No individual shall purchase or receive by transfer a deactivated firearm unless he or she is at least 18 years of age…” [18 throughout] |  | - **s.5(3)** The permit described in paragraph 2 of subsection (1) shall be issued to every applicant who is at least 18 years old and who submits to the chief firearms officer for Ontario a document,(a) stating that the applicant objects on religious grounds to having his or her photograph taken; and(b) signed by a person who is of the same religion as the applicant |
| **Immunization of School Pupils Act** | - “pupil” means a pupil who is a minor- **s.12(5),(6), 15(1)** “ upon a parent of the pupil and, where the pupil is sixteen or seventeen years of age, upon the pupil” |  | - “ “statement of conscience or religious belief” means a statement by affidavit in the prescribed form by a parent of the person named in the statement that immunization conflicts with the sincerely held convictions of the parent based on the parent’s religion or conscience” |
| **Income Tax Act** | - **s.4.0.1 Age Credit** if attained the age of 65- deductions for dependents under 18 and 19 years- “qualified dependant” means, with respect to a month, an individual born before July 1, 2009 who has not attained the age of seven years | - **s.8.4(1)** **Workplace Accessibility Tax Credit** – references various disability income supports and statutes; “physical disability”- **s.8.4.4 (1)** “transporting adults with a developmental disability”- **s.4(3.1) Non-refundable credits** – “a credit in respect of a mental or physical impairment…”- “mobility impairment”, “hearing impairment”, “visual impairment”, “physical or mental impairment” throughout- “mental impairment” means a developmental or learning impairment, a psychiatric impairment or an impairment resulting from a head injury” |  |
| **Indian Welfare Services Act** |  | - **s.2** “ Every Indian resident in Ontario is entitled to the benefits of …the Ontario Disability Support Program Act, 1997 to the same extent as any other person” |  |
| **Insurance Act** | - **s.178(3)** Consent of minor… Where the person whose life is insured is under the age of sixteen years, consent to insurance being placed on the person’s life may be given by one of his or her parents**- s.202 Capacity of Minors** “ Except in respect of his or her rights as beneficiary, a minor who has attained the age of sixteen years has the capacity of a person of the age of eighteen years,(a) to make an enforceable contract; and(b) in respect of a contract” | - **s.221** Beneficiary under disability[provisions regarding disability throughout – all aimed at amelioration, disability insurance etc.] | - **s.140** **No racial or religious discrimination permissible:** “ Any licensed insurer that discriminates unfairly between risks in Ontario because of the race or religion of the insured is guilty of an offence” |
| **Intercountry Adoption Act, 1998** | - “child” means a person under the age of 18 years |  | - **Art 16** “ give due consideration to the child’s upbringing and to his or her ethnic, religious and cultural background” |
| **Juries Act** | - “eighteen years or more” throughout | - **s.4** “ A person is ineligible to serve as a juror who,(a) has a physical or mental disability that would seriously impair his or her ability to discharge the duties of a juror” | - **s.23(1)** “…may be excused by a judge from service as a juror on the ground that service as a juror is incompatible with the beliefs or practices of a religion or religious order” |
| **Justices of the Peace Act** | - **s.5.1(1)** “ The justice of the peace will be under 75 years of age on the effective date of the change in designation”; **(2)** “ a per diem justice of the peace shall not continue in office once he or she reaches 65 years of age” [65 and 75 throughout] | - **s.5.2(1)** “ A justice of the peace who believes that he or she is unable, because of a disability, to perform the essential duties of the office…”[further references throughout statutes regarding the accommodation of persons with disabilities] |  |
| **Labour Relations Act, 1995** |  |  | - **s.52(1)** “ Where the Board is satisfied that an employee because of his or her religious conviction or belief,(a) objects to joining a trade union; or(b) objects to the paying of dues or other assessments to a trade union,the Board may order that the provisions of a collective agreement of the type mentioned in clause 51 (1) (a) do not apply to the employee and that the employee is not required to join the trade union…” |
| **Land Titles Act** | - **s.28** **If incapable persons interested** “minor, person who is incapable…” [minor throughout with respect to guardian of property] | - **s.28** **If incapable persons interested** “minor, person who is incapable…” [mentally incapable throughout with respect to guardian of property] | - **s.64(1)** “Where registered land or an interest therein is acquired by trustees under the Religious Organizations’ Lands Act, it shall be registered in the name of the religious organization without setting out the purposes or trusts on which the land or interest is held” |
| **Land Transfer Tax Act** | - “purchaser” means an individual who is at least 18 years of age and…[18 throughout] |  |  |
