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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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HUNTING, FISHING AND TRAPPING HERITAGE ACT

MR. MITZEL

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to _____, 2008)

Preamble

WHEREAS hunting, fishing and trapping have played important roles in shaping Alberta's social, cultural and economic heritage;

WHEREAS hunters, anglers and trappers have made important contributions to the understanding, conservation, restoration and management of Alberta's fish and wildlife resources; and

WHEREAS the best traditions of hunting, fishing and trapping should be valued by future generations:

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

Right to hunt and fish

1(1) A person has a right to hunt, fish and trap in accordance with the law.

(2) The reference to the law in subsection (1) includes the *Wildlife Act*, the *Fisheries Act* (Canada), the *Migratory Birds Convention Act, 1994* (Canada) and the regulations made under those Acts.

Non-derogation of aboriginal rights

2 Nothing in this Act derogates from any aboriginal right to hunt, fish or trap.