

1985 BILL 74

Third Session, 20th Legislature, 34 Elizabeth II

THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS AMENDMENT ACT, 1985

THE MINISTER OF THE ENVIRONMENT

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to , 1985)

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

- 1 *The Hazardous Chemicals Act is amended by this Act.*
- 2 *Section 14 is amended by striking out “\$1000” and substituting “\$25 000”.*

- 3 *Section 16 is amended*
 - (a) *in subsection (1) by adding the following after clause (l):*
(m) requiring the reporting to the Director of spills or unauthorized releases of hazardous chemicals and governing that reporting.
 - (b) *in subsection (2) by striking out “or (h)” and substituting “(h) or (m)”.*

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

Explanatory Notes

1 This Bill will amend chapter H-3 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

2 Section 14 presently reads:

14 A person who contravenes this Act or a regulation or order under this Act for which no specific penalty is provided is guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of not more than \$1000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 90 days, or to both fine and imprisonment.

3 Section 16 presently reads in part:

(1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may make regulations . . .

(2) Regulations under subsection (1)(d) or (h) may be made to apply to hazardous chemicals in general or to particular hazardous chemicals or types of hazardous chemical only.