Bill No. 81 of 1948.

A BILL TO AMEND THE MOTHERS' ALLOWANCE ACT

NOTE.

This Bill amends The Mothers' Allowance Act.

The wording of section 8 is altered slightly to provide for the exception set out in the new section 8a.

Section 8a enables the Minister, with the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, to enter into a reciprocal agreement with any other province whereby that province will pay a mother's allowance to any woman entitled thereto under this Act who, with the consent in writing of the municipality liable or of the Superintendent, has transferred her permanent residence from Alberta to that other province. Under such an agreement Alberta would reimburse the other province for any payments so made on its behalf and would undertake to pay mothers' allowance or its equivalent for the other province on the same basis. Once such an agreement has been entered into, a woman moving to any other province with the consent in writing of the municipality liable or of the Superintendent may continue to be paid her mother's allowance.

W. S. GRAY, Legislative Counsel.

(This note does not form any part of the Bill but is offered in explanation of its provisions.)

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No. 81 of 1948.

An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

(Assented to

, 1948.)

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

- 1. The Mothers' Allowance Act, being chapter 302 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942, is hereby amended as to section 8 by adding immediately before the words "The allowance granted", where the same occur therein, the words "Except as otherwise provided in this Act".
- 2. The said Act is further amended by adding immediately after section 8 thereof the following new section:
- "8a.—(1) The Minister, with the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, may enter into a reciprocal agreement with any other province in which the payment of mothers' allowance or its equivalent is provided for, whereby,—
 - "(a) that province will pay on behalf of Alberta a mother's allowance to any woman entitled thereto under this Act who, with the consent in writing of the municipality so liable or of the Superintendent, has transferred her permanent residence from Alberta to that other province;
 - "(b) Alberta will pay on behalf of that other province a mother's allowance or its equivalent to any woman entitled thereto under the law of any other province who has transferred her permanent residence from that other province to Alberta;
 - "(c) adjustment of accounts shall be made in the manner provided by the agreement.
- "(2) A woman receiving or entitled to a mother's allowance, upon obtaining the consent in writing of the municipality so liable or of the Superintendent, may move to or remain in any other province with which the Minister has entered into an agreement pursuant to subsection (1), in which case the mother's allowance which she is receiving or entitled to shall be paid to her in that other province in the same amount and on the same basis as if she had continued to reside in Alberta.".
- 3. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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