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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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First Reading

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(Assented to _____, 1973)

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

1. *The County Act is hereby amended.*
2. *Section 8, subsection (3) is amended by striking out the figure "17" and by substituting the figure "18".*
3. *Section 20, subsection (1), clause (b) is amended by striking out the figure "17" and by substituting the figure "18".*
4. *Section 21 is amended*
 - (a) *as to subsection (4) by striking out the words "The Municipal Election Act" and by substituting the words "The Municipal Government Act",*
 - (b) *as to subsection (9) by striking out the word "and" at the end of clause (a) and by striking out clause (b).*
5. *Section 23 is amended by renumbering the section as subsection (1) and by adding the following subsections:*
 - (2) *Subsection (1) does not apply to a summer village having a population of 150 or more persons, as disclosed by the taking of an actual census subsequent to the latest population census under the Statutes Act (Canada) or by the latest population census under that Act.*
 - (3) *The term of office of a representative of a summer village to which subsection (1) does not apply shall be for a period of three years commencing with the date of the organizational meeting of the county council and expires on the date of the first meeting of the council of the summer village or until his successor is sworn into office.*
 - (4) *Where the population of a summer village falls below 150 persons, entitlement to representation on the school committee expires at the date of the organizational meeting of the county council following the reduction of population below 150 persons.*
6. *Section 33, subsection (2) is amended by striking out the word "proprietary" wherever it occurs.*
7. *This Act comes into force on the day upon which it is assented to.*

Explanatory Notes

1. This Bill will amend chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.

2. An error in cross-reference to another section is corrected.

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4. (a) A cross-reference error is corrected.

(b) Subsection (9) reads:

(9) A representative of a town or a village shall, when required by subsection (2) or (3), be nominated and elected in the same manner as is provided by The School Election Act for the election of trustees but the election shall

(a) be conducted by the town or village, and

(b) be held at the same time as the municipal election is held.

5. Section 23 is amended to permit summer villages having permanent populations of 150 or more persons, equal status with villages in entitlement to representation on the school committee of a county council.

6. Section 33 (2) reads:

(2) Where Part 7 of The School Act applies to a debenture borrowing by a county for school purposes, the proprietary electors of a town, village or rural school district deemed under sections 21 and 22 to be included in the county for school purposes, shall be deemed to be proprietary electors of the county for the purposes of Part 7 of The School Act.