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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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**CANCER TREATMENT AND PREVENTION
AMENDMENT ACT, 1982**

MRS. EMBURY

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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CANCER TREATMENT AND PREVENTION AMENDMENT ACT, 1982

(Assented to , 1982)

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

*1 The Cancer Treatment and Prevention Act is amended by this
Act.*

2 The title of the Act is struck out and the following is substituted:

CANCER PROGRAMS ACT.

*3 Section 1(a) is amended by striking out "The Provincial Cancer
Hospitals Board" and substituting "the Alberta Cancer Board".*

4 Section 4 is repealed and the following is substituted:

4(1) The Provincial Cancer Hospitals Board is continued as a
corporation with the name of Alberta Cancer Board, consisting
of persons appointed as members under section 5.

(2) The purpose of the board is to establish and operate prov-
incial cancer hospitals and out-patient facilities for the diagnosis
of cancer, the treatment and care of cancer patients and cancer
research, and extends to diseases that are non-cancerous but are
capable of being diagnosed or treated by similar methods as
those used for the diagnosis or treatment of cancer.

Explanatory Notes

1 This Bill will amend chapter C-1 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

2 Act is retitled.

3 Section 1(a) presently reads:

1 In this Act,

(a) "board" means The Provincial Cancer Hospitals Board;

4 Section 4 presently reads:

4(1) The persons named from time to time as members of the board are hereby constituted a corporation named "The Provincial Cancer Hospitals Board".

(2) The purpose of The Provincial Cancer Hospitals Board is to establish and operate provincial cancer hospitals and out-patient facilities for the diagnosis of cancer, the treatment and care of cancer patients and cancer research.

Section 5 presently reads in part:

5(1) The board shall consist of not less than 7 and not more than 11 members appointed by the Minister.

5 *Section 11 is repealed and the following is substituted:*

11 The board may, with the approval of and subject to any conditions prescribed by the Minister, provide for the manufacture, purchase or sale of pharmaceuticals or radio-pharmaceuticals for use in medical research, medical diagnosis or medical treatment or care.

6 *Section 19(1) is amended by striking out “, other than employees of the board,”.*

7 *In the following enactments, “Cancer Treatment and Prevention Act” is struck out and “Cancer Programs Act” is substituted:*

Alberta Health Care Insurance Act, section 40(1)(a);

Financial Administration Act, section 2(6)(e);

Public Service Employee Relations Act, section 20(b).

8 *In the following enactments, “Provincial Cancer Hospitals Board” is struck out and “Alberta Cancer Board” is substituted:*

Alberta Health Care Insurance Act, section 13(3);

Department of Social Services and Community Health Act, section 9(1)(b)(vi);

Financial Administration Act, section 2(5)(f);

Hospitals Act, section 30(3)(a);

Ombudsman Act, section 1(a)(v);

Public Service Employee Relations Act, section 20(b).

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

5 Section 11 presently reads:

11 The board may, with the approval of the Minister, provide for the manufacture, purchase or sale of pharmaceuticals or radio-pharmaceuticals for use in any hospital as defined by the Hospitals Act.

6 Section 19(1) presently reads:

19(1) The by-laws of the board under section 10 may provide for the establishment of a committee to be called the "hospital services utilization committee" for each hospital and consisting of members of the medical staff, other than employees of the board, and may prescribe the powers and duties of that committee.

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