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**AN ACT TO AMEND THE CLEAN AIR
ACT AND THE CLEAN WATER ACT**

MR. NOTLEY

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to , 1984)

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

CLEAN AIR ACT

1 (1) The Clean Air Act is amended by this section.

(2) Section 15.2 is repealed, and the following is substituted:

15.2(1) Where the terms or conditions of a licence directly or indirectly require the submission by the licence holder to the Government of information obtained by the monitoring of emissions from a plant, structure or thing or of air contaminants in the atmosphere, the licence holder shall submit the required information on the last day of each month covering results of monitoring carried out in the previous month to the Director of Pollution Control.

(2) The Director of Pollution Control shall, by the end of every month, compile all information received from all licence holders at the end of the previous month pursuant to subsection (1) into a report to be identified as the "Pollution Monitoring Report -- Clean Air Act".

(3) Every Pollution Monitoring Report -- Clean Air Act prepared pursuant to subsection (2) shall show

Explanatory Notes

1(1) This section will amend chapter C-12 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

(2) Section 15.2 presently reads:

15.2(1) Where the terms or conditions of a licence directly or indirectly require the submission by the licence holder to the Government of information obtained by the monitoring of emissions from a plant, structure or thing or of air contaminants in the atmosphere, the Director of Pollution Control shall, if required by an order made under subsection (2), release that information to members of the public.

(2) *The Minister may make an order governing*

(a) the manner and form in which information is to be released under subsection (1), and

(b) the charges, if any, to be made for the information.

- (a) the name of the licence holder submitting the information,
- (b) the period of time covered by the information, and
- (c) the results of the monitoring detailed in the information

and shall have an index of the names of licence holders, names of contaminants identified, and such other criteria as are required by the licence or may be determined by the Minister from time to time.

(4) The Director of Pollution Control shall, within 30 days of the end of the month covered by a report prepared pursuant to subsection (3), forward 1 copy of the report to

- (a) the Minister;
- (b) the Library of the Alberta Legislature;
- (c) the Main Branch of the Edmonton Public Library; and
- (d) the Main Branch of the Calgary Public Library,

and shall retain copies of the report in his office and make it available for study or purchase at a cost of no more than \$10 per copy.

CLEAN WATER ACT

2(1) The Clean Water Act is amended by this section.

(2) Section 18.1 is repealed and the following is substituted:

2(1) This section will amend chapter C-13 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

(2) Section 18.1 presently reads:

18.1(1) Where the terms or conditions of a licence directly or indirectly require the submission by the licence holder to the Government of information obtained by the monitoring of emissions from a plant, structure or thing or of water contaminants, the licence holder shall submit the required information on the last day of each month covering results of monitoring carried out in the previous month to the Director of Pollution Control.

(2) The Director of Pollution Control shall, by the end of every month, compile all information received from all licence holders at the end of the previous month pursuant to subsection (1) into a report to be identified as the "Pollution Monitoring Report -- Clean Water Act".

(3) Every Pollution Monitoring Report -- Clean Water Act prepared pursuant to subsection (2) shall show

- (a) the name of the licence holder submitting the information,
- (b) the period of time covered by the information, and
- (c) the results of the monitoring detailed in the information

and shall have an index of the names of licence holders, names of contaminants identified, and such other criteria as are required by the licence or may be determined by the Minister from time to time.

(4) The Director of Pollution Control shall, within 30 days of the end of the month covered by a report prepared pursuant to subsection (3), forward 1 copy of the report to

- (a) the Minister;
- (b) the Library of the Alberta Legislature;
- (c) the Main Branch of the Edmonton Public Library;
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and shall retain copies of the report in his office and make it available for study or purchase at a cost of no more than \$10 per copy.

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

18.1(1) Where the terms or conditions of a licence directly or indirectly require the submission by the licence holder to the Government of information obtained by the monitoring of discharges of water contaminants, the Director of Pollution Control shall, if required by an order made under subsection (2), release that information to members of the public.

(2) The Minister may make an order governing

(a) the manner and form in which information is to be released under subsection (1), and

(b) the charges, if any, to be made for the information.