Bill No. 120 of 1949.

A BILL RESPECTING THE DEVELOPMENT OF IRRIGATION PROJECTS

NOTE

This Bill enacts a new Act to be known as "The Irrigation Projects Act".

The Act enables the Lieutenant Governor in Council to enter into an agreement or agreements with the Government of the Dominion providing for the development of irrigation projects and the construction and maintenance of irrigation works within the Province, and providing for the payment by Alberta of a portion of the costs.

The Lieutenant Governor in Council is authorized to expend moneys not exceeding a total of two million dollars under any such agreement or agreements.

For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the Act the Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation is charged with its administration.

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

BILL

No. 120 of 1949.

An Act respecting the Development of Irrigation Projects.

(Assented to , 1949)

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

Short Title

1. This Act may be cited as "The Irrigation Projects Act"

- 2. The Lieutenant Governor in Council may from time to time .--
 - (a) enter into an agreement or agreements with the Government of the Dominion providing for the development of irrigation projects and the construction and maintenance of irrigation works within the Province, and providing for the payment by Alberta of a portion of the costs incurred under any such agreement;
 - (b) do all things necessary or expedient to carry out the said agreement or agreements in conjunction with the Government of the Dominion;
 - (c) expend moneys not exceeding a total of two million dollars in 1949
 under any such agreement or agreements for the development of irrigation
 projects and the construction and maintenance of irrigation works
 within the Province;
 - (d) make such regulations as are deemed necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act according to their true intent.

3. (1) All moneys expended pursuant to this Act shall be paid out of any moneys that may be appropriated by the Legislature for that purpose and in default of any such appropriation shall be paid out of the General Revenue Fund.

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(2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall have power to raise by way of loan any sum or sums of money that may be necessary to discharge the obligation of the Province under this Act.

4. For the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this Act. the
Minister of Water Resources and Irrigation shall be charged with its administration.
5. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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Hon. Mr. Manning