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AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT TO INCORPORATE THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF ALBERTA

(Assented to

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

1907. c. 23

1. Chapter 23 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1907, being An Act to incorporate the Historical Society of Alberta, is hereby amended.

Amends s. 2

2. Section 2 is struck out and the following is substituted:

Objects

2. The object of the society shall be to encourage the study of the history of Alberta and Canada, to rescue from oblivion the memories of the original inhabitants, the early missionaries, fur traders, explorers, and settlers of the north and west of Canada, to obtain and preserve narratives in print, manuscript or otherwise of their travels, adventures, labours and observations, and to secure and preserve objects generally illustrative of the civil, religious, literary and natural history of the country.

Amends

3. Section 4 is struck out and the following is substituted:

Annual meeting

- 4. (1) In accordance with the by-laws of the society, an annual meeting of the society for the election of officers and other business shall be held at least once in each calendar year.
- (2) Notice of the time and place of the annual meeting shall be given to each member of the society in accordance with the by-laws.

Repeals s. 5 4. Section 5 is struck out.

Coming into force

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

Explanatory Notes

I. Chapter 23, Statutes of Alberta, 1907 amended.

2. Section 2 presently reads:

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The amendment up-dates the purposes of the society.

3. Section 4 presently reads:

4. The annual meeting of the society shall be held in every year during the month of February for the election of officers notice of the time and place of such meeting to be given by the secretary to each of the members by letter addressed to his or her last known place of abode at least twenty days before the date of such meeting and at such annual meeting members shall be entitled to vote for the election of officers by proxy.

The amendment permits greater flexibility in holding the annual meeting of the Society.

4. Section 5 presently reads:

5. The present officers of the society shall be deemed to be the officers of the society until their successors are elected.

The effect of this section expired long ago.