

1971 Bill 82

Fourth Session, 16th Legislature, 20 Elizabeth II

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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**An Act to amend The Department of Highways
and Transport Act**

THE MINISTER OF HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT

First Reading

Second Reading

Third Reading

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT ACT

(Assented to _____, 1971)

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

1. The Department of Highways and Transport Act is hereby amended.

2. The following section is added after section 12:

13. (1) There shall be a branch of the Department called the Transport Research and Development Division.

(2) The Division shall as part of its duties

- (a) concern itself with all aspects of freight rates, charges and other transportation matters relative to all modes of transport in Canada and elsewhere (whether by air, land or water) particularly as those rates, charges and transportation matters affect or might affect the people of Alberta, or of any part thereof,
- (b) to all things required to ensure that air, land and water transport services, and the facilities, routes, rates, charges and other related matters, are promoted, provided and controlled in the best interest of the people of Alberta, and
- (c) do such other things relating to transport as the Minister may require.

3. The Freight Bureau Act is repealed.

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

Explanatory Notes

1. This Bill amends chapter 98 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.

2. A Transport Research and Development Division is established in the Department of Highways and Transport to replace the Freight Bureau.

3. Repeal of chapter 149 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.