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No. 31 of 1940.

An Act to Amend The Special Areas Act, 1939.

(Assented to

, 1940.)

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 Special Areas Act, 1939, Amendment Act, 1940."

2. The Special Areas Act, 1939, being chapter 34 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1939, is hereby amended as to section 7, by striking out the same and by substituting therefore the following:

"7. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary contained in *The Improvement Districts Act, 1927*, or in any other Act,—

- "(a) the several mill rates for the levying of taxes leviable in respect of any land in a special district shall be such rate on the dollar of the assessed value of such land as may be fixed from time to time by the Lieutenant Governor in Council;
- "(b) requisitions from any Municipal Hospital District must be supported by such information as may be required by the Minister who may confirm the same, or may vary any requisition by agreement with the Hospital Board and confirm such requisition so varied;
- "(c) the Deputy Minister of Lands and Mines shall in respect of each Special District cause to be entered upon the assessment roll on or before the first day of November in each year, a statement of,—
 - "(i) the total current taxes other than the social services tax against each parcel assessed upon the said roll;
 - "(ii) the total arrears of taxes against each such parcel other than arrears of the social services tax;
 - "(iii) the current social services tax against each such parcel;
 - "(iv) arrears of social services tax against each such parcel;
- "(d) every tax notice shall show the property assessed, its assessed value, the several mill rates of taxation for the current year, the total current taxes against

each parcel assessed, together with total arrears of taxes against each parcel other than the current taxes and arrears of taxes levied under *The Social Services Tax Act*, which shall appear separately, and said notice shall be in such form as may be prescribed by the Minister."

3. The said Act is further amended as to section 8, by striking out the same and by substituting therefor the following:

"8. In case in any year the amount of taxes levied and collected in any Special District is insufficient to defray the expenditures of the Special District, the Provincial Treasurer shall make good such deficiency out of such sums as may be appropriated for the purpose by vote of the Legislative Assembly."

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

"9. The Lieutenant Governor in Council shall have power notwithstanding any provision to the contrary contained in any other Act, to establish by regulations a scheme for the hospitalization of the residents of any Special Area or any part thereof which is not included within a Municipal Hospital District constituted pursuant to the provisions of *The Municipal Hospitals Act, 1929*, and for that purpose may include in such scheme authority to impose, levy and collect by distress or otherwise in respect of any land in such Special Area or part thereof, a mill rate at such rate on the dollar of the assessed value of such land as may be fixed from time to time."

5. The said Act is further amended as to section 10 by striking out the word "forthwith" where the same occurs therein.

6. The said Act is further amended as to section 16, by striking out the same and by substituting therefor the following:

"16. No public lands or any lands referred to in section 10 of this Act, situated in a Special Area, shall be sold, leased or otherwise disposed of without the consent of the Minister."

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

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