

No. 44

3rd Session, 15th Legislature, Alberta
14 Elizabeth II

BILL 44

A Bill to amend The Treatment Services Act

HON. DR. ROSS

Explanatory Note

1. This Bill will amend chapter 146 of the Revised Statutes.

2. Section 10, clauses (a) and (b) presently read:

10. With the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the Minister

(a) may enter into agreements with Medical Services (Alberta) Incorporated or any insurance corporation whose basic program of prepaid medical services or medical services insurance has been approved by the Government and the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Alberta to make available prepaid medical services or medical services insurance with comprehensive benefits to those eligible residents who desire it and need assistance to purchase the contracts provided by that corporation and to provide a specified dollar subsidy in respect of those residents who need assistance on the condition that the cost of the prepayment premium or insurance to those residents is reduced by the amount of the subsidy, and

(b) may make regulations defining the residents who are eligible for assistance through a program under clause (a), and

3. Section 11 presently reads:

11. (1) With the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the Minister may enter into agreements

(a) with the Associated Hospitals of Alberta with respect to its Blue Cross Plan, or

(b) with any insurance corporation, to provide extended health benefits, exclusive of medical services, and to provide such subsidies as may be decided upon to assist those eligible residents who desire such benefits and who need financial assistance to secure them.

(2) With the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the Minister may make regulations defining the residents who are eligible for assistance through a program under subsection (1) and the various types of health services to be included.

4. Commencement of Act.

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No. 44 of 1966

An Act to amend The Treatment Services Act

(Assented to , 1966)

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

1. *The Treatment Services Act* is hereby amended.
2. Section 10 is amended
 - (a) as to clause (a) by striking out the words "specified dollar",
 - (b) as to clause (b) by adding after the words "under clause (a)" the words "and to prescribe the rates of subsidy to be paid".
3. Section 11 is amended
 - (a) as to subsection (1) by adding the word "or" at the end of clause (b) and by adding the following clause after clause (b):
 - (c) with any other corporation as may be acceptable to the Lieutenant Governor in Council,
 - (b) as to subsection (2) by adding at the end thereof the words "and to prescribe the rates of subsidy to be paid".
4. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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