

Manitoba Justice Private Investigators and Security Guards Information Note

March 13, 2020

Coronavirus/COVID-19 Precautionary Measures Exam Cancellations

Please be advised that due to the current situation regarding Coronavirus/COVID-19, as a precautionary/preventative measure, exam administrations for the Manitoba Security Guard Training Program held in Winnipeg are cancelled until further notice.

When the Private Investigators and Security Guards Program (PISG Program) is able to resume regularly scheduled test sessions, a notice will be distributed.

In consideration of this, and to minimize disruption to industry stakeholders, the following steps are being taken:

- Exam bookings which have already been finalized/confirmed with the PISG Program for Mar. 6, 2020 and beyond, will be tracked. If fees have been paid for these test sessions, they will be carried forward and applied when test re-bookings are possible.
- When testing sessions resume, the PISG Program will contact trainers to assist with re-scheduling exams that were confirmed as booked prior to the notice of cancellation. After these bookings have been addressed the regular process for submitting exam requests will resume. Please do not send further exam booking requests for the Winnipeg area until further notice.
- Distance exam administrations may continue as usual as long as the respective trainers and invigilators are not suspending activity as a precautionary measure.

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- Temporary Security Guard Licences will be considered valid past their expiry date until further notice to minimize the impact on industry workers.

Please note that industry stakeholders are encouraged to observe advice from official health sources regarding any necessary precautions to prevent the spread of Coronavirus/COVID-19.

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please contact the Registrar of the Private Investigators and Security Guards Program by sending an e-mail to pisg@gov.mb.ca