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A Bill to amend The Public Health Act

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#### **Explanatory Note**

2. Section 7, subsection (1), which sets out the powers of the Provincial Board of Health to make regulations on various matters, subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, is amended to give the Board power to control summer camps.

**3.** Grants made under the Act to assist cities to provide public health services are related in amount to the populations of the cities. The present section 35, subsection (4) allows only the census figures of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics to be used. The proposed amendment is similar to section 17, subsection (3) of The Health Unit Act which also allows the annual census taken under The Municipalities Assistance Act to be used.

4. The use of shoe-fitting machines that present a radiation hazard is prohibited and to be effective January 1, 1960.

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(Assented to , 1959)

**H**<sup>ER</sup> MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

**1.** The Public Health Act, being chapter 255 of The Revised Statutes, is hereby amended.

**2.** Section 7, subsection (1) is amended by adding the following new clause immediately after clause (j):

(j1) the location, facilities for accommodation, sanitation, maintenance, registration, staff requirements and general control of summer camps;

**3.** Section 35 is amended by striking out subsection (4) and by substituting the following:

(4) In the calculation of grants the population figures to be used shall be the figures shown on the latest census of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics or on the annual census taken under The Municipalities Assistance Act and approved by the Department of Municipal Affairs in the calendar year preceding that in which the fiscal year begins.

4. The following new section is added immediately after section 43:

43a. No person shall operate or maintain any shoe-fitting device or shoe-fitting machine that uses fluoroscopic, X-ray or radiation principles.

5. (1) This Act, except section 4, comes into force on the day it is assented to.

(2) Section 4 comes into force on the first day of January, 1960.

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