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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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OF RIGHTS LEGISLATION**

MR. R. SPEAKER

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

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Royal Assent

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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(1) The Alberta Bill of Rights is amended by this section.

(2) Section 2 is amended by renumbering it as subsection 2(1) and by adding the following after subsection (1):

(2) Any declaration in an Act of the Legislature that it, or any part of it, operates notwithstanding the *Alberta Bill of Rights* shall cease to have effect 5 years after it comes into force.

(3) A re-enactment of a declaration described in subsection (2) shall cease to have effect 5 years after it comes into force.

2(1) The Individual's Rights Protection Act is amended by this section.

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

(1.1) Any declaration in an Act of the Legislature that it, or any part of it, operates notwithstanding this Act shall cease to have effect 5 years after it comes into force.

(1.2) A re-enactment of a declaration described in subsection (1.1) shall cease to have effect 5 years after it comes into force.

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

Explanatory Notes

1(1) This section will amend chapter 1 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1972.

(2) Section 2 presently reads:

2 Every law of Alberta shall, unless it is expressly declared by an Act of the Legislature that it operates notwithstanding the Alberta Bill of Rights, be so construed and applied as not to abrogate, abridge or infringe or to authorize the abrogation, abridgment or infringement of any of the rights or freedoms herein recognized and declared.

2(1) This section will amend chapter 2 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1972.

(2) Section 1(1) presently reads:

1(1) Unless it is expressly declared by an Act of the Legislature that it operates notwithstanding this Act, every law of Alberta is inoperative to the extent that it authorizes or requires the doing of anything prohibited by this Act.

3 Coming into force.