| **Law Society Act** |  | - **s.37(1)** “ A licensee is incapacitated for the purposes of this Act if, by reason of physical or mental illness… he or she is incapable of meeting any of his or her obligations as a licensee”  |  |
| **Legal Aid Services Act, 1998** |  | - **s.85(2) Exception** “ because of physical or mental disability or other legal incapacity, or for any similar reason, an applicant is unable to make a choice of lawyer or service-provider and that there is no other person who might reasonably be expected to make that choice for the applicant, then the officer or employee may suggest or recommend to the applicant one or more lawyer or service-provider who might act for the applicant…” |  |
| **Legislation Act, 2006** | - **s.90** “ A person attains an age specified as a number of years at the first instant of the corresponding anniversary of his or her birth” |  |  |
| **Legislative Assembly Act** | - **s.6** “ The persons qualified to sit and vote as members of the Assembly are any persons of the full age of eighteen years” | - **103.1(2)** “ The accessibility plan shall address the identification, removal and prevention of barriers to persons with disabilities in the Legislative Chamber…” |  |
| **Libel and Slander Act** |  |  | - **s.3(4)** **Privileged reports** “ 1. An association formed in Canada for the purpose of promoting or encouraging the exercise of or interest in any art, science, religion…” |
| **Limitations Act, 2002** | - **s.6 Minors** “ The limitation period established by section 4 does not run during any time in which the person with the claim,(a) is a minor; and(b) is not represented by a litigation guardian in relation to the claim”[other exceptions throughout statute for persons who are minors] | - **s.7 Incapable Persons** “ The limitation period established by section 4 does not run during any time in which the person with the claim,(a) is incapable of commencing a proceeding in respect of the claim because of his or her physical, mental or psychological condition; and(b) is not represented by a litigation guardian in relation to the claim”[other exceptions throughout statute for persons who are incapable] |  |
| **Limited Partnerships Act** |  | - **s.8** “… continue the business of the limited partnership if a general partner dies, retires or becomes incapable…” |  |
| **Line Fences Act** | - 18 years |  |  |
| **Liquor Licence Act** | - “nineteen years of age” throughout; “eighteen years of age” a few times |  |  |
| **Local Health System Integration Act, 2006** |  |  | - **s.26(2)** “a decision made by a local health integration network… shall not unjustifiably as determined under section 1 of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms require a health service provider that is a religious organization to provide a service that is contrary to the religion related to the organization” [repeated with respect to an Order made by the Minister] |
| **Local Roads Boards Act** | - **s.4(1)** “ Every owner of land in a local roads area of the full age of eighteen years, including the chair of the meeting, is entitled to vote…” |  |  |
| **Long-Term Care Homes Act, 2007** |  |  | - “physical disability” throughout- “incapable” throughout |
| **Marriage Act** | - **s.5(1)** “ Any person who is of the age of majority may obtain a licence or be married…”; (**2)** “ No person shall issue a licence to a minor, or solemnize the marriage of a minor under the authority of the publication of banns, except where the minor is of the age of sixteen years or more and has the consent in writing of both parents…” |  | - “church” includes chapel, meeting-house or place set aside for religious worship [church used throughout statute]- “religious body”, “religious beliefs” throughout |
| **Members' Integrity Act, 1994** |  |  | - **s.10** “A member of the Executive Council shall not… hold an office or directorship, unless holding the office or directorship is one of the member’s duties as a member of the Executive Council, or the office or directorship is in a social club, religious organization…” |
| **Mental Health Act** | - **s.13(1)** “ A child who is twelve years of age or older but less than sixteen years of age, who is an informal patient in a psychiatric facility and who has not so applied within the preceding three months may apply in the approved form to the Board to inquire into whether the child needs observation, care and treatment in the psychiatric facility”**- s.43** “Counsel for patient under 16…” | - “ “mental disorder” means any disease or disability of the mind”- “Incapable”, “Incapacity”, “physical impairment” throughout statute |  |
| **Metrolinx Act, 2006** |  | “ “local transit system” means a passenger transportation system … includes transportation services for persons with physical disabilities”- **s.13(2)** “ A by-law establishing an advisory committee shall provide for the committee’s composition and may require that the committee include persons who use or are otherwise affected by transportation in the regional transportation area, including students, seniors, persons with disabilities…” |  |
