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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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**AN ACT TO AMEND THE INDIVIDUAL'S
RIGHTS PROTECTION ACT**

MR. CHUMIR

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to , 1989)

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

- 1 *The Individual's Rights Protection Act is amended by this Act.*
- 2 *Section 14 is amended by repealing subsection (1) and (2) and substituting the following:*

14(1) There shall be a Commission to be known as the
"Alberta Human Rights Commission" which shall consist of a
Chairman appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council
upon the recommendation of the Legislative Assembly and the
number of members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in
Council.

- 3 *Section 15 is repealed and the following is substituted:*

15(1) The Commission is responsible to the Legislative
Assembly for the administration of this Act.

(2) The Chairman of the Commission shall submit annually
to the Select Standing Committee on Legislative Offices of the
Legislative Assembly Office, in respect of each fiscal year, an
estimate of the sum that will be required to be provided by the
Legislature to defray the several charges and expenses of the
Commission in that fiscal year.

Explanatory Notes

1 This Bill will amend chapter I-2 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1980.

2 Section 14(1) and (2) presently read:

14(1) There shall be a commission to be known as the "Alberta Human Rights Commission" which shall consist of the number of members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

14(2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may designate one of the members as chairman of the Commission.

3 Section 15 presently reads:

15 The Commission is responsible to the Minister for the administration of this act.

(3) The Select Standing Committee shall review each estimate submitted pursuant to subsection (2) and upon completion of the review, the Chairman of the Committee shall transmit the estimates to the Provincial Treasurer for presentation to the Assembly.

(4) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may order a special warrant to for an expenditure of public money in respect of the Commission on the same basis and subject to the same terms and conditions as it provided for special warrants for the Office of the Ombudsman under section 10.1 of the *Ombudsman Act*.

(5) The Chairman shall make a report to the Legislature on the exercise of the operations of the Commission under the Act which will be transmitted to the Speaker who shall present it to the Legislative Assembly if it is then sitting, and if it is not then sitting, within 3 days of the commencement of the next ensuing sitting.

