Bill No. 47 of 1937.

A BILL TO AMEND THE CO-OPERATIVE MARKETING ASSOCIATIONS ACT.

NOTE.

Section 2 transfers the administration of the Act to the Minister of Trade and Industry.

Section 3 prohibits the making of contributions by a Cooperative Marketing Association to any organization which has for any of its objects the furtherance of the interests of any political party.

Section 4 provides for admission to membership in a Co-operative Marketing Association of consumers of any agricultural product handled by that association, and section 5 permits such members to become shareholders.

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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

, 1937.)

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 Co-operative Marketing Associations Act Amendment Act, 1937.
- 2. The Co-operative Marketing Associations Act, being chapter 5 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1924, is hereby amended as to section 2 thereof,-

 - (a) by striking out paragraph (d) and by substituting therefor the following:
 "(d) 'Minister' shall mean the Minister of Trade and Industry;"
 (b) by adding at the end thereof the following:
 "(f) 'Supervisor' means the Supervisor of Co-operative Activities appointed pursuant to The Co-operative Activities Supervision Act."
- 3. The said Act is further amended by inserting therein
- immediately after section 19, the following new section: "19a. No association shall make any contribution either in money or in kind either directly or indirectly, to any association or organization which has for its object or one of its objects the furtherance of the interest of any political
- 4. The said Act is further amended as to section 20 by striking out the same and by substituting therefor the fol-
- lowing:

 "20.—(1) The following persons and no others may be admitted as members of an association, namely,
 - "(a) persons who are engaged in the production of any agricultural product which is to be handled by or through the association, or who are the tenants of land used for the production of any such product, and persons who are landlords and who receive as
 - rent all or any part of any such product grown upon land leased by them; and

 "(b) if they are permitted to be members pursuant to a special by-law passed pursuant to this section, persons who are the consumers of any such product.

"(2) An association may pass a special by-law permitting persons who are consumers of any agricultural product handled by the association, to become members of the association, and may prescribe the conditions, rights and privileges of such members.

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"(3) Every such by-law shall be submitted to the Supervisor and shall have no force or effect unless and until the same has been approved by the Supervisor in writing."

- 5. The said Act is further amended as to section 26 by adding at the end of subsection (1) thereof the following: "or who are consumers of an agricultural product handled by the association who are pursuant to a valid by-law passed pursuant to section 20 permitted to become members of the association and to hold such shares."
- 6. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

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