| **Mining Act** |  |  | - **s.190(1)** “ The Minister may exempt lands or mining rights from the tax under this Part where…**(b)** land is being actually used for public park, educational, religious or cemetery purposes and there is no severance of the surface and mining rights” |
| **Ministry of Community and Social Services Act** | - **s.11.1(1)** “… who is at least sixteen years old…” | - **s.11.1(1) Grant for persons with a disability** “ The Minister may from time to time, out of money appropriated by the Legislature, make a grant to or on behalf of a person who has a disability and who is at least sixteen years old, to assist the person in obtaining goods and services that the person requires as a result of the disability” |  |
| **Ministry of Correctional Services Act** |  | - **s.13** “ The Lieutenant Governor in Council may pay a compassionate allowance in the prescribed manner and amounts as compensation to an inmate for permanent disability arising from an injury suffered while engaged in an authorized activity at a correctional institution…” |  |
| **Mortgages Act** |  | - **s.32(4)** “ Where a person to be given a notice of exercising a power of sale is under a disability, the notice shall be deemed to have been effectually given if given in accordance with subsection (1)” |  |
| **Motor Vehicle Accident Claims Act** | - **s.8(4)** “ The Minister, without the appointment of a litigation guardian, may exercise the rights and take the action referred to in subsection (2) and assert a counterclaim on behalf of a defendant who is a minor” |  |  |
| **Motorized Snow Vehicles Act** | - **s.9(1)** “…no person shall drive a motorized snow vehicle along a highway unless,(a) the person has attained the full age of sixteen years…; **(3)**…along a trail unless…age of twelve years…”- **s.10(1)** “ The Minister may issue a motorized snow vehicle operator’s licence to any person who has attained the full age of twelve years” |  |  |
| **MPPs Pension Act, 1996** | - “ “dependent child” means, in relation to an individual, a child of the individual who,(a) is less than 18 years of age, or(b) is 18 or more years of age and since reaching 18 years of age has been continuously in full-time attendance at…”- **s.4(1)** “he or she ceases to be a member of the plan (b) at the end of the calendar year in which he or she reaches 69 years of age…”[different ages throughout for allowance calculations] |  |  |
| **Municipal Act, 2001** | - **s.154(1)** “ prohibit any person carrying on or engaged in an adult entertainment establishment business from permitting any person under the age of 18 years to enter or remain in the adult entertainment establishment or any part of it” | - **s.156(2)** “…The purpose of the conveyance is to transport persons with physical, emotional or mental disabilities from any point in the municipality to any point outside the municipality…”- **s.319(1)** Tax deferrals for “ low-income persons with disabilities as defined in the by-law”- **s.323(3) Annual levy on residences for the developmentally disabled** |  |
| **Municipal Elections Act, 1996** | - **s.17(2)** A person is entitled to be an elector at an election held in a local municipality if, on voting day, he or she (c) is at least 18 years old” | - **s.12.1** **Electors and candidates with disabilities** [whole section]- **s.45(2)** “ n establishing the locations of voting places, the clerk shall ensure that each voting place is accessible to electors with disabilities”- **s.41(3)** **variations for electors with visual impairments** |  |
| **Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act** | - “personal information” means recorded information about an identifiable individual, including,(a) information relating to the race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion, age… |  | - “personal information” means recorded information about an identifiable individual, including,(a) information relating to the race, national or ethnic origin, colour, religion…- **s.14(3)** “ A disclosure of personal information is presumed to constitute an unjustified invasion of personal privacy if the personal information… indicates the individual’s racial or ethnic origin, sexual orientation or religious or political beliefs…” |
| **Northern Services Boards Act** | - “ “inhabitant”, … means a permanent resident of a Board area or an owner of property situate in a Board area, who is a Canadian citizen and who has attained the full age of eighteen years” |  |  |
| **Oak Ridges Moraine Conservation Act, 2001** |  | - **s.4** “ providing for a continuous recreational trail through the Oak Ridges Moraine Area that is accessible to all including persons with disabilities…” |  |
| **Occupational Health and Safety Act** | - **s.25(2)** “… (f) only employ in or about a workplace a person over such age as may be prescribed; (g) not knowingly permit a person who is under such age as may be prescribed to be in or about a workplace” |  |  |
| **Off-Road Vehicles Act** | 4. (1) No owner of an off-road vehicle shall permit a child under the age of twelve to drive the vehicle.5. (1) Subject to subsection (2), every person who,(b) is, in the case of an individual, at least sixteen years of age; and[…]is entitled to be issued a numbered permit from the Ministry for the vehicle in accordance with the regulations. |  |  |
