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4th Session, 14th Legislature, Alberta  
10 Elizabeth II

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## **BILL 72**

A Bill to amend The Police Act

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## Explanatory Note

### 1. Section 16a is amended for clarification. It presently reads:

"16a. (1) The mayor of a town or village, the chairman of a county or the reeve of a municipal district may suspend a municipal constable at any time and shall forthwith report the suspension to the council of the municipality.

(2) The council may reinstate a municipal constable suspended in accordance with subsection (1) or may, for just cause dismiss the constable.

(3) No municipal constable shall be dismissed

(a) without first being given a reasonable opportunity to be heard before the council, in person or through his solicitor, and

(b) without being given, in writing, the true reasons for his dismissal."

The definition of "municipal constable" in the Act includes a city constable but section 16a is not intended to apply to cities which have an appropriate provision in The City Act.

### 2. Commencement of Act.

# **BILL**

No. 72 of 1961

An Act to amend The Police Act

(Assented to \_\_\_\_\_, 1962)

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

**1.** *The Police Act*, being chapter 236 of the Revised Statutes, is amended by adding the following subsection to section 16a:

(4) This section does not apply to the suspension or dismissal of a municipal constable by a city.

**2.** This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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