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**The Marketing of Agricultural Products Amendment Act, 1973**

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### **THE MARKETING OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS AMENDMENT ACT, 1973**

*(Assented to , 1973)*

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

*1. The Marketing of Agricultural Products Act is hereby amended.*

*2. Section 9, subsection (1), clause 7 is amended by adding after the words "licence fees" wherever they occur the words "or service charges or both".*

*3. Section 14.1 is amended*

*(a) by striking out subsections (1) and (2) and by substituting the following:*

**14.1** (1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may, subject to subsection (3), amend a plan at the request of the Council made upon its own initiative or made pursuant to an application of a board to the Council for an amendment to a plan.

*(b) as to subsection (3), by striking out the words "has the effect of authorizing" and substituting therefor the word "enables".*

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

## **Explanatory Notes**

**1.** This Bill will amend chapter 225 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.

**2.** Section 9, subsection (1), clause 7 presently reads as follows:

9. (1) The Council may make regulations generally or with respect to any regulated product

7. requiring any person who receives a regulated product from a producer to deduct from the moneys payable to the producer any licence fees payable by the producer to the producer board or marketing agency and to forward such licence fees to the producer board or marketing agency,

**3.** Section 14.1 presently reads:

14.1 (1) Where a producer board wishes to amend a plan, it shall apply in writing to the Council.

(2) Upon receipt of a request from the Council the Lieutenant Governor in Council may, subject to subsection (3), amend the plan in accordance with the request.

(3) Where an amendment is made to a plan which has the effect of authorizing a producer board

(a) to regulate the marketing of a regulated product on a quota basis, or

(b) to determine from time to time the price or prices that shall be paid to producers for the regulated product or any class, variety, grade or size of the regulated product and to determine the different prices for different parts of the Province,

the amendment does not come into force unless and until a majority of the eligible producers constituting a sufficient number of the eligible producers and who are capable of producing or did market a sufficient portion of the agricultural product, vote in favour of the amendment.

(4) Prior to a vote being taken, the Council with the prior approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, shall make public for the purpose of the vote what constitutes

(a) an eligible producer,

(b) a sufficient number of the eligible producers, and

(c) a sufficient portion of the agricultural product.