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Adult Interdependent Relationships Act Chapter A-4.5 SA 2002.

Proclaimed in force June 1, 2003, except sections 17, 23, 26, 52, 57, 59, 60, 71, and 72. Sections 23 and 57 proclaimed in force January 1, 2004.

# Agricultural Dispositions Statutes Amendment Act. 2003

Chapter 11 SA 2003. *Proclaimed in force* July 10, 2003, except section 4.

Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation Amendment Act, 2003 Chapter12 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force June 24, 2003.

Corrections Amendment Act, 2003 Chapter 17 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force September 30, 2003. Electric Utilities Act Chapter E-5.1 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force June 1, 2003.

Electronic Transactions Act Chapter E-5.5 SA 2001. Proclaimed in force April 1, 2003.

Emblems of Alberta (Grass Emblems) Amendment Act. 2003 Chapter 4 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force May 7, 2003.

Environmental Protection and Enhancement Amendment Act, 2003 Chapter 37 SA 2003. Sections 2(b), 17 and 20 proclaimed in force December 18, 2003.

## Financial Sector Statutes Amendment Act. 2003

Chapter 19 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force June 10, 2003 except sections 5(c)(ii), 14(b), 30, 31, 39(c) and 43. Sections 30 and 31 proclaimed in force September 24, 2003.

# **Gas Utilities Statutes Amendment** Act. 2003

Chapter 5 SA 2003. Section 2 proclaimed in force June 15, 2003.

# Health Professions Act

Chapter H-7 RSA 2000. Sections 149, 154, 156(h) and (m), Schedules 17 and 27 proclaimed in force April 1, 2003. Sections 155(3), 156(s) and Schedule 10 proclaimed in force April 12, 2003.

## Income and Employment Supports Act

Chapter I-0.5 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force December 17, 2003, except sections 11, 52, 54(2)(a) and (c) and 55. Sections 20 to 27, 50 and 60(3) proclaimed in force January 1, 2004.

# Insurance Act

Chapter I-30 RSA 2000. Section 873 proclaimed in force November 26, 2003.

## Justice Statutes Amendment Act, 2002

Chapter 17 SA 2002. Sections 4(1), (2), (3) and section 7 proclaimed in force June 1, 2003.

## Miscellaneous Statutes Amendment Act, 2002 (No. 2)

Chapter 30 SA 2002. Sections 8(1), 9(1), 10(1), (2), (3), 17(1), 21(1), 30(4), 32(4) and 33(1) to (7) proclaimed in force on August 1, 2003.

## Prevention of Youth Tobacco Use Act

Chapter P-22 RSA 2000. Proclaimed in force April 1, 2003.

# Securities Amendment Act, 2003 Chapter 32 SA 2<u>003.</u>

Sections 1 to 8, 16, 17 and 34 to 37 proclaimed in force June 10, 2003. Sections 9 to 15, 27 to 32 and 38 proclaimed in force June 16, 2003

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Student Financial Assistance Act Chapter S-20.5 SA 2002. Proclaimed in force September 1, 2003, except section 24(4) and (5).

Tobacco Tax Amendment Act, 2002 Chapter 25 SA 2002. Sections 4 and 8(b) proclaimed in force July 10, 2003.

Tobacco Tax Amendment Act, 2003 Chapter 33 SA 2003. Proclaimed in force September 1, 2003. except sections 2(a) and 7.

Traffic Safety Act Chapter T-6 RSA 2000. *Proclaimed in force May 20, 2003 except ss 8(2), 8(3), 64(a),* 64(m), 64(u), 189 and Schedule.

Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2001 Chapter 14, 2001. Proclaimed in force May 20, 2003.

Veterinary Profession Amendment Act. 2002 Chapter 26, SA 2002. Proclaimed in force September 2, 2003.

Wilderness Areas, Ecological Reserves and Natural Areas Amendment Act RSA 2000 Chapter 34 (Supp) Proclaimed in force June 27, 2003, except section 8 to the extent that it adds section 8.1(3) to the Wilderness Areas, Ecological Reserves and Natural Areas Act.



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Alberta has announced a new Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) Code that will ensure workplace safety rules keep pace with changes on Alberta worksites.

In force April 30, 2004, the new Code brings together 11 separate Regulations under the OHS Act, making it easier for employers and workers to use. The Code incorporates changes recommended during consultations with industry, labour and safety organizations. Many changes recognize hazards that have become common enough that specific requirements became necessary, such as violence in the workplace.

The new OHS Code is available from Alberta Queen's Printer as part of the redesigned Occupational Health and Safety Binder. The well organized and easyto-use binder includes the Code and Schedules, as well as the OHS Act and OHS Regulation.

# It also features a comprehensive index for the OHS Code and themed colored tabs for quick reference. The binder is in a handy 8.5" x 11" format and constructed of heavy-duty poly with 7-reinforced rings.

Regular updates to the binder will be made as the Code and legislation is amended.

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