

Veterans Survivor Fund

- Spouses who marry Veterans after the Veteran turns 60 do not receive automatic survivor pensions under the *Canadian Forces Superannuation Act* (CFSA).
- 2015 and 2017 mandate letters committed to eliminating the “marriage after 60” clawback clause.
 - Changes to the CFSA would be made by Minister of National Defence, not Minister of Veterans Affairs.
- Budget 2019 announced the Veterans Survivors Fund to:
 - Commit \$150M over 5 years to support Veterans who married over the age of 60 and their spouses.
 - Work with the community to identify impacted survivors, process their claims and ensure survivors have the financial support they need.