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(Assented to , 2004)

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

Amends RSA 2000 cA-37.5

- 1 The Alberta Wheat and Barley Test Market Act is amended by this Act.
- 2 Section 2 is amended by adding the following after subsection (2):
 - (3) If no agreement is reached under subsection (1) by a date set by the Lieutenant Governor in Council, then a test market is deemed to be established.

3 Section 3 is renumbered as section 3(1) and the following is added after subsection (1):

- (2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may make regulations governing the operation of a test market if one is established under section 2(3).
- (3) Regulations made pursuant to subsection (2) must include the conditions listed in section 2(2)(a) and (b).
- 4 This Act comes into force on Proclamation.

Explanatory Notes

- 1 Amends chapter A-37.5 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000.
- **2** Section 2 presently reads:
 - 2(1) The Minister may, upon receiving the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, enter into an agreement with
 - (a) the appropriate Minister of the Government of Canada,
 - (b) the Canadian Wheat Board, or
 - (c) both (a) and (b),

for the purpose of establishing an open market, on a test basis, for the purchase and sale of wheat and barley produced in Alberta.

- (2) An agreement made under subsection (1) must include the following terms and conditions:
 - (a) producers have the option of marketing any portion of their wheat or barley to
 - (i) the Canadian Wheat Board, or
 - (ii) any other buyer;

- (b) the test market will be in place for a minimum period of 10 years.
- **3** Section 3 presently reads:
 - 3 Subject to an agreement made under section 2, the Minister may make regulations governing any matter respecting the implementation of a test market in Alberta.
- 4 Coming into force.

Explanatory Notes

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