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A Bill to repeal The Department of Economic Affairs Act and to make consequent changes to Statutory References to that Department or to the Minister of Economic Affairs

HON. MR. PATRICK

Explanatory Note

1. Repeal of The Department of Economic Affairs Act.
2. The Cultural Development Act, section 2, clause (b) presently reads: "2. In this Act, (b) "Minister" means the Minister of Economic Affairs.".
3. (a) The Economic Research Bureau Act, section 2, clause (b) presently reads: "2. In this Act,
(b) Section 4, subsection (1) of that Act presently reads: "4. (1) A Branch within the Department of Economic Affairs, to be known as the Economic Research Branch, shall conduct such economic research as may be required by the Bureau or by the Minister."
4. The Geographical Names Act, section 2, clause (b) presently reads: "2. In this Act, (b) "Minister" means the Minister of Economic Affairs.".
5. The Housing Act, section 2, clause (b) presently reads: "2. In this Act, (b) "Minister" means the Minister of Economic Affairs;".

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(Assented to , 1959)

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

- 1. The Department of Economic Affairs Act, being chapter 93 of the Revised Statutes, is hereby repealed.
- **2.** The Cultural Development Act, being chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes, is amended by striking out clause (b) of section 2 thereof and by substituting the following:
 - (b) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act.
- 3. The Economic Research Bureau Act, being chapter 94 of the Revised Statutes, is amended
 - (a) by striking out clause (b) of section 2 thereof and by substituting the following:
 - (b) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act.
 - (b) by striking out subsection (1) of section 4 thereof and by substituting the following:
 - 4. (1) There shall be a Branch to be known as the Economic Research Branch, which shall conduct such economic research as may be required by the Bureau or by the Minister.
- **4.** The Geographical Names Act, being chapter 131 of the Revised Statutes, is amended by striking out clause (b) of section 2 thereof and by substituting the following:
 - (b) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act.
- **5.** The Housing Act, being chapter 149 of the Revised Statutes, is amended by striking out clause (b) of section 2 thereof and by substituting the following:

- 6. (a) The Industrial Development Act, section 2, clauses (b), (c) and (d) presently read:
 - "2. In this Act,
 - (b) "Branch" means the Industrial Development Branch of the Department of Economic Affairs;
 (c) "Department" means the Department of Economic Affairs;

 - (d) "Minister" means the Minister of Economic Affairs.".

- (b) Section 4, subsection (2), clause (a) of that Act presently reads:
 - "(2) The Board consists of
 - (a) the Deputy Minister of Economic Affairs who shall be the chairman,".
- 7. The Alberta General Insurance Company Act, section 21 presently reads:
 - "21. (1) The Company shall make such reports and returns to the Minister of Economic Affairs as he may from time to time require.
 - (2) The Minister of Economic Affairs may from time to time require that the books, records and accounts of the Company shall be inspected or audited by the Provincial Auditor.".
- 8. The repeal of The Department of Economic Affairs Act will be by proclamation.

- (b) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act;
- **6.** The Industrial Development Act, being chapter 154 of the Revised Statutes, is amended
 - (a) as to section 2
 - (i) by striking out the words "of the Department of Economic Affairs" where they occur in clause (b) and by substituting the words "established pursuant to section 7",
 - (ii) by striking out the words "the Department of Economic Affairs" where they occur in clause (c) and by substituting the words "that Department of the Public Service over which the Minister presides",
 - (iii) by striking out clause (d) and by substituting the following:
 - (d) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act.
 - (b) as to section 4, subsection (2) by striking out the words "of Economic Affairs" where they occur in clause (a).
- 7. The Alberta General Insurance Company Act, being chapter 9 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1948, is amended
 - (a) as to section 2 by adding immediately after clause(d) the following:
 - (e) "Minister" means that member of the Executive Council charged with the administration of this Act.
 - (b) as to section 21 by striking out the words "of Economic Affairs" where they occur in subsections (1) and (2).
- 8. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to, except section 1 which comes into force on a date to be fixed by proclamation.

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