

## **Bill Status Report for the 27th Legislature - 3rd Session (2010)**

**Activity to Thursday, December 2, 2010**

The Bill sponsor's name is in brackets following the Bill title. If it is a money Bill, (\$) will appear between the title and the sponsor's name. Numbers following each reading refer to *Hansard* pages where the text of debates is found; dates for each reading are in brackets following the page numbers. Bills numbered 200 or higher are Private Members' Public Bills. Bills with lower numbers are Government Bills. Bills numbered Pr1, etc., are Private Bills.

\* An asterisk beside a Bill number indicates an amendment was passed to that Bill; the committee line shows the precise date of the amendment.

The date a Bill comes into force is indicated in square brackets after the date of Royal Assent. If it comes into force "on proclamation," "with exceptions," or "on various dates," please contact Legislative Counsel for details at (780) 427-2217. The chapter number assigned to the Bill is entered immediately following the date the Bill comes into force. SA indicates Statutes of Alberta; this is followed by the year in which it is included in the statutes, and its chapter number. Please note, Private Bills are not assigned a chapter number until the conclusion of the fall sittings.

### **Bill 1 — Alberta Competitiveness Act (Stelmach)**

First Reading — 4 (*Feb. 4 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 123-24 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 135-37 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 137-42 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 257-67 (*Feb. 23 aft.*), 286-98 (*Feb. 24 aft.*), 317-20 (*Feb. 25 aft.*), 403-09 (*Mar. 10 aft.*), 414-15 (*Mar. 10 aft.*), 434-40 (*Mar. 11 aft.*), 487-89 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 519-27 (*Mar. 17 aft.*), 556-61 (*Mar. 18 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 660-61 (*Mar. 24 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cA-14.9 ]

### **Bill 2\* — Professional Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (Woo-Paw)**

First Reading — 64 (*Feb. 10 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 124-25 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 430-34 (*Mar. 11 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 489-92 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 678 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010; SA 2010 c7 ]

### **Bill 3 — Fatal Accidents Amendment Act, 2010 (Weadick)**

First Reading — 64 (*Feb. 10 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 125 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 137 (*Feb. 16 aft.*), 317 (*Feb. 25 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 413-14 (*Mar. 10 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 492 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010; SA 2010 c6 ]

### **Bill 4 — Dangerous Goods Transportation and Handling Amendment Act, 2010 (Olson)**

First Reading — 188-89 (*Feb. 18 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 280 (*Feb. 24 aft.*), 410-12 (*Mar. 10 aft.*), 489 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 529-32 (*Mar. 17 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 678-79 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010; SA 2010 c4 ]

### **Bill 5 — Appropriation (Supplementary Supply) Act, 2010 (\$) (Snelgrove)**

First Reading — 213 (*Feb. 22 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 247-49 (*Feb. 23 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 280-86 (*Feb. 24 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 312-17 (*Feb. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 1 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 1, 2010; SA 2010 c1 ]

### **Bill 6 — Emergency Management Amendment Act, 2010 (Bhullar)**

First Reading — 213 (*Feb. 22 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 280 (*Feb. 24 aft.*), 412-13 (*Mar. 10 aft.*), 489 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 527-29 (*Mar. 17 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 679-80 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010; SA 2010 c5 ]

**Bill 7\* — Election Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (Redford)**

First Reading — 311 (*Feb. 25 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 402-03 (*Mar. 10 aft.*), 492-503 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 533-37 (*Mar. 17 aft.*), 561-62 (*Mar. 18 aft.*), 769-82 (*Apr. 14 aft.*), 850-62 (*Apr. 20 aft.*), 869-76 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 878-84 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on various dates; SA 2010 c8 ]

**Bill 8 — Alberta Corporate Tax Amendment Act, 2010 (Griffiths)**

First Reading — 334 (*Mar. 8 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 429-30 (*Mar. 11 aft.*), 503 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 532--33 (*Mar. 17 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 680-81 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010, with exceptions; SA 2010 c2 ]

**Bill 9 — Local Authorities Election Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (Johnson)**

First Reading — 576 (*Mar. 22 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 615-16 (*Mar. 23 aft.*), 735-43 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 798-804 (*Apr. 15 aft.*), 868 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 878 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force April 22, 2010; SA 2010 c9 ]

**Bill 10 — Victims Restitution and Compensation Payment Amendment Act, 2010 (\$) (Redford)**

First Reading — 486 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 518 (*Mar. 17 aft.*), 618-20 (*Mar. 23 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 682-83 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 876-77 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force April 22, 2010; SA 2010 c12 ]

**Bill 11 — Witness Security Act (Drysdale)**

First Reading — 486 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 518 (*Mar. 17 aft.*), 620-24 (*Mar. 23 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 683 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 877 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cW-12.5 ]

**Bill 12 — Body Armour Control Act (Quest)**

First Reading — 486-87 (*Mar. 16 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 518-19 (*Mar. 17 aft.*), 624-28 (*Mar. 23 aft.*), 743-49 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 862-65 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 885-87 (*Apr. 20 aft., passed on division*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cB-4.8 ]

**Bill 13 — Securities Amendment Act, 2010 (Morton)**

First Reading — 552 (*Mar. 18 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 616-17 (*Mar. 23 aft.*), 681-82 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 865-67 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 877 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation, with exceptions; SA 2010 c10 ]

