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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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**JURY AMENDMENT ACT, 2008**

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THE MINISTER OF JUSTICE AND ATTORNEY GENERAL

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### **JURY AMENDMENT ACT, 2008**

*(Assented to , 2008)*

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

#### **Amends RSA 2000 cJ-3**

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

**2 Section 4(h) is repealed and the following is substituted:**

(h) persons who

(i) have been convicted of a criminal offence for which a  
pardon has not been granted, or

(ii) are currently charged with a criminal offence;

**3 This Act comes into force on Proclamation.**

## Explanatory Notes

- 1** Amends chapter J-3 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000.
- 2** Section 4(h) presently reads:
  - 4 The following persons are excluded from serving as jurors:*
    - (h) persons who have been convicted of a criminal offence for which a sentence of imprisonment exceeding 12 months could have been imposed;*
- 3** Coming into force.

