

Bill No. 46 of 1933.

A BILL TO AMEND THE SCHOOL GRANTS ACT.

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NOTE.

The purpose of this Bill is to make certain reductions in the grants payable under *The School Grants Act* as from the first day of January, 1933.

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*(This note does not form any part of the Bill and is offered merely as a partial explanation of some of its provisions.)*

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(Assented to \_\_\_\_\_, 1933.)

**H**IS 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 School Grants Act Amendment Act, 1933.*"

2. *The School Grants Act*, being chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1922, is hereby amended as to section 4 thereof—

(a) by striking out all the words which follow the word "open" where the same occurs in paragraph (a) thereof;

(b) by striking out paragraph (d) thereof and by substituting therefor the following:

"(d) To each district which maintains one or more rooms exclusively for pupils in grades above the eighth, and having an average daily attendance of not less than fifteen, a grant of three dollars per day for each day that the school is lawfully kept open for the purposes of teaching";

(c) by inserting therein, immediately after paragraph (d) thereof, the following new paragraph:

"(e) To each district which, in addition to the rooms it maintains for pupils in grades below the ninth grade, maintains one room exclusively for pupils in grades above the eighth, and in addition maintains a room in which instruction is given in grades above the eighth to pupils with a daily average attendance of at least six, in addition to the grant provided by paragraph (a) of this section, a grant of one dollar and ten cents per day for each day such room is kept open: in case in any term the average attendance of such pupils is less than six, there may be paid, upon the recommendation of the inspector, a grant of such amount as bears the same proportion to the amount which would have been paid in case the daily average attendance had not been less than six, that the actual average attendance for the term bears to six";

(b) by striking out paragraph (m) thereof.

3. The said Act is further amended as to section 2 thereof by striking out paragraph (d) thereof and by substituting therefor the following:

“(d) To each district maintaining a graded school with separate rooms for junior and senior pupils, a grant of two dollars per day for each legally authorized teaching day during which the senior room is kept open:

“Provided, however, that such grant shall not be payable unless the teacher in charge of such room holds qualifications satisfactory to the Department.”

4. The said Act is further amended as to section 6 thereof—

(a) by striking out paragraph (b) thereof and by substituting therefor the following:

“(b) To each district maintaining a graded school with separate rooms for junior and senior pupils, a grant of two dollars per day for each legally authorized teaching day during which the senior room is kept open:

“Provided, however, that such grant shall not be payable unless the teacher in charge of such room holds qualifications satisfactory to the Department”;

(b) by striking out the words “by purchase” where the same occur in paragraph (d) thereof.

5. The said Act is further amended as to section 7 thereof—

(a) by striking out the words “two dollars,” where the same occur in paragraph (a) thereof, and by substituting therefor the words “three dollars”;

(b) by striking out the words “one dollar and fifty cents,” where the same occur in paragraph (b) thereof, and by substituting therefor the words “two dollars and fifty cents”;

(c) by striking out paragraph (c) thereof and by substituting therefor the following:

“(c) To each district which, in addition to the rooms it maintains for pupils in grades below the ninth grade, maintains one room exclusively for pupils in grades above the eighth, and in addition maintains a room in which instruction in grades above the eighth to pupils with a daily average attendance of at least six, in addition to the grant provided by paragraph (a) of this section, a grant of one dollar and ten cents per day for each day such room is kept open: in case in any term the average attendance of such pupils is less than six, there may be paid, upon the recommendation of the in-

spector, a grant of such amount as bears the same proportion to the amount which would have been paid in case the daily average attendance had not been less than six, that the actual average attendance for the term bears to six”;

**6.** The said Act is further amended as to section 12 thereof by striking out the words “any village,” where the same occur therein, and by substituting therefor the words “any rural, village.”

**7.** The said Act is further amended as to section 14 thereof by striking out the words “every village,” where the same occur therein, and by substituting therefor the words “every rural, village.”

**8.** The said Act is further amended as to section 17 thereof by striking out the word and figures “13 and 15,” where the same occur therein, and by substituting therefor the word and figures “and 13.”

**9.** The said Act is further amended as to section 20 thereof by striking out the same and by substituting therefor the following:

“**20.** No amount payable to any district under the preceding sections hereof shall, unless otherwise provided, be payable for more than one hundred and eighty days in any school year.”

**10.** The said Act is further amended as to section 21 thereof by striking out the word and figures “7 and 15” where the same occur therein, and by substituting therefor the word and figure “and 7.”

**11.** The said Act is further amended as to section 26a thereof by adding at the end thereof the following new subsection:

“(6) The aggregate amount of all grants payable under this Act in respect of any one room shall in no case exceed the sum of five hundred dollars in any year, and in any case in which but for this provision the aggregate of all grants would have exceeded that sum, the grants payable under this section shall be abated by the amount of the excess.”

**12.** Section 9 of this Act shall come into force upon a date to be fixed by Proclamation of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and the remainder of this Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to, and upon so coming into force shall be deemed to have been in force at all times from and after the first day of January, 1933.

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