

[Transcription of interview with Raghbir Singh Dhaliwal]

Raghbir Singh Dhaliwal Transcription

Interview Date: February 9th, 2025

Q: Hello Uncle A what is your name?

R: My name is Raghbir.

Q: What is your date of birth?

R: 1944, 2nd February.

Q: Or and where were you born?

R: India, in Punjab.

Q: How? Kind?

R: Dhaliwal kind.

Q: When did you immigrate to Canada?

R: I came to Canada in 1973.

Q: Do you remember what month?

R: 2nd November.

Q: At that time what was your immigration status? How did you come here?

R: I came as a visitor.

Q: When you applied for immigration, did you apply on the point system, family sponsorship?

R: At that time immigration was free for everyone.

Q: Or. And when you arrived in Canada, actually before you arrived in Canada, where did you used to live?

R: In the pind.

Q: In the pind. Did you work there or study there?

R: I was working and studied a bit too, then I worked.

Q: What did you study?

R: Whatever they taught in the pind just like school here, English, Punjabi, Hindi, Math, Science. There were 4-5 subjects.

Q: How old were you when you came to Canada?

R: I was 29.

Q: What kind of work did you do in India? Farm work.

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