| **Ombudsman Act** |  |  | s.12(1) [take an oath]s.19(2) [Ombudsman may summon certain persons and examine them on oath] |
| **Ontario Casino Corporation Act, 1993** | 8. (3) The Corporation shall not permit individuals under nineteen years of age to play games of chance in casinos. |  |  |
| **Ontario Child Benefit Equivalent Act, 2009** | “child” means a person under the age of 18 years; |  |  |
| **Ontario College of Teachers Act, 1996** | **43.1**(1)  For the purposes of this Part, an employer shall be considered to employ or to have employed a member only if the employer employs or employed the member,(a) to teach a person who is 18 years old or less or, in the case of a person who has special needs, 21 years old or less; or(b) to provide services, including support services, related to the education of a person who is 18 years old or less or, in the case of a person who has special needs, 21 years old or less | 43.1 “person who has special needs” | 4.1 [“oath or affirmation”] |
| **Ontario College of Trades and Apprenticeship Act, 2009** | 65. (2) An agreement shall not be registered unless the individual who is to receive the training is at least 16 years of age. |  |  |
| **Ontario Disability Support Program Act, 1997** |  | “person with a disability” |  |
| **Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998** |  |  | “satisfied by information on oath that” |
| **Ontario Guaranteed Annual Income Act** | “eligible person” means a person who,(a) has attained 65 years of age or such lesser age as may be prescribed, [or other definitions] |  |  |
| **Ontario Mental Health Foundation Act** | **27.**  (1)  The Institute may admit any person,(b) in the case of any person under the age of sixteen years, upon the oral or written application of a parent or the person who stands in the role of parent to the person seeking admission. |  |  |
| **Ontario Municipal Board Act** |  |  | “administer oaths and affirmations” |
| **Ontario New Home Warranties Plan Act** |  |  | 13. (2) A warranty under subsection (1) does not apply in respect of,(i) damage resulting from an act of God; |
| **Ontario Retirement Pension Plan Act, 2015** | 6. (6) The following persons are disqualified from being a director of the Corporation:2. A person who is less than 18 years of age. | 6. (6) The following persons are disqualified from being a director of the Corporation:3. A person who has been found under the [*Substitute Decisions Act, 1992*](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/so-1992-c-30/latest/so-1992-c-30.html) or under the [*Mental Health Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/rso-1990-c-m7/latest/rso-1990-c-m7.html) to be incapable of managing property or who has been found to be incapable by a court in Canada or elsewhere. |  |
| **Ontario Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act** | 1. (2) Where the owner or custodian of an animal is a minor, the owner or custodian for the purposes of this Act is deemed to be the minor’s parents or guardians. |  | “satisfied by information on oath that” |
| **Ontario Water Resources Act** |  |  | “satisfied, on evidence under oath…” |
| **Ontario Works Act, 1997** | **17.**  (1)  An administrator may appoint a person to act for a recipient 18 years of age or older if there is no guardian of property or trustee for the recipient and the administrator is satisfied that the recipient is using or is likely to use his or her assistance in a way that is not for the benefit of a member of the benefit unit**[Schedule D] 1.**  Despite the [*Family Benefits Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/rso-1990-c-f2/latest/rso-1990-c-f2.html), on and after January 1, 1998, no application for an allowance or benefits shall be accepted or processed under that Act with respect to, (b) a person who is 60 years of age or older and less than 65 and who is not otherwise eligible to apply for an allowance or benefits under that Act; |  |  |
| **Paperback and Periodical Distributors Act** |  |  | “satisfied on information under oath that” |
| **Parental Responsibility Act, 2000** | “child” means a person who is under the age of 18 years; |  |  |
| **Pawnbrokers Act** | **8.**A pawnbroker shall not,(a) purchase any article or receive or take any article in pawn from any person who appears to the pawnbroker to be under the age of eighteen years  […] |  | 25.(1) “[…]the pawner may make oath thereof before a justice of the peace, who shall summon such person before him, and shall examine on oath the parties and their witnesses touching the matter.” |
| **Pension Benefits Act** | **35.** (1) The normal retirement date under a pension plan submitted for registration after the 1st day of January, 1988 shall not be later than one year after the attainment of sixty-five years of age.[other age-based conditions, mostly sixty-five, fifty-five, some forty-five]84.(1) 2. Any deferred pension in respect of employment in Ontario to which a former member is entitled, if the former member’s employment or membership was terminated before the 1st day of January, 1988 and the former member was at least forty-five years of age and had at least ten years of continuous employment with the employer, or was a member of the pension plan for a continuous period of at least ten years, at the date of termination of employment. |  | “satisfied by evidence on oath or affirmation” |
