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### THE BEEF LABELLING ACT

(Assented to \_\_\_\_\_, 1978)

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

**1.** Every person who offers beef for retail sale shall clearly label or mark every separate piece of unprocessed beef, whether a carcass or part thereof, and every package containing one or more such pieces, as "Alberta Beef" if the animal from which the piece or pieces originated was slaughtered within the Province.

**2.** Every person who offers beef for retail sale shall clearly label or mark every separate piece of unprocessed beef, whether a carcass or part thereof, and every package containing one or more such pieces, to show the grade which the carcass, from which it originated, received pursuant to the Beef Carcass Grading Regulations issued under *The Canada Agricultural Products Standards Act*.

**3.** Every person serving beef for consumption on the premises by the public shall identify the beef as "Alberta Beef" if the animal from which the beef originated was slaughtered within the Province.

**4.** Every person who fails to comply with this Act is guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction to a fine of not more than \$500 for a first offence and \$2000 for a second or subsequent offence.

**5.** This Act comes into force on a date to be fixed by Proclamation.

## **Explanatory Notes**

- 1. Labelling of Alberta beef on sale.**
- 2. Beef marked with grade.**
- 3. Identifying Alberta beef in restaurants.**
- 4. Offences and penalties.**