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

- 1. The Legislative Assembly Act is hereby amended.
- **2.** Section 12 is amended by adding the following clause after clause (n):
 - (n1) applying for or receiving a municipal tax discount under The Homeowners Tax Discount Act,
 - 3. The following section is added after section 55:
- **55**a. (1) Notwithstanding anything in this Act, where a member of the Legislative Assembly serves, during any interval between sessions of the Assembly, on a committee appointed by resolution of the Assembly or by the Lieutenant Governor in Council pursuant to a resolution of the Assembly, the member shall be paid, in respect of such service,
 - (a) an allowance of \$25 a day for each day upon which he
 - (i) attends a meeting of the committee, or
 - (ii) is otherwise engaged in the work or business of the committee, or
 - (iii) is absent from his place of residence and travelling to and from meetings of the committee or other work or business of the committee,

and

- (b) the reasonable disbursements actually expended for sustenance and accommodation
 - (i) while travelling to or from committee meetings or other committee business, and
 - (ii) while attending committee meetings or other committee business,

and

(c) reasonable disbursements for travel other than by private automobile, or an allowance of 11 cents per mile for every mile travelled by private automobile.

Explanatory Notes

- 1. This Bill amends chapter 174 of the Revised Statutes.
- 2. This addition makes it clear that an M.L.A. may receive the benefit of The Homeowners Tax Discount Act, without being disqualified.
- **3.** This new section makes provision for M.L.A.s to receive an allowance plus expenses while doing committee work between sessions.

(2) The receipt by a member of any money in payment of any allowance or disbursement pursuant to subsection (1) does not disqualify him as a member of the Legislative Assembly or from sitting and voting in the Assembly.

4. Schedule 1 is amended

(a) by striking out the description of the Electoral Division of Bonnyville and by substituting the following:

Electoral Division of Bonnyville, the boundary whereof is as follows: Commencing at the intersection of the north boundary of township 72 with the east boundary of the Province; thence southerly along the said east boundary to the north boundary of township 58; thence westerly along the said north boundary to the east boundary of the Kehiwin Indian Reserve No. 123; thence southerly, westerly and northerly along the east, south and west boundaries of the said Indian Reserve to the north boundary of township 58; thence westerly along the said north boundary to the east boundary of range 10, west of the 4th meridian; thence northerly along the said east boundary to the north boundary of township 63; thence easterly along the said north boundary to the east boundary of range 9, west of the fourth meridian; thence northerly along the said east boundary to the north boundary of township 72; thence easterly along the said north boundary to the point of commencement.

(b) by striking out the description of the Electoral Division of St. Paul and by substituting the following:

Electoral Division of St. Paul, the boundary whereof is as follows: Commencing at the northeast corner of section 36, township 62, range 14, west of the 4th meridian; thence easterly along the north boundary of township 62 to its intersection with the left bank of the Beaver River in section 32, township 62, range 10, west of the 4th meridian; thence downstream along the said left bank to the east boundary of range 10, west of the 4th meridian; thence southerly along the said east boundary to the north boundary of township 58; thence easterly along the said north boundary to the west boundary of the Kehiwin Indian Reserve No. 123; thence southerly, easterly and northerly along the west, south and east boundaries of the said Indian Reserve to the north boundary of township 58; thence easterly along the said north boundary to the east boundary of the Province; thence southerly along the said east boundary to the left bank of the North 4. These amendments to Schedule 1 correct an error in the description of the boundary between 2 Electoral Divisions.

Saskatchewan River; thence upstream along the the said left bank to the east boundary of range 14, west of the 4th meridian; thence northerly along the said east boundary to the point of commencement.

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