

No. 10

---

---

4th Session, 13th Legislature, Alberta  
6 Elizabeth II, 1958

---

---

## **BILL 10**

A Bill Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Northland Utilities Limited and the Towns of Grimshaw, High Prairie and Manning and the Village of Berwyn

---

MR. GILLILAND

---

# BILL

No. 10 of 1958

An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Northland Utilities Limited and the Towns of Grimshaw, High Prairie and Manning and the Village of Berwyn

(Assented to \_\_\_\_\_, 1958)

Preamble

WHEREAS Northland Utilities Limited is a corporation incorporated under the laws of the Province of Alberta with power, *inter alia*, to supply natural gas and electrical energy throughout the Province of Alberta;

And whereas the agreements hereinafter referred to granting to Northland Utilities Limited special franchises to supply natural gas or electrical energy to the under-mentioned municipalities and the inhabitants thereof have been duly executed under the authority of by-laws approved by a vote of two-thirds of the proprietary electors voting thereon;

And whereas the said by-laws and the said agreements have been duly approved as required by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the Province of Alberta but require in each case to be ratified by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Alberta;

And whereas Northland Utilities Limited has duly filed its petition for such ratification and it seems expedient that the prayer of the said petition be granted.

Now therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta enacts as follows:

Special  
franchise  
agreements  
confirmed

1. The by-laws and agreements named and described in Schedule I of this Act granting to Northland Utilities Limited, special franchises for the supply of natural gas or electrical energy to the municipalities in the said Schedule referred to and the inhabitants thereof, and all the rights, powers, liberties and privileges, exclusive and otherwise, granted by and all the terms, provisoes and conditions contained in the said by-laws and agreements are hereby declared to be in full force and virtue and effect, and to be legal, valid and binding upon the municipalities, notwithstanding any informalities, irregularities or defects therein

either in substance or form, or any informalities, irregularities or defects in the passing thereof, and notwithstanding that the municipalities may not have had power to pass the said by-law or to enter into the said agreements, or to grant the said rights, powers, liberties and privileges, exclusive or otherwise or any of them.

**2.** This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to. <sup>Coming into force</sup>

---

#### SCHEDULE I

Schedule

Town of Grimshaw, Agreement dated 4 May, 1955, authorized by By-law No. 147.

Town of Grimshaw, Agreement dated 30 January 1958, authorized by By-law No. 191.

Town of High Prairie, Agreement dated 6 February, 1956, authorized by By-law No. 104.

Town of Manning, Agreement dated 9 September, 1957, authorized by By-law No. 48.

Village of Berwyn, Agreement dated 9 May, 1955, authorized by By-law No. 87.

Village of Berwyn, Agreement dated 5 December, 1955, authorized by By-law No. 90.

FOURTH SESSION

THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE

6 ELIZABETH II

1958

---

---

## BILL

An Act Ratifying, Confirming and  
Declaring to be in Full Force and  
Effect Certain Special Franchise  
Agreements and the By-laws  
Authorizing the Same Between  
Northland Utilities Limited and the  
Towns of Grimshaw, High Prairie  
and Manning and the Village of  
Berwyn

---

---

Received and read the

First time.....

Second time.....

Third time.....

---

---

MR. GILLILAND

---

---