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THE MINISTER OF YOUTH
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(Assented

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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 Department of Youth Act is hereby amended.
- 2. Section 4 is amended by renumbering the section as subsection (1) and by adding the following subsection after the renumbered subsection (1):
 - (2) The Minister of Youth may establish and collect
 - (a) registration or other fees to be charged to persons attending or participating in conferences, seminars, courses, programs or similar events or activities sponsored by the Minister of Youth,
 - (b) sale prices for publications issued by the Department of Youth, and
 - (c) fees for any other service rendered by the Department of Youth.
 - 3. Section 6 is amended
 - (a) as to subsection (1)
 - (i) by adding after the word "grants" the words ", scholarships, bursaries or contributions",
 - (ii) by striking out the words "for the purpose of carrying into effect any of the matters specified in clauses (b) to (e) of section 4",
 - (b) as to subsection (2) by adding after the word "grants" wherever it occurs the words ", scholarships, bursaries or contributions",
 - (c) as to subsection (3) by adding after the word "grant" the words ", scholarship, bursary or contribution".
- 4. This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

Explanatory Notes

- 1. This Bill amends chapter 110 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1966.
- 2. The new subsection (2) will permit the Minister to fix registration fees for youth seminars, etc. sponsored by the Minister.

3. Section 6 presently reads:

- 6. (1) The Minister of Youth may, subject to the regulations, make grants to municipalities, to organizations and to persons or classes of persons for the purpose of carrying into effect any of the matters specified in clauses (b) to (e) of section 4.
 - (2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may make regulations
 - (a) prescribing the purposes for which grants may be made under this section,
 - (b) specifying to whom and upon what conditions the grants may be paid,
 - (c) limiting the maximum amount payable as grants, and
 - (d) respecting any other matter necessary or advisable to carry out the intent and purpose of this section.
- (3) Any grant made under this section shall be paid out of the moneys appropriated by the Legislature for the purpose or, in the absence of any such appropriation, out of the General Revenue Fund.

Subsection (2) (a) authorizes regulations prescribing the purposes for which grants may be made under subsection (1) but subsection (1) itself indicates that purposes for which grants may be made are those specified in section 4 (b) to (e). The deletion made by the amendment in (a) (ii) will remove this anomoly and thus make it consistent with subsection (2)(a). The other amendments will permit the Minister to provide scholarships, bursaries and contributions as well as grants.