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

BILL 116

A Bill to amend The City of Medicine Hat Gas Purchase Act

Hon. Mr. Manning

Explanatory Note

General. The City of Medicine Hat Gas Purchase Act is an Act to empower the City of Medicine Hat to acquire a gas field and appurtenances thereto and to issue debentures in respect thereof. The powers presently exercisable by the city under this Act are with respect to the Etzikom field. The amendments set out in this Bill will relate those powers to the Medicine Hat field instead.

- 2. Definition of Medicine Hat field substituted for definition of Etzikom field. Section 2(b) presently reads:
 - (b) "Etzikom field" means the Etzikom field as designated by Alberta Regulation 499/57 or as delineated from time to time by the Oil and Gas Conservation Board.".
 - 3. Section 3 presently reads:
 - "3. Subject to this Act, the city may acquire natural gas from and within the Etzikom field for the purposes of the city and its gas distribution system therein."
 - **4.** Section 4(1) presently reads:
 - "4. (1) The natural gas may be acquired in situ by purchase of a freehold in the Etzikom field or in any part thereof or any lesser interest in the natural gas or by entering into a management agreement or any other agreement or plan deemed advisable by the council.".

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(Assented to

, 1960)

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

- 1. The City of Medicine Hat Gas Purchase Act, being chapter 49 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1959, is hereby amended.
- **2.** Section 2 is amended by striking out clause (b) and by substituting the following:
 - (b) "Medicine Hat field" means the Medicine Hat field as designated by Alberta Regulation 21/60 or as delineated from time to time by the Oil and Gas Conservation Board.
- 3. Section 3 is amended by striking out the word "Etzi-kom" and by substituting the words "Medicine Hat".
- 4. Section 4 is amended by striking out subsection (1) and by substituting the following
- 4. (1) The natural gas may be acquired in situ by purchase of a freehold in the Medicine Hat field or in any part thereof or in any lesser interest in the natural gas, or by purchasing the gas either at well head or from the Many Islands Pipe Lines Limited or by entering into a management agreement or any other agreement or plan deemed advisable by the council.
- 5. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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