

Materials for the National Council of Welfare							
Cuts to B.C. Income Assistance							
Support Allowance - Effective April 1st, 2002							
		Category of Recipient					
		Single Employ.	Single Employ.	Single Employ.	Employ. Couples	Employ. Couples	Single Parents
		19 - 54	55 - 59	60 - 64	55 - 59	60 - 64	
	Pre Cut	185.00	231.92	282.92	401.06	452.06	376.58
	Post Cut	185.00	185.00	185.00	307.22	307.22	325.58
	\$ Amount	0	46.92	97.92	93.84	144.84	51.00
	% Cut	0	20.2%	34.6%	23.4%	32.0%	13.5%
Shelter Allowance - Effective July 1st, 2002							
		Number of Family Members					
		2 people	3 people	4 people	5 people	6 people	
	Pre Cut	520.00	610.00	650.00	700.00	780.00	
	Post Cut	520.00		590.00	625.00	660.00	
	\$ Amount	0.00	55.00	60.00	75.00	120.00	
	% Cut	0	9.0%	9.2%	10.7%	15.4%	
Cumulative Cuts							
Single Parent with two children							
		Pre Cut	Post Cut	\$ Amount	% Cut		
	Support A.	376.58	325.58				
	Shelter A.	610.00	555.00				
	Total	986.58	880.58	106.00	10.7%		
Single Parent with four children							
		Pre Cut	Post Cut	\$ Amount	% Cut		
	Support A.	376.58	325.58				
	Shelter A.	700.00	625.00				
	Total	1076.58	950.58	126.00	11.7%		