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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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SCHOOL (CLASS SIZE LIMITATION)
AMENDMENT ACT, 1999

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First Reading

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Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to _____, 1999)

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

Amends SA
1988 c.S-3.1

1 The *School Act* is amended by this Act.

2 The following is added after section 16:

Class size
targets

16.1(1) In this section, "class" means a group of

- (a) students, or
- (b) children in an early childhood services program

who are scheduled to report regularly at a particular time to
a particular teacher.

(2) A board shall set as targets

- (a) 17 children in any early childhood services
program class offered by or for a board under
section 24,
- (b) 17 students in any class for grades 1 to 3,
- (c) 25 students in any class for grades 4 to 9,
- (d) 30 students in any class for grades 10 to 12.

(3) Where a school demonstrates to the board that there are

Explanatory Notes

1 Amends chapter S-3.1 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1988.

2 Class size targets.

compelling reasons for not complying with the maximum class size targets in subsection (2), the board may grant a waiver with any terms and conditions it deems appropriate.

(4) Any waiver granted by a board under subsection (3) must be

(a) made public, and

(b) provided to the Minister.

Coming into
force

3 This Act comes into force July 1, 2000.

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