Bill No. 16 of 1934.

A BILL TO AMEND THE DOMESTIC RELATIONS ACT, 1927.

NOTE.

The amendment made by this Bill confers upon the Court a discretionary power to review orders for the payment of alimony or maintenance according to the circumstances of the parties, or in the event of misconduct by the wife, or her remarriage in case she is divorced.

> R. ANDREW SMITH, Legislative Counsel.

(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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No. 16 of 1934.

An Act to amend The Domestic Relations Act, 1927.

(Assented to 1934.)

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 Domestic Relations Act, 1927, Amendment Act, 1934."

2. The Domestic Relations Act, 1927, being chapter 5 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1927, is hereby amended by repealing section 18 thereof.

3. The said Act is further amended by inserting therein, immediately after section 25 thereof, the following new section:

"25a. In any case in which an order has been made whether heretofore or hereafter for the payment of alimony, in any action for alimony or in any action for divorce or in any action for judicial separation or in any action for a declaration of nullity or in any action for restitution of conjugal rights, upon it being made to appear that the means of either the husband or the wife have increased or diminished respectively or that the wife has been guilty of misconduct, or being divorced, has married again, the Court may from time to time vary or modify such order either by altering the times of payment or by increasing or diminishing the amount or may temporarily suspend the same as to the whole or any part of the money so ordered to be paid and again revive the same wholly or in part, as the Court thinks fit."

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

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