Bill No. 15 of 1955

A BILL TO AMEND THE ELECTRICAL PROTECTION ACT

Note

This Bill amends *The Electrical Protection Act*, being chapter 309 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942.

Section 10, subsection (1) now provides that any person who contravenes a provision of this Act or its regulations is liable to a penalty of not more than two hundred dollars for each day during which the contravention continues; while subsection (2) provides that a municipality, other corporation or any other person interfering or in other stated ways hindering an inspector or other person in the performance of his duties under the Act is liable to a fine of not less than ten or more than fifty dollars. Section 10 is repealed and a new section substituted, which confines the larger fine for a contravention of this Act to corporations and the lesser fine for hindering, molesting, disturbing or interfering with the duties of persons under this Act, to actual persons.

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. 15 of 1955

An Act to amend The Electrical Protection Act

(Assented to

, 1955)

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

- 1. The Electrical Protection Act, being chapter 309 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1942, is hereby amended.
- 2. Section 10 is struck out and the following is substi- Section 10 amended tuted:

"10. (1) A municipality or other corporation that Fines and contravenes any provision of this Act or of any rule or regulation made under this Act is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than two hundred dollars for each day during which the offence continues.

"(2) A person

- "(a) who contravenes any provision of this Act or of any rule or regulation made under this Act, or
- "(b) who hinders, molests, disturbs or interferes with any inspector or other person in the performance of a duty or power imposed or conferred upon him by this Act,

is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not less than ten dollars and not more than fifty dollars.

- "(3) The term 'person' in subsection (2) does not include a body corporate.".
- 3. This Act comes into force on the day upon which Coming into it is assented to.

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HON. Mr. WILLMORE