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No. 28 of 1924.

An Act respecting the Hours of Labor of Employees of
Permanent Fire Departments.

(Assented to _____, 1924).

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

1. This Act may be cited as "*The Fire Department's Hours of Labor Act.*"

2. Where in any city, town or village there is a permanent fire department the officers and employees of which are regularly employed and paid by the municipal corporation, every officer and employee of such department shall be off duty for one full day of twenty-four hours in every calendar week, but where what is known as "double-platoon system" is in operation in any such fire department the twenty-four hours release at the change of platoons shall not be regarded as a day off for the purposes of this section.

3. The provisions of this Act shall have effect notwithstanding any regulation or by-law of a municipal corporation relating to a fire department.

4. Every Fire Chief, Superintendent, director or officer of every such fire department who requires or requests an employee of the department to be on duty in violation of the provisions of section 3 shall incur a penalty of not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars.

5. No deduction shall be made from the pay or the holidays of the officers or employees of the fire department in any municipality by reason only of the application of this Act to the municipality.

6. Notwithstanding the other provisions of this Act, in case of a conflagration for the control of which the attendance of all officers and employees of the fire department is, in the opinion of the Fire Chief or officer in charge of the fire department, necessary, he may require the attendance of all the officers and employees for work during the continuance of the conflagration.

7. The penalties provided by this Act shall be recoverable under *The Alberta Summary Convictions Act.*

8. This Act shall come into force and take effect on and after the

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