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(Assented to , 1994)

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

- 1 The Livestock Identification and Brand Inspection Act is amended by this Act.
- 2 Section 1 is amended by adding the following after clause (h):
 - (h.1) "inspected market outside Alberta" means a market at any place outside Alberta designated in regulations made by the Minister where livestock inspection is required to be provided by an official inspector under legislation of the jurisdiction in which it is located;
- 3 Section 3(4) is amended by striking out "Dawson Creek, British Columbia, or Lloydminster, Saskatchewan," and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta".

4 Section 6 is amended

Explanatory Notes

- 1 Amends chapter L-22.5 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1985.
- 2 Adds definition of "inspected market outside Alberta".

- 3 Section 3 presently reads in part:
 - 3(3) Subject to subsection (4) and section 6(5), no livestock may be transported or driven from Alberta to a destination outside Alberta unless the livestock is accompanied by a livestock permit issued
 - (a) by an inspector or his designate, in a case to which section 15 or 16 applies, or
 - (b) by an inspector, in any other case.
 - (4) If livestock is being transported or driven to Dawson Creek. British Columbia, or Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, for sale or slaughter, the livestock shall be accompanied by a livestock manifest completed in accordance with the regulations.
- 4 Section 6 presently reads in part:

- (a) in subsection (1) by striking out "a market, for sale or slaughter, at Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, or Dawson Creek, British Columbia" and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta for sale or slaughter";
- (b) in subsection (6) by striking out "Lloydminster or Dawson Creek" and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta".

5 Section 33.1 is amended by adding "and designating places for the purposes of section 1(h.1)" after "the regulations".

6 Section 39 is amended

- (a) in subsection (1) by striking out "a market at Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, or Dawson Creek, British Columbia" and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta";
- (b) in subsection (3) by striking out "Lloydminster or Dawson Creek" and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta".

7 Section 41 is amended

- (a) in subsection (1) by striking out "Dawson Creek, British Columbia, or Lloydminster, Saskatchewan" wherever it occurs and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta";
- (b) in subsection (2) by striking out "Dawson Creek or Lloydminster" and substituting "an inspected market outside Alberta".

- 6(1) Except when livestock is to be delivered directly to a market, for sale or slaughter, at Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, or Dawson Creek, British Columbia, every person who proposes to transport livestock out of Alberta from any place other than from a place where the livestock has been inspected shall, at least 48 hours before the proposed time of shipment, advise the Supervisor or local inspector of the proposed shipment, setting out
 - (a) the date and time of shipment,
 - (b) the shipping point and the number of head of livestock, and
 - (c) the destination.
- (4) On being satisfied that the livestock is being shipped by the owner of the livestock or his agent, the inspector shall issue a livestock permit on the payment of the inspection fee.
- (6) Subsection (4) and the exception in subsection (1) relating to delivery to Lloydminster or Dawson Creek do not apply with respect to game-production animals.
- 5 Section 33.1 presently reads:
 - 33.1 The Minister may make regulations prescribing fees for the purposes of this Act and the regulations.
- 6 Section 39 presently reads in part:
 - 39(1) A livestock owner or an agent acting on his behalf who transports or attempts to transport livestock out of Alberta, other than pedigreed livestock in accordance with section 6(5) or livestock delivered directly to a market at Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, or Dawson Creek, British Columbia, for sale or slaughter, without first having the livestock inspected and paying the prescribed inspection fees, is guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding \$5000.
 - (3) The exception in subsection (1) relating to delivery to Lloydminster or Dawson Creek does not apply with respect to game-production animals.
- 7 Section 41 presently reads:
 - 41(1) A person who
 - (a) being the operator of a vehicle knowingly uses the vehicle in Alberta for the purpose of transporting livestock out of Alberta, other than pedigreed livestock, to any place other than directly to Dawson Creek, British Columbia, or Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, for sale or slaughter, that is not accompanied by the necessary livestock manifest, livestock permit, horse permit or, in the case of a game-production animal, a permit under section 59 of the Wildlife Act, or
 - (b) being the owner of a vehicle knowingly allows the vehicle to be used in Alberta for the purpose of

8 This Act comes into force on Proclamation.

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is guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding \$1000.

- (2) The exception in subsection (1) relating to transportation to Dawson Creek or Lloydminster does not apply with respect to game-production animals.
- 8 Coming into force.