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THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF ALBERTA

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MR. HAWKESWORTH

First Reading

Second Reading

Committee of the Whole

Third Reading

Royal Assent

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(Assented to , 1986)

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the
Legislative Assembly of Alberta, enacts as follows:

1 The Municipal Government Act is amended by this Act.

*2 Section 164(b) is amended by adding “and cats” after “dogs”
wherever it occurs.*

*In accordance with section 4(1) of the Interpretation Act,
this Bill comes into force on the date it receives Royal
Assent.*

Explanatory Notes

1 This Bill will amend chapter M-26 of the Revised Statutes of Alberta 1980.

2 Section 164(b) presently reads:

164 For the purpose of regulating and controlling animals a council may pass by-laws

(b) restraining and regulating the running at large of dogs, and

(i) providing for the impounding within a reasonable distance from the point of seizure of dogs running at large and for the killing, sale or other disposition of impounded dogs if not claimed from the pound within a specified time or if the claimant does not comply within a specified time with any conditions governing payment of costs and expenses and removal from the pound that the by-law provides,

(ii) classifying dogs for licensing purposes, and

(iii) prescribing a tariff of licence fees to be paid by persons owning, possessing or harbouring dogs, which fees may vary as between the different classifications of dogs;