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BILL 65

A Bill to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of 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

HON. MR. WILLMORE

EDMONTON, ALBERTA
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Explanatory Note

General. This Bill will ratify and confirm an agreement with the Government of Canada for the conservation of the forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains.

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(Assented to _____, 1957)

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

1. This Act may be cited as "*The Eastern Rockies Forest Conservation Agreement Amendment Act, 1957*".

2. The Agreement set out in the Schedule to this Act dated February 12th, 1957, made between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Province of Alberta and providing for the amendment of the Agreement in the Schedule to chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1948, as amended by the Agreement in the Schedule to chapter 36 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1953, is hereby ratified and confirmed.

3. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

SCHEDULE

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT made this 12th day of February A.D. 1957.

BETWEEN:

The Government of Canada, (hereinafter called "Canada"),

OF THE FIRST PART:

— and —

The Government of the Province of Alberta (hereinafter called "the Province"),

OF THE SECOND PART.

WHEREAS Canada and the Province entered into an agreement, dated the 19th day of June, 1947, respecting the conservation of the forests on the east slope of the rocky mountains, which agreement was approved and confirmed by the Parliament of Canada by chapter 59 of the Statutes of Canada, 1947, and by the Legislature of the Province by chapter 20 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1948, (hereinafter called "the original agreement"); and

WHEREAS Canada and the Province entered into a further agreement dated the 17th day of June, 1952, in amendment of the original agreement, which further agreement was approved and confirmed by the Parliament of Canada by chapter 41 of the Statutes of Canada, 1952, and by the Legislature of the Province by chapter 36 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1953, (hereinafter called the "1952 agreement"); and

WHEREAS Canada and the Province desire to amend further the original agreement and the 1952 agreement.

NOW THEREFORE CANADA AND THE PROVINCE AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1. Section 6 of the original agreement is amended by adding thereto, immediately after subsection (3) thereof, the following subsection:

"(4) All expenditures by the Board shall be subject to the audit of the Provincial Auditor."

2. At all times on and after the first day of April, 1957,

(a) subsection (2) of section 4 of the original agreement shall be deemed to have been amended by the deletion of the following words:

"such programmes shall provide for an annual expenditure of not more than \$300,000.00 and not less than \$250,000.00 provided, however, that dur-

ing the period when the capital expenditures are being made and until they are completed the amount of such expenditures, including the cost of administration, in the discretion of the Board, may be less than \$250,000.00.”;

and

(b) clause (i) of paragraph (a) of section 2 of the 1952 agreement shall be deemed to have been deleted.

3. Section 9 of the original agreement is deleted.

4. Paragraph (b) of section 20 of the original agreement is amended by striking out the word “Dominion” and substituting therefor the word “Province”.

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

Signed on behalf of Canada by the Honourable Jean Lesage, Minister of Northern Affairs and National Resources, in the presence of “E. A. Cote”.

“JEAN LESAGE”

Signed on behalf of the Province of Alberta by the Honourable Norman Willmore, Minister of Lands and Forests of the said Province, in the presence of

“NORMAN WILLMORE”.

“Grace A. M. Matheson”.

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Third time.....

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