| **Personal Health Information Protection Act, 2004** | 23.  (3) If the individual is a child who is less than 16 years of age and who is capable of consenting to the collection, use or disclosure of the information and if there is a person who is entitled to act as the substitute decision-maker of the child under paragraph 2 of subsection (1), a decision of the child to give, withhold or withdraw the consent or to provide the information prevails over a conflicting decision of that person. |  | 3. (4) A health information custodian does not include a person described in one of the following paragraphs who has custody or control of personal health information as a result of or in connection with performing the work described in the paragraph:3. A person who treats another person solely by prayer or spiritual means in accordance with the tenets of the religion of the person giving the treatment. |
| **Planning Act** |  |  | 28. (1) In this section,“community improvement” means the planning or replanning, design or redesign, resubdivision, clearance, development or redevelopment, construction, reconstruction and rehabilitation, improvement of energy efficiency, or any of them, of a community improvement project area, and the provision of such residential, commercial, industrial, public, recreational, institutional, religious, charitable or other uses, buildings, structures, works, improvements or facilities, or spaces therefor, as may be appropriate or necessary;“satisfied by information on oath that” |
| **Police Services Act** | 43. (1) No person shall be appointed as a police officer unless he or she, (b) is at least eighteen years of age; | [provisions mandating accommodations in the event “that the employee is mentally or physically disabled”] | “oath or affirmation in the prescribed form” |
| **Pope John Paul II Day Act, 2014** |  |  | “ Pope John Paul II, who was born in Poland on May 18, 1920, reigned as Pope of the Roman Catholic Church from October 16, 1978 until his death on April 2, 2005.” |
| **Private Security and Investigative Services Act, 2005** | 10. (1) No person is eligible to hold a licence under this Act unless, (b) in the case of an individual,(i) the person is 18 years old or older, |  | “satisfied on information under oath that….” |
| **Professional Engineers Act** | 14. (1) The Registrar shall issue a licence to a natural person who applies therefor in accordance with the regulations and, (b) is not less than eighteen years of age; |  | “satisfied on evidence upon oath…” |
| **Professional Geoscientists Act, 2000** |  |  | “satisfied on information under oath that…” |
| **Prohibiting Profiting from Recounting Crimes Act, 2002** |  | “convicted” includes found guilty or found not criminally responsible on account of mental disorder; |  |
| **Provincial Advocate for Children and Youth Act, 2007** |  |  | s.19 “shall take an oath not to…” |
| **Provincial Land Tax Act, 2006** | s.25(1)(e)(i) “low-income seniors, as defined in the regulations” |  |  |
| **Provincial Offences Act** | 69. (20) Subsections (6) to (19) do not apply if,(a) the person who has defaulted is less than eighteen years old; | s.44 “mental disorder” | 7. (2) The justice may require submissions under subsection (1) to be made under oath, orally or by affidavit. |
| **Public Guardian and Trustee Act** |  | s.2(5)(b)“a mentally incapable person” |  |
| **Public Inquiries Act, 2009** |  |  | “testimony on oath or affirmation” |
| **Public Lands Act** |  |  | 1. “public lands” includes lands heretofore designated as Crown lands, school lands and clergy lands; |
| **Public Libraries Act** | **10.**  (1)  A person is qualified to be appointed as a member of a board who is a member of the appointing council or,(a) is at least eighteen years old; |  |  |
| **Public Officers Act** |  |  | s.4 “ I, ................................, do swear (or solemnly affirm) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Second (*or the reigning Sovereign for the time being*), her heirs and successors according to law. **So help me God**. (omit this phrase in an affirmation).” |
| **Public Service of Ontario Act, 2006** |  |  | “oaths or affirmations” |
| **Public Service Pension Act** | 14. (6)  If a contributor who is in receipt of an allowance or annuity dies survived by a child or children under eighteen years of age or by a spouse from whom the contributor is not living separate and apart, and if none of them is entitled to a survivor allowance under [section 20](http://www.canlii.org/en/ca/laws/stat/rsc-1985-c-p-36/latest/rsc-1985-c-p-36.html#sec20_smooth) of the [*Public Service Superannuation Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/ca/laws/stat/rsc-1985-c-p-36/latest/rsc-1985-c-p-36.html), this section or that Act as a result of the death of the contributor, the amount, if any, by which twice the total of contributions made under the [*Public Service Superannuation Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/ca/laws/stat/rsc-1985-c-p-36/latest/rsc-1985-c-p-36.html) to the Public Service Superannuation Fund by or on behalf of the contributor and of the interest credited in that Fund to the contributor exceeds the total payments made from the Fund and the Public Service Superannuation Fund to the contributor shall be paid from the Fund to the surviving spouse, or if there is no surviving spouse, to the child or children, if any, of the contributor under eighteen years of age at the contributor’s death. |  |  |
