

Bill No. 30 of 1953

A BILL TO AMEND THE ACT TO VALIDATE AND CONFIRM AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA AND THE GOVERNMENT OF THE DOMINION OF CANADA PROVIDING FOR THE CONSERVATION OF THE FORESTS ON THE EAST SLOPE OF THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS AND THE PROTECTION OF THE WATERSHEDS AND THE RIVERS THEREIN

NOTE

This Bill amends chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1948, which approved, ratified and confirmed an agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Province under which The Eastern Rockies Forest Conservation Board is constituted.

This Bill would approve, ratify and confirm an amending agreement between the two Governments providing for further and greater expenditures of money on the work of The Eastern Rockies Forest Conservation Board and providing for a change in the representation of each Government on the Board in 1955. According to the original agreement two members of the three-man Board are appointed and paid by the Government of Canada and one by the Government of Alberta. When the amending agreement goes into effect two members will be appointed and paid by the Province and one by Canada.

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. 30 of 1953

An Act to amend the Act to Validate and Confirm an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.

(Assented to _____, 1953)

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

1. An agreement dated the 17th day of June, 1952, and made between the Government of Canada, represented therein by the Honourable Robert Henry Winters, Minister of Resources and Development, of the first part, and the Government of the Province of Alberta, represented therein by the Honourable Nathan Eldon Tanner, Minister of Lands and Forests, of the second part and set forth in the Schedule to this Act is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed. Ratification
of
Agreement

2. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to. Coming into
force of Act

SCHEDULE

Schedule

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made this 17th day of June, 1952.

BETWEEN

The Government of Canada, represented herein by the Honourable Robert Henry Winters, Minister of Resources and Development

OF THE FIRST PART

AND

The Government of the Province of Alberta, represented herein by the Honourable Nathan Eldon Tanner, Minister of Lands and Forests

OF THE SECOND PART

The Government of Canada and the Government of the Province of Alberta agree as follows:

1. Subsection one of section four of the Agreement entered into between the Government of Canada and the Province of Alberta on the nineteenth day of June, 1947, and approved and confirmed by chapter fifty-nine of the statutes of Canada, 1947, and by chapter twenty of the statutes of Alberta, 1948, is amended by striking out the expression "six years" wherever it occurs therein and substituting therefore the expression "seven years".

2. Notwithstanding anything in the said Agreement,

(a) as of the first day of April, 1952, and thereafter,

(i) the Board shall formulate annual programmes providing for an expenditure of not more than four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and not less than two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, for the purposes specified in subsection two of section four of the said Agreement; and

(ii) the total cost of the maintenance and other current expenditures required by the programme formulated by the Board for each year, including the expenditures of the Board, shall be paid by the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of Canada shall not make any contribution in respect of such expenditures; and

(b) on and after the first day of April, 1955,

(i) two of the members of the Board shall be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council and one member shall be appointed by the Governor General in Council; the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council shall appoint one of the members of the Board to be Chairman;

(ii) an alternate member to act in the place and stead of the member appointed by the Governor General in Council may be appointed by the Governor General in Council and the alternate members to act in the place and stead of the members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council may be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council;

(iii) the remuneration and expenses of the member and alternate member appointed by the Governor General in Council, shall be paid by the Government of Canada and the remuneration and expenses of the members and alternate members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council, shall be paid by the Government of the Province of Alberta; and

(iv) the remuneration to be paid to all officers and employees engaged by the Board shall be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta in Council.

This Agreement is made subject to its being approved by the Parliament of Canada and the Legislature of the Province of Alberta.

Signed on behalf of the Government of Canada by the Honourable Robert Henry Winters, Minister of Resources and Development, in the Presence of

Robert H. Winters

Robbins L. Elliott.

Signed on behalf of the Government of the Province of Alberta by the Honourable Nathan Eldon Tanner, Minister of Lands and Forests of the said Province, in the presence of

N. E. Tanner

Mary C. Livingstone.

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Received and read the

First time

Second time

Third time.....

HON. MR. CASEY
