Bill No. 58 of 1952.

A BILL TO AMEND THE ALBERTA LAND SURVEYORS ACT.

Note.

This Bill amends The Alberta Land Surveyors Act, being chapter 287 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942.

Section 2, clause (b) is amended. The clause is amended to indicate the true purpose for which an examination is held by the Board, that is, for the admission of the candidates to practise or to study as land surveyors under the Act rather than as surveyors of the association.

Section 30 is struck out and a new section substituted. The new section relieves a person who has studied for at least three years in a university or college, has a certificate or diploma therefor and has done field surveying work, from the necessity of doing articling under a surveyor as otherwise required before being registered as a surveyor under this Act. The former section was similar except that it specified a Canadian university or college, it made no provision for field surveying work, and provided that a person having such qualifications would serve one year under articles with six months in the field before being registered. The section has also been redrafted for clarification.

Section 35 is struck out and a new section substituted. The former section set out the form of certificate to be issued by the General Faculty Council to a candidate. The section has been redrafted to provide for a certificate being issued but all reference to the form of the certificate has been left out. The Registrar of the University now issues a certificate upon the report of the General Faculty Council.

This Bill comes into force upon assent.

J. W. RYAN, Acting 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. 58 of 1952.

An Act to amend The Alberta Land Surveyors Act.

(Assented to , 1952.)

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

1. The Alberta Land Surveyors Act, being chapter 287 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942, is hereby amended.

Section 2 amended **2.** Section 2, clause (b) is amended by striking out the words "practise as Alberta land surveyors of the association" and by substituting the words "to practise as land surveyors under the provisions of this Act".

Section 30 amended **3.** Section 30 is struck out and the following new section is substituted:

"**30.** (1) Every person who,—

- "(a) has followed a regular course of study in all the branches of education required by this Act for admission as an Alberta land surveyor for at least three years in any college or university where a complete course of theoretical and practical instruction in surveying is organized; and
- "(b) has received from the college or university a diploma or certificate; and
- "(c) has been engaged in survey field work;

shall be exempt from serving a term of three years under articles to a surveyor as required by section 26 and shall be entitled to be registered as an Alberta land surveyor upon passing a final examination in such subjects as the board requires, and paying the necessary fee.

"(2) It shall rest with the board to decide whether the course of instruction in the college or university meets the requirements of this section and whether the candidate has had adequate experience in the actual practice of land surveying.".

Section 35 amended Certificate **4.** Section 35 is struck out and the following new section is substituted:

"35. Upon the board reporting to the General Faculty Council of the University of Alberta that a candidate is qualified to practice, the Registrar of the University shall

University or college graduates issue a certificate in writing to the candidate and copy thereof to the Secretary certifying that the candidate has duly passed his examination and is eligible for registration as an Alberta land surveyor.".

5. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which Coming into force it is assented to.

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