| **Public Vehicles Act** |  | “persons with disabilities”“passengers with mobility disabilities” |  |
| **Racing Commission Act, 2000** | [repealed] |  |  |
| **Registered Insurance Brokers Act** |  |  | “administer oaths and affirmations” |
| **Registry Act** |  |  | “administer an oath for…” |
| **Regulated Health Professions Act, 1991** |  | “a hearing impaired person” | 29. (1) An act by a person is not a contravention of [subsection 27 (1)](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/so-1991-c-18/latest/so-1991-c-18.html?autocompleteStr=Regulated%20Health%20Professions%20Act%2C%201991&autocompletePos=1#sec27subsec1_smooth) if it is done in the course of,(c) treating a person by prayer or spiritual means in accordance with the tenets of the religion of the person giving the treatment; |
| **Religious Freedom Act** |  |  | “ **1.**  The free exercise and enjoyment of religious profession and worship, without discrimination or preference, provided the same be not made an excuse for acts of licentiousness, or a justification of practices inconsistent with the peace and safety of the Province, is by the constitution and laws of this Province assured to all Her Majesty’s subjects within the same.” |
| **Religious Organizations' Lands Act** |  |  | 1.(1) “religious organization” means an association of persons,(a) that is charitable according to the law of Ontario,(b) that is organized for the advancement of religion and for the conduct of religious worship, services or rites, and(c) that is permanently established both as to the continuity of its existence and as to its religious beliefs, rituals and practices,and includes an association of persons that is charitable according to the law of Ontario and that is organized for the advancement of and for the conduct of worship, services or rites of the Buddhist, Christian, Hindu, Islamic, Jewish, Baha’i, Longhouse Indian, Sikh, Unitarian or Zoroastrian faith, or a subdivision or denomination thereof;[Statute is about acquisition and management of land by religious organizations] |
| **Remembrance Day Observance Act, 1997** |  |  | List of suggested ways to observe the minute of silence: “7. We can hold Remembrance Day services in our places of worship.” |
| **Residential Tenancies Act, 2006** | -this act does not apply to “ (g) living accommodation provided by an educational institution to its students or staff where,(i) the living accommodation is provided primarily to persons under the age of majority, [and other conditions]” | “persons with disabilities”-some provisions do not apply to “ (b) accommodation that is a supported group living residence or an intensive support residence under the [*Services and Supports to Promote the Social Inclusion of Persons with Developmental Disabilities Act, 2008*](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/so-2008-c-14/latest/so-2008-c-14.html).” | Certain provisions do not apply to “ A rental unit located in a residential complex owned, operated or administered by a religious institution for a charitable use on a non-profit basis.” |
| **Retail Business Holidays Act** |  |  | **Sunday exception****5.**  (1)  Despite any other provision of this or any other Act or the by-laws or regulations under this or any other Act, a retail business may be carried on in a retail business establishment on a Sunday if the retail business establishment is always closed to the public throughout another day of the week by reason of the religion of the owner of the retail business.**Definition**(2)  For the purpose of subsection (1),“religion of the owner” means,(a) in the case of a sole proprietorship, the religion of the sole proprietor,(b) in the case of a partnership, the religion named in a written agreement between the partners which is the religion of one of the partners,(c) in the case of a corporation, the religion named in the by-laws of the corporation. |
| **Retail Sales Tax Act** | 18.1 (2) If at any time a person transfers property (including money), either directly or indirectly, by means of a trust or by any other means to a member of his or her family, to an individual who is less than 18 years old at the time of the transfer, or to another person with whom the transferor is not dealing at arm’s length, the transferor and transferee are jointly and severally liable to pay under this Act the amount determined under subsection (4). | 7. (1) The purchaser of the following classes of tangible personal property, taxable services and admissions to a place of amusement is exempt from the tax imposed by [section 2](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/rso-1990-c-r31/latest/rso-1990-c-r31.html?autocompleteStr=Retail%20Sales%20Tax%20Act&autocompletePos=1#sec2_smooth):34. Equipment designed solely for the use of persons who are **chronic