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THE MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE

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(Assented to _____, 1968)

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

1. *The Horned Cattle Purchases Act* is hereby amended.
2. Section 2 is amended by striking out clause (a) and by substituting the following:
 - (a) "cattle with horns" means cattle weighing over 250 pounds and that are not polled or have not been dehorned, but except as provided in subsection (1a) of section 4, does not include pedigreed cattle;
3. Section 4 is amended by striking out subsection (1a) and by substituting the following:
 - (1a) Subsection (1) applies to the purchase of pedigreed cattle at a commercial cattle market on a day the business of that market is not confined solely to the sale of pedigreed cattle, except when the pedigreed cattle so purchased were
 - (a) advertised for sale on that day
 - (i) by advertisement in a newspaper, or
 - (ii) by distribution of posters, at least one week before the date of the sale, and
 - (b) described individually in a catalogue distributed to potential buyers before the beginning of the sale.
4. Section 6, clause (a) is amended by striking out the word "tenth" and by substituting the figure "25th".
5. (1) This Act, except section 2, comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.
 - (2) Section 2 comes into force on July 1, 1968.

Explanatory Notes

1. This Bill amends chapter 143 of the Revised Statutes.

2. Section 2 (a) presently reads:

2. In this Act,

- (a) "cattle with horns" means cattle that are not polled or that have not been dehorned, but does not include pedigreed cattle;

3. Section 4 (1) and (1a) presently read:

4. (1) A dealer who purchases any cattle with horns shall

- (a) purchase such cattle at the current market price for cattle that are polled or have been dehorned,
(b) pay to the vendor such current market price, less, for each head of cattle with horns purchased, the sum prescribed by the Minister under section 3, and
(c) in the manner prescribed by this Act, pay to the Minister for each head of cattle with horns purchased, the sum prescribed by the Minister under section 3.
(1a) Subsection (1) applies to the purchase of pedigreed cattle at a commercial cattle market on a day when the business of that market is not confined solely to the sale of pedigreed cattle.

4. Section 6 presently reads:

6. Every dealer

- (a) shall not later than the tenth day of every month make or cause to be made a return to the Minister in such form as the Minister may prescribe, setting out
(i) all purchases made by him or on his behalf of cattle with horns during the previous month,
(ii) the date and place at which and the name and address of the person from whom each purchase was made, and
(iii) the number of such cattle purchased by him,
and
(b) shall remit to the Minister with such return the full amount payable pursuant to this Act.