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# BILL 79

A Bill to amend The Billiard Rooms and Bowling Alleys Act

HON. MR. PATRICK

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### **Explanatory Note**

General. This Bill will remove all references to bowling alleys from the Act, making it applicable to billiard rooms only.

- 2. Title of Act changed to "The Billiard Rooms Act".
- 3. Definition of and reference to bowling alley deleted.
- 4. Bowling alley licences no longer required.
- 5. References removed.
- 6. Reference removed.
- 7. Reference removed.

8. Provisions relating to employment in bowling alleys removed.

9. Section 12, subsection (1) presently reads:

"12. (1) Except as otherwise provided herein, no person under the age of eighteen years shall, unless accompanied by his parent or guardian, be allowed to play any billiard game in a billiard room to which this Act applies, or to frequent, remain or loiter therein.".

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**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 Billiard Rooms and Bowling Alleys Act, being chapter 22 of the Revised Statutes, is hereby amended.

2. The long title and the short title of the Act are amended by striking out the words "and Bowling Alleys".

3. Section 2 is amended

- (a) by striking out clause (c),
- (b) as to clause (f) by striking out the words "or bowling alley".

4. Section 3 is amended by striking out subsection (2).

5. Section 6 is amended

- (a) as to clause (b) by striking out the words "or alleys",
- (b) as to clause (c) by striking out the words "or bowling alleys".

6. Section 10, subsection (1) is amended by striking out the words "and bowling alley".

7. The heading immediately preceding section 11 is amended by striking out the words "and Bowling Alleys".

8. Section 11 is struck out and the following section is substituted:

11. No person under the age of sixteen years shall be employed in or about a billiard room for any purpose connected with the business thereof.

**9.** Section 12, subsection (1) is amended by striking out the word "eighteen" and by substituting the word "sixteen".

10. Section 13 presently reads:

"13. (1) Every billiard room and bowling alley shall be closed and remain closed

(a) from and after half past eleven o'clock on every Saturday night until eight o'clock on the following Monday morning, and
(b) from and after twelve o'clock midnight on every night of the week, except Sunday, until seven o'clock on the following morning,

and during such prohibited hours no games of any kind shall be played therein.

(2) The council of any municipality may pass by-laws for the closing of billiard rooms or bowling alleys therein at an earlier hour than the hours mentioned in this section.".

**11.** References removed.

12. References removed.

13. Reference removed.

14. Tariff of fees amended.

15. Commencement of Act.

10. Section 13 is amended

- (a) as to subsection (1) by striking out the words "and bowling alley",
- (b) as to subsection (2) by striking out the words "or bowling alleys",
- (c) by adding immediately after subsection (2) the following new subsection:

(3) Where the proprietor of a billiard room carries on any other business in the same premises as the billiard room, the other business shall be closed and remain closed at and during the same hours as the billiard room is required to be closed.

**11.** Sections 14, 15, 16 and 17 are amended by striking out the words "or bowling alley" wherever they occur.

**12.** Section 22 is amended

- (a) as to subsection (1) by striking out the words "or bowling alleys",
- (b) as to subsection (2) by striking out the words "or bowling alley".

**13.** Section 23, clause (a) is amended by striking out the words "and bowling alleys".

**14.** The Schedule is amended by striking out the fees for licences for bowling alleys.

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

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