invalids** or persons with a physical disability and accessories specifically designed for such equipment, and repair parts for such equipment.34.1 Animals, as defined by the Minister, specifically trained to assist and for the sole benefit of persons who are **chronic invalids** or who have a physical disability, and harnesses for such animals. | 7. (1) The purchaser of the following classes of tangible personal property, taxable services and admissions to a place of amusement is exempt from the tax imposed by [section 2](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/rso-1990-c-r31/latest/rso-1990-c-r31.html?autocompleteStr=Retail%20Sales%20Tax%20Act&autocompletePos=1#sec2_smooth):20. Used clothing or used footwear or a combination thereof sold by a religious, charitable, benevolent or non-profit organization in one transaction the total consideration for which does not exceed $50.53. Equipment, as defined by the Minister, that is to be used by a religious institution exclusively in that part of its premises where religious worship or sabbath school is regularly conducted, and repairs to such equipment, but not including any equipment acquired for resale by a religious institution. |
| **Retirement Homes Act, 2010** | “retirement home” means a residential complex or the part of a residential complex,(a) that is occupied primarily by persons who are 65 years of age or older,“seniors”64. (2)  The screening measures shall include a police background check as defined in the regulations, unless the person being screened is under 18 years of age. |  |  |
| **Ryan's Law (Ensuring Asthma Friendly Schools), 2015** | -whether a pupil requires parental/guardian permission to carry their asthma medication depends on age (above/below age 16) |  |  |
| **Safe Drinking Water Act, 2002** |  |  | “satisfied, on evidence under oath by…” |
| **School Boards Collective Bargaining Act, 2014** |  |  | 25.  (1)  This section applies if a council is designated as the employer bargaining agency for a particular central table and if l’Association franco-ontarienne des conseils scolaires catholiques or the Ontario Catholic School Trustees’ Association is a member of the council. [bargaining rights] |
| **Securities Act** |  |  | “to give testimony on oath or otherwise” |
| **Services and Supports to Promote the Social Inclusion of Persons with Developmental Disabilities Act, 2008** | **3.**  (1)  A person has a developmental disability for the purposes of this Act if the person has the prescribedsignificant limitations in cognitive functioning and adaptive functioning and those limitations,(a) originated before the person reached 18 years of age;**5.**  This Act applies with respect to persons with developmental disabilities who reside in Ontario and are at least 18 years of age. | “persons with developmental disabilities” |  |
| **Sikh Heritage Month Act, 2013** |  |  | “Sikh” Heritage Month |
| **Skin Cancer Prevention Act (Tanning Beds), 2013** | 2.  (1)  No person shall sell, offer for sale or provide tanning services or ultraviolet light treatments for tanning to an individual who is less than 18 years old. |  |  |
| **Smoke-Free Ontario Act** | **3.** (1) No person shall sell or supply tobacco to a person who is less than 19 years old. | “A home for special care under the[*Homes for Special Care Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/rso-1990-c-h12/latest/rso-1990-c-h12.html)” | 13. (2) [Section 3](http://www.canlii.org/en/on/laws/stat/so-1994-c-10/latest/so-1994-c-10.html?autocompleteStr=Smoke-Free%20Ontario%20Act&autocompletePos=1#sec3_smooth) does not prohibit a person from giving tobacco to an Aboriginal person who is or appears to be less than 19 years of age or 25 years of age, as the case may be, if the gift is made for traditional Aboriginal cultural or spiritual purposes. |
| **Statistics Act** |  |  | 4. I,........................, do swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully discharge my duties under the *Statistics Act* and, except as I may be legally required, I will not disclose or give to any person any information or document that comes to my knowledge or possession by reason of my duties under the *Statistics Act*. **So help me God.** (Omit this phrase in an affirmation.) |
| **Statute Labour Act** | **5.**In a township that has not passed a by-law abolishing statute labour, every able person over the age of eighteen who,(a) is not exempt from performing statute labour;(b) is not otherwise assessed in the township; and(c) has not filed with the clerk a certificate showing that the person has been assessed or performed statute labour elsewhere in Ontario,is liable to one day of statute labour on the roads and highways in the township. |  | **19.**If an objection is made to the right of any person to vote at the meeting, the person shall name the property in respect of which he or she claims the right to vote, and the chair shall administer to the person an oath, or affirmation if he or she is by law permitted to affirm, according to the following form in English or French, whereupon the person shall be permitted to vote:You swear (or *if the voter is entitled to affirm*, solemnly affirm) that you are of the age of eighteen years, and that you are the owner, tenant, purchaser or locatee of lot ....... in the ............... concession of this township and that you are entitled to vote at this election.(So help you God. *Only if the person swears an oath.*) |
