

Bill 13
Ms. DeLong

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GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION AMENDMENT ACT, 2003

(Assented to , 2003)

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

Amends RSA 2000 cG-10

1 The *Government Organization Act* is amended by this Act.

2 Schedule 12 is amended

(a) by adding the following before section 1:

Part 1 General

(b) by adding the following after section 15:

Part 2 Voluntary Identification Cards

Definition

16 In this Part, “identification card” means an identification card issued under section 17(2).

Identification cards

17(1) A person may apply for an identification card in accordance with the regulations.

- (2) The Minister may issue an identification card to an applicant in accordance with the regulations.
- (3) No person is required to obtain an identification card.

Crown not liable

18 No liability attaches to the Crown for any loss or damage that arises from the issuance of an identification card, or from incorrect information contained in an identification card or an application for an identification card, notwithstanding that the information may have been entered by some person other than the applicant for an identification card.

Offences

19 A person is guilty of an offence who

- (a) makes a false statement in an application for an identification card,
- (b) being the holder of an identification card permits another person to possess or use it,
- (c) uses an identification card belonging to another person,
- (d) alters or falsifies an identification card,
- (e) possesses or uses an identification card that has been altered or falsified,
- (f) possesses or uses any fictitious document purporting to be an identification card, or
- (g) knowingly makes a false statement in an identification card.

Regulations

20 The Minister may make regulations respecting

- (a) the information to be provided with an application for an identification card;
- (b) the establishment of the identity of an applicant;
- (c) the issuance, renewal, cancellation and expiration of identification cards;

- (d) the qualifications or conditions required to be met in order to be issued or to hold an identification card;
- (e) the form of an identification card and other forms and documents required for the purposes of this Part;
- (f) the collection, use and disclosure of information provided under this Part;
- (g) fees to be charged under this Part.

Explanatory Notes

1 Amends chapter G-10 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000.

2 Voluntary identification cards.