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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY
AMENDMENT ACT, 1998

MR. BOUTILIER

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY AMENDMENT ACT, 1998

(Assented to _____, 1998)

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

Amends SA
1995 cG-5.5

1 The Government Accountability Act is amended by this Act.

2 The following is added after section 16:

Cost and Revenue Declaration

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declaration

16.1(1) In this section,

- (a) "Appropriation Act" means an Appropriation Act, an Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, an Appropriation (Interim Supply) Act, or a Special Act as defined in the *Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund Act*;
- (b) "public money" has the meaning given to it by section 1(1) of the *Financial Administration Act*.

(2) Where a program is to be funded by public money, the Minister who will be responsible for the program shall, at the time of introducing the Bill authorizing the program in the Legislative Assembly, if it is to be authorized by an Act, table

- a) a statement of the estimated annual cost of the program, and

Explanatory Notes

- 1** Amends chapter G-5.5 Statutes of Alberta, 1995.

- 2** Cost and revenue declaration.

b) a statement of the annual projected revenue of the program, if applicable.

(3) A statement of estimated annual cost for a program must include an estimate of

(a) the total annual cost of the program, and

(b) the cost of the program expressed on a per person basis for every adult resident of Alberta

for the first 3 years of the program's operation.

(4) A statement of the estimated annual revenue for a program must include an estimate of the total annual revenue for the first 3 years of the program's operation.

(5) For the purposes of subsection 3(b), the number of adult residents in Alberta shall be as calculated annually by the Alberta Bureau of Statistics.

(6) Subsection (2) does not apply to the introduction of an Appropriation Act.

3 This Act comes into force on Proclamation.

3 Coming into force.