

Bill No. 45 of 1938.

A BILL TO AMEND THE SCHOOL GRANTS ACT.

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NOTE.

The amendment made by sections 2 and 3 of the Bill make sections 6 and 7 of the Act applicable to a school division.

The amendment made by section 4 adds household economics, music and art to the subjects in respect of which a grant may be paid under section 10 of the Act.

Section 5 amends section 27 so as to make it applicable to school divisions.

The above amendments are made retroactive to the 1st January, 1938.

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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 \_\_\_\_\_, 1938.)

**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, 1938.*"

**2.** *The School Grants Act*, being chapter 53 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta, 1922, is hereby amended as to section 6 by inserting therein immediately after paragraph (e) the following new paragraph:

"(f) When in the opinion of the Minister the board of a school division makes adequate provision for the attendance and education of the pupils of two or more districts at one school within the division, there shall be payable at the discretion of the Minister to the divisional board the same grants as would be payable if the said districts constituted a consolidated school district."

**3.** The said Act is further amended as to section 7 by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph:

"(e) When in the opinion of the Minister the board of a school division makes adequate provision for the operation of a school within the division in which instruction is given similar to that given in the school of a rural high school district, there shall be payable at the discretion of the Minister to the divisional board the same grant as would be payable to a rural high school district and under the same conditions as mentioned in the last preceding paragraph hereof."

**4.** The said Act is further amended as to section 10 by striking out the first paragraph and by substituting therefor the following:

"**10.** When any two or more districts have entered into an agreement under the provisions of *The School Act* for the purpose of providing instruction in shop courses, household economics, music, art or commercial work, or when a school division provides such instruction, with the approval

of the Minister in respect of two or more districts included in the division there shall be paid the following grants, that is to say:".

**5.** The said Act is further amended as to section 27 by striking out the words commencing with the words "school district" to the end of the section and by substituting therefor the following words: "school district or school division upon an inspector of schools certifying to the fact that owing to the conditions prevailing in the said district or in the said school division it would be very difficult for the district or the school division to maintain its school or schools in operation without such special grant."

**6.** 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 thirty-first day of December, 1937.

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