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#### THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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(Assented to

, 1981)

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

- 1 The Election Act, 1980 is amended by this Act.
- 2 Section I(c) is amended by adding "Edmonton-Strathcona" after "Edmonton-Parkallen".

- 3 Section 53(1) is repealed and the following is substituted:
  - **53**(1) At any time following publication of the proclamation and prior to 2 p.m. of the date fixed for the closing of nominations, any 4 or more electors of an electoral division may nominate for that electoral division a person eligible to be a candidate as a candidate for that electoral division by signing a nomination paper in the prescribed form and filing it with the returning officer for the electoral division for which the candidate is being nominated.

In accordance with section 4(1) of The Interpretation Act. 1980, this Bill comes into force on the date it receives Royal Assent.

## **Explanatory Notes**

- 1 This Bill will amend chapter 61 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1980.
- 2 Section 1(c) presently reads in part:
  - 1 In this Act,
    - (c) "city electoral division" means the following electoral divisions as defined in The Legislative Assembly Act:

Calgary-Bow
.....
Edmonton-Norwood
Edmonton-Parkallen
Edmonton-Whitemud
.....;

**3** Section 53(1) presently reads:

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