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No .... of 1908

An Act respecting Poisons

(Assented to                    )

HIS MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1. Except as herein otherwise provided, no person shall put out poison in any part of the Province.

2. In that portion of the Province lying to the north of the fifty-fifth degree north latitude a person may put out poison for the destruction of wolves upon satisfying an officer or constable of the Royal North West Mounted Police stationed either at the Village of Athabasca Landing or in the portion of the Province in this Section mentioned of the necessity or advisability of so doing, and obtaining the written permission of such officer or constable to do so.

(2) Such written permission shall specify the area within which the poison may be set out, and no poison shall be set out outside of the area so mentioned.

3. The permission in the last preceding Section referred to may be in the form set out in Schedule A to this Act, but no such permission shall be given for a longer period than six months in any year.

4. No person shall set out poison, except it be upon his own premises, within one mile of any public road or trail, or within two miles of any dwelling house or camp, nor shall poison be set out unless it is mixed with grease and placed in a hole or hollow in a piece of timber or other material, or is placed in a vessel.

5. Every person guilty of a contravention of the provisions of this Act shall be liable to a penalty of \$100 on summary conviction.

6. This Act shall not apply to poisons placed under the ground for the purpose of killing vermin.

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SCHEDULE A.

Permission to put out Poison

A - B. - who resides at ----- is hereby permitted to set out strychnine or other poisons for the purpose of destroying wolves within the following area, namely, ..... provided that such poison shall not be placed within one mile of any public road or trail or within two miles of any dwelling house or camp except on the premises of the said A. - B. -

This permission is only good for six months from the date hereof.

Given under my hand at ..... this ..... day of ..... A.D. 19....

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(Signature of officer or constable giving permission)

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