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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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An Act to Limit Smoking in Public Places

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AN ACT TO LIMIT SMOKING IN PUBLIC PLACES

(Assented to _____, 1974)

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

1. Smoking tobacco in any form is a public nuisance and dangerous to public health if done in

- (a) any elevator, indoor theatre, library, art museum, concert hall, courtroom or bus, which is used by or open to the public, or
- (b) school classrooms and all such other places where children are required to attend or are normally expected to attend or which are normally frequented by children, or
- (c) any shopping areas and all other places frequented by the public or to which the public is invited which are posted as no-smoking areas, or
- (d) the Legislative Assembly when in session or in Committee.

2. A person who smokes any form of tobacco in any public area mentioned in Section 1 is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not less than \$10 and not more than \$100.

3. Section 2 does not prohibit smoking in the places enumerated in Section 1 if the smoking is confined to areas designated as smoking areas by a posted sign.

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

Explanatory Notes