### 1st Session, 14th Legislature, Alberta 8 Elizabeth II

# BILL 7

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 Northwestern Utilities, Limited and the Villages of Alix, Bashaw, Breton, Consort, Mirror, Oyen, Thorsby and Warburg, and the Town of Jasper Place

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(Assented to

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Preamble

MATHEREAS Northwestern Utilities, Limited is a corporation incorporated under the laws of Canada with power inter alia to supply natural gas throughout the Province of Alberta:

AND WHEREAS the agreements granting to Northwestern Utilities, Limited, special franchises to supply natural gas to the undermentioned villages and towns and their inhabitants, and hereinafter referred to, have been duly executed under the authority of by-laws approved by a vote of two-thirds of the proprietary electors voting thereon in each case where such approval is required by law;

AND WHEREAS the said by-laws and the said agreements have been duly approved as required by law by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of the Province of Alberta, but subject, in each case, to ratification of the agreement by an Act of the Legislature of the Province of Alberta:

AND WHEREAS Northwestern 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 1 of this Act granting to Northwestern Utilities, Limited, special franchises for the supply of natural gas to the villages and towns 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 bind-

ing upon the said 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-laws 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 coming assented to.

#### SCHEDULE 1

Schedule

Village of Alix, Agreement dated September 1, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 162.

Village of Bashaw, Agreement dated August 28, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 139.

Village of Breton, Agreement dated June 24, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 62.

Village of Consort, Agreement dated April 9, 1958, authorized by By-law No. A198.

Village of Mirror, Agreement dated August 31, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 46.

Village of Oyen, Agreement dated April 12, 1958, authorized by By-law No. 304.

Village of Thorsby, Agreement dated July 2, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 75.

Village of Warburg, Agreement dated July 7, 1959, authorized by By-law No. 57.

Town of Jasper Place, Agreement dated July 24, 1950, authorized by By-law No. 30.

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