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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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(Assented to _____, 1974)

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

1. *The School Act is hereby amended.*
2. *The following section is added after section 30:*

30.1 (1) A district or division where 10 per cent or more of the pupils enrolled in the jurisdiction are Indians resident on Indian Reserves, or where there is an agreement to a lesser percentage, shall have representation on the board of the district or division subject to an agreement between the Indian band councils for the Reserves served by the board and the board such that

- (a) the number of Indian and other representatives is specified,
- (b) Indians are represented on the board in addition to other trustees,
- (c) the functions, duties and liabilities (if any) of the Indian representatives referred to in clauses (a) and (b) are specified, and
- (d) provision is made for
 - (i) the length of the agreement,
 - (ii) the term of office of any representative,
 - (iii) the qualifications and manner of appointment or election of the representatives,
 - (iv) transportation and schooling of Indian children,
 - (v) financial arrangements, and
 - (vi) any other matter to facilitate the education of Indian children.

(2) No agreement under subsection (1) may be made, amended or terminated without the prior approval of the Minister.

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

Explanatory Notes

1. This Bill will amend chapter 329 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.

2. Indian representatives on school boards.