| **Statutory Powers Procedure Act** |  |  | “to give evidence on oath or affirmation at…” |
| **Substitute Decisions Act, 1992** | 2. (2) A person who is sixteen years of age or more is presumed to be capable of giving or refusing consent in connection with his or her own personal care.4. This Part applies to decisions on behalf of persons who are at least eighteen years old. 5. To exercise a power of decision under this Part on behalf of another person, a person must be at least eighteen years old[Another part similarly applies to those 16+] | “incapable” means mentally incapable, and “incapacity” has a corresponding meaning; |  |
| **Succession Law Reform Act** | 8. (1) A will made by a person who is under the age of eighteen years is not valid unless at the time of making the will the person,(a) is or has been married;(b) is contemplating marriage and the will states that it is made in contemplation of marriage to a named person except that such a will is not valid unless and until the marriage to the named person takes place;(c) is a member of a component of the Canadian Forces,(i) that is referred to in the [*National Defence Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/ca/laws/stat/rsc-1985-c-n-5/latest/rsc-1985-c-n-5.html) (Canada) as a regular force, or(ii) while placed on active service under the [*National Defence Act*](http://www.canlii.org/en/ca/laws/stat/rsc-1985-c-n-5/latest/rsc-1985-c-n-5.html) (Canada); or(d) is a sailor and at sea or in the course of a voyage |  |  |
| **Supply Act** | [repealed] |  |  |
| **Surveyors Act** | **12.**(1)  The Registrar shall issue a licence to an individual who applies therefor in accordance with the regulations and, (b) is not less than eighteen years of age; |  |  |
| **Taxation Act, 2007** | -dependents under 18 years of age98(1) “senior” means, in respect of a taxation year, an individual who has reached 65 years of age by December 31 of the year. [but in 103.4(1), it’s 64+]99. (2) An individual is a qualifying individual for a taxation year for the purposes of this section if, on December 31 in the year, the individual,(a) is resident in Ontario;(b) has reached 16 years of age but is not a senior;(c) does not have a qualifying spouse or qualifying common-law partner who is a senior;(d) is not a qualified dependant of another individual; and(e) has not been confined to a prison or similar institution for a total of more than 180 days during the year. |  |  |
| **Tobacco Tax Act** | 19.1 (2) If at any time a person transfers property (including money), either directly or indirectly, by means of a trust or by any other means to a member of his or her family, to an individual who is less than 18 years old at the time of the transfer, or to another person with whom the transferor is not dealing at arm’s length, the transferor and transferee are jointly and severally liable to pay under this Act the amount determined under subsection (4). |  |  |
| **Toronto Islands Residential Community Stewardship Act, 1993** | 17. (4) The purchase price for a land lease that is sold under this section before the first anniversary of the day this Act comes into force to an owner who is a senior as defined in the regulations and who meets the prescribed requirements shall be,(a) for land on Ward’s Island, $27,000;(b) for land on Algonquin Island, $34,500. |  |  |
| **Trillium Gift of Life Network Act** | 3.  (1)  Any person who has attained the age of sixteen years, is mentally competent to consent, and is able to make a free and informed decision may in a writing signed by the person consent to the removal forthwith from his or her body of the tissue specified in the consent and its implantation in the body of another living person. |  |  |
| **Trustee Act** | **12.** Where any person entitled to or possessed of land, or entitled to any contingent right in land, by way of security for money, is a minor, the Superior Court of Justice may make an order vesting or releasing or disposing of the land or right in like manner as in the case of a minor trustee. | “mentally incapable person” |  |
| **Victims' Bill of Rights, 1995** |  | “ an accused who is found unfit to stand trial or who is found not criminally responsible on account of mental disorder,” |  |
| **Vital Statistics Act** | 14. (1) A person with lawful custody of a child under the age of twelve years whose birth was registered in Ontario may elect in the prescribed manner, [to change the child’s name] unless a court order or separation agreement prohibits the change.-child has agency over more matters if 16+ or 18+ |  | “religious body” means a church or any religious denomination, sect, congregation or society; |
| **Workplace Safety and Insurance Act, 1997** | 30. (7) If the worker or survivor is less than 18 years of age, his or her parent or guardian or the Children’s Lawyer may make the election [whether to claim the benefits or to commence the action] on his or her behalf.-age-related disability payout [65, 63 – s.43.] |  |  |