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5th Session, 14th Legislature, Alberta
11 Elizabeth II

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A Bill to amend The Municipalities Assessment
and Equalization Act

HON. MR. HOOKE

Explanatory Note

2. Section 2, clause (i) presently reads:

“(i) “rateable lands” means lands and buildings and other improvements that are liable to assessment;”.

The definition is extended to include assessments that are intended to be taken into account for equalization purposes.

3. A heading is changed because of a change in the designations of certain officials.

4. Section 3, subsection (3) is amended for clarification. The subsection presently reads:

“(3) The Commissioner and inspectors of assessments shall, subject to the direction of the Minister, perform the duties and exercise the powers conferred upon the Commissioner by this Act and such other duties as may be assigned to them by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.”.

5. Section 9, subsection (1a) is revised to enable the Commissioner to cancel an assessment made in error without being required to make a new assessment in lieu thereof. Section 9, subsection (1a) presently reads:

“(1a) The Commissioner may in his discretion cancel the assessment of any assessed property or business and make a new assessment or valuation in lieu thereof, as the case may require.”.

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and Equalization Act

(Assented to _____, 1963)

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

1. *The Municipalities Assessment and Equalization Act*, being chapter 61 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1957, is hereby amended.

2. Section 2 is amended by striking out clause (i) and by substituting the following:

- (i) "rateable lands" means
 - (i) lands and buildings and other improvements and special franchises that are assessed by a municipality,
 - (ii) property assessed under *The Electric Power and Pipe Line Assessment Act*, and
 - (iii) property the valuation of which has become the assessment thereof in accordance with *The Municipal and Provincial Properties Valuation Act*;

3. The heading "Commissioner, Supervisor and Inspectors" immediately preceding section 3 is struck out and the heading "Assessment Officers" is substituted.

4. Section 3, subsection (3) is amended by striking out the words "upon the Commissioner" and by substituting the words "upon them".

5. Section 9 is amended by striking out subsection (1a) and by substituting the following:

- (1a) The Commissioner
 - (a) may, in his discretion, cancel the assessment of any assessed property or business, and
 - (b) may, in his discretion, make a new assessment or valuation in lieu thereof.

6. Section 21, subsection (1) presently reads:

"21. (1) Not later than the thirty-first day of January in every year, the secretary-treasurer or clerk of each municipality, other than an improvement district or special area, and the Minister in the case of an improvement district or special area, shall make to the Board a return which shall contain such details and be in such form as may be prescribed by the Board."

7. Commencement of Act.

6. Section 21, subsection (1) is amended by striking out the word "thirty-first" and by substituting the word "fifteenth".

7. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to and upon so coming into force section 2 shall be deemed to have been in force at all times on and after the first day of January, 1963.

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