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(Assented to , 1978)

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

1 The Interpretation Act is amended by this Act.

2 Section 21(1) is amended by adding after clause 21 the following:

21.1 "province", when used as meaning a part of Canada other than Alberta, includes the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory;

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

#### **Explanatory Notes**

**1** This Bill will amend chapter 189 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1970.

**2** Section 21(1) commences:

21(1) In an enactment, the expression . . . .

At present, a reference in an enactment (i.e., an Act, regulation, order, etc.) to a "province" of Canada does not include a territory. The amendment will make it unnecessary to say "province or territory of Canada" in an enactment in order to ensure that it extends to the Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory.