### REPRINTED BILL

No. 150

1st Session, 15th Legislature, Alberta 12 Elizabeth II

# **BILL 150**

A Bill to amend The Cultural Development Act

Hon. Mr. Holowach

#### **Explanatory Note**

1. Section 14 of The Cultural Development Act (chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes) is revised to provide for the establishment of recreation areas in a single municipality or part of a single municipality. The section is also revised to provide that a proposed by-law for a special levy for recreation areas may be petitioned by those proprietary electors living in the recreation area for a plebiscite.

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(Assented to

, 1964)

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

- 1. The Cultural Development Act is amended by striking out section 14 and by substituting the following:
- 14. (1) In subsections (2) and (3) "council" includes the Minister of Municipal Affairs in respect of an improvement district or special area and the board of administrators of a new town under *The New Towns Act*.
  - (2) A council of a municipality may by by-law
  - (a) provide for the establishment of recreation areas in the municipality,
  - (b) authorize agreements with other municipalities to provide for joint recreation programs and joint recreation boards to manage such programs, and
  - (c) appropriate moneys for the use of joint recreation boards.
- (3) A council of a municipality may by by-law levy a special tax on all property within a recreation area established by by-law or included in a joint program that appears on the assessment roll of the municipality.
- (4) Notice of a proposed by-law to be passed pursuant to subsection (3) shall be advertised
  - (a) in the case of a city, by publishing a notice of the proposed by-law once each week for two successive weeks in a newspaper circulated within the city,
  - (b) in the case of a town, new town or village, by posting within its boundaries notice of the proposed by-law in at least five conspicuous places for at least thirty days and by publishing a like notice in one issue of a newspaper having general circulation within the town, new town or village, and
  - (c) in the case of a county or municipal district, by posting notices in at least fifteen conspicuous places for at least thirty days and by publishing a like notice in one issue of a newspaper having general circulation in the county or municipal district.

2. Commencement of Act.

- (5) The council may pass the by-law unless a petition is received by the council within thirty days of the date when the notice of the by-law was published in the newspaper from ten per cent of the proprietary electors who reside in the recreation area asking that the by-law be submitted to a vote of the proprietary electors who reside in the recreation area.
- (6) If a petition is received asking that the by-law be submitted to a vote, the by-law shall be submitted to a vote of the proprietary electors and shall not be passed by the council until it has been approved by a majority of the proprietary electors voting thereon.
- (7) Subsections (5) and (6) do not apply in the case of an improvement district or special area.
- 2. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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