

Bill No. 31 of 1942.

A BILL RESPECTING THE PURCHASE OF GRAIN
FOR SEED

NOTE.

This Bill authorizes the Minister of Agriculture from time to time to purchase seed grain and sell the same for cash to farmers in areas where there may be a shortage of seed. The amount which may be so expended in any one year shall not exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

W. S. GRAY,
Acting Legislative Counsel.

(This note does not form any part of the Bill but is offered in explanation of its provisions.)

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No. 31 of 1942.

An Act respecting the Purchase of Grain for Seed.

(Assented to _____, 1942.)

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 Emergency Seed Grain Purchase Act.*"

2. "Minister" means the Minister of Agriculture.

3. In order to retain within the Province a supply of grain suitable for seed purposes, the Minister is hereby empowered to purchase subject to the provisions of this Act, such quantities of grain as may be considered necessary, for the purpose of supplying seed grain to farmers in any areas of the Province where such supplies may be required.

4. The grain so purchased shall be sold for cash at a price to be fixed by the Minister.

5. For the purposes aforesaid the Minister may enter into arrangements with any person or corporation to act as his agent in the purchase and delivery of the grain at terminal elevators or elsewhere and enter into arrangements with any Municipal District, or in Improvement Districts or special areas, with any association of farmers to assist in the distribution of the grain to the purchasers.

6. The Minister may make such rules and regulations and give such directions as may be necessary or desirable for the purpose of carrying out the purchase and sale hereby authorized.

7. The Provincial Treasurer is hereby authorized upon the requisition of the Minister to advance out of the General Revenue Fund sums of money, not to exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars in any one year, or such amounts as may be appropriated by the Legislature for the aforesaid purpose.

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

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