

1972 Bill 210

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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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An Act to amend The Election Act (No. 2)

MR. WILSON

First Reading

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AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELECTION ACT (NO. 2)

(Assented to _____, 1972)

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

1. *The Election Act is hereby amended.*

2. *Section 15, subsection (1), clause (e), subclause (ii) is amended by striking out the words "the abbreviation "Mrs." as prefix, and" and by substituting the words "the abbreviation "Mrs" or "Ms." as prefix, and".*

3. *Rule 6 in the Third Schedule is amended*

(a) *by striking out paragraph (1) and by substituting the following:*

Rule 6 (1) The enumerators shall, in such list, register the name of a married woman or widow under her own Christian name and the surname of her husband or deceased husband, as the case may be, using the abbreviation "Mrs." or "Ms." as prefix.

(b) *by striking out paragraph (3) and by substituting the following:*

(3) The name of an unmarried woman shall be prefixed with the word "Miss" or "Ms.".

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

Explanatory Notes

This Bill will revise the requirement that a woman's name be preceded by prefix "Mrs." or "Miss" in the list of electors so as to allow for the use of the prefix "Ms."