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No. 79 of 1928.

An Act respecting Research into the Natural Resources of the Province.

(Assented to _____, 1928.)

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 Natural Resources Research Act.*"

2. The Lieutenant Governor in Council may, in each of the years 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931 and 1932, raise by way of loan a sum not in excess of one hundred thousand dollars, and may expend the same in any manner deemed expedient for any or all of the purposes following, namely:

- (a) The organization, direction and supervision of any form or kind of research into the natural resources of the Province with a view to their development, and application to industrial, commercial or other useful purposes, or the investigation or survey of such resources;
- (b) The institution and completion of any survey or exploration of the Province or any part thereof, for the purpose of acquiring information as to the agricultural, lumbering and mining potentialities thereof;
- (c) The institution and completion of surveys and cruises of any wooded area of the Province for the purpose of acquiring information as to the supply of timber or logs available therein for any industrial or commercial purpose, and the practicability of commercially developing any such area;
- (d) the acquisition of any undeveloped land suitable for agricultural purposes and the preparation of such land by clearing and other operations for cultivation and settlement.

3. Any land acquired pursuant to this Act shall be deemed to be public lands within the meaning of *The Sales of Public Lands Act.*

4. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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