**Bill 14 — Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2010 (Ouellette)**

First Reading — 552 (*Mar. 18 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 617-18 (*Mar. 23 aft.*), 682 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 867 (*Apr. 20 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 877-78 (*Apr. 20 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force April 22, 2010; SA 2010 c11 ]

**Bill 15 — Appropriation Act, 2010 (\$) (Snelgrove)**

First Reading — 576 (*Mar. 22 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 608-15 (*Mar. 23 aft.*), 627-28 (*Mar. 23 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 643-60 (*Mar. 24 aft., passed on division*)

Third Reading — 675-78 (*Mar. 25 aft.*), 684 (*Mar. 25 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Mar. 25 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force March 25, 2010; SA 2010 c3 ]

**Bill 16\* — Traffic Safety (Distracted Driving) Amendment Act, 2010 (Johnston)**

First Reading — 763 (*Apr. 14 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 956-67 (*Oct. 26 aft.*), 980-81 (*Oct. 27 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 991-98 (*Oct. 27 aft.*), 1013-20 (*Oct. 28 aft.*), 1113-17 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1135-42 (*Nov. 4 aft.*), 1191-96 (*Nov. 15 eve.*), 1227-28 (*Nov. 16 aft.*), 1247-52 (*Nov. 16 eve., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 1283-84 (*Nov. 17 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 c23 ]

**Bill 17 — Alberta Health Act (Zwozdesky)**

First Reading — 1010-11 (*Oct. 28 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1072-85 (*Nov. 2 aft.*), 1210-23 (*Nov. 16 aft.*), 1236-47 (*Nov. 16 eve., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1274-83 (*Nov. 17 aft.*), 1409-26 (*Nov. 23 aft.*), 1440-65 (*Nov. 23 eve.*), 1480-98 (*Nov. 24 aft.*), 1499, 1534-99, 1613-30 (*Nov. 24 eve.*), 1704-12 (*Nov. 30 aft., passed on division*)

Third Reading — 1712-16 (*Nov. 30 aft.*), 1724-39 (*Nov. 30 eve., passed on division*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cA-19.5 ]

**Bill 18 — Government Organization Amendment Act, 2010 (Evans)**

First Reading — 916 (*Oct. 25 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 984-90 (*Oct. 27 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1107-11 (*Nov. 3 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 1225-27 (*Nov. 16 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force Dec. 2, with exceptions; SA 2010 c19 ]

**Bill 19 — Fuel Tax Amendment Act, 2010 (Griffiths)**

First Reading — 916 (*Oct. 25 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 981-84 (*Oct. 27 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1224-25 (*Nov. 16 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 1304-05 (*Nov. 17 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force Dec. 2, with exceptions; SA 2010 c18 ]

**Bill 20\* — Class Proceedings Amendment Act, 2010 (Drysdale)**

First Reading — 1032 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1065-66 (*Nov. 2 aft.*), 1100-01 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1229 (*Nov. 16 eve., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1427-28 (*Nov. 23 eve., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 1599 (*Nov. 24 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 c15 ]

**Bill 21 — Wills and Succession Act (Olson)**

First Reading — 1033 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1066-67 (*Nov. 2 aft.*), 1101-03 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1229 (*Nov. 16 eve.*), 1365-66 (*Nov. 22 eve., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1438-39 (*Nov. 23 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 1599 (*Nov. 24 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cW-12.2 ]

**Bill 22 — Family Law Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (Redford)**

First Reading — 1033 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1067-70 (*Nov. 2 aft.*), 1103-06 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1229-30 (*Nov. 16 eve.*), 1366-67 (*Nov. 22 eve., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1439-40 (*Nov. 23 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 1599-1600 (*Nov. 24 eve., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation, with exceptions; SA 2010 c16 ]

**Bill 23\* — Post-secondary Learning Amendment Act, 2010 (Weadick)**

First Reading — 1012 (*Oct. 28 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1070-72 (*Nov. 2 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1111-13 (*Nov. 3 aft., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 1227 (*Nov. 16 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 c22 ]

**Bill 24 — Carbon Capture and Storage Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (\$) (Liepert)**

First Reading — 1033 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 1099-1100 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1180-91 (*Nov. 15 eve.*), 1268-70 (*Nov. 17 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 1385-96 (*Nov. 22 eve.*), 1679-88 (*Nov. 29 eve.*), 1717-24 (*Nov. 30 eve., passed*)

Third Reading — 1739 (*Nov. 30 eve.*), 1766-67 (*Dec. 1 aft.*), 1771-84 (*Dec. 1 eve., passed on division*)

Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force Dec. 2; SA 2010 c14 ]

**Bill 25 — Freehold Mineral Rights Tax Amendment Act, 2010 (Liepert)**

First Reading — 1033 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1100 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1175 (*Nov. 15 eve., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 1223-24 (*Nov. 16 aft., passed*)  
Third Reading — 1303-04 (*Nov. 17 eve., passed*)  
Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force Dec. 2; SA 2010 c17 ]

**Bill 26\* — Mines and Minerals (Coalbed Methane) Amendment Act, 2010 (Liepert)**

First Reading — 980 (*Oct. 27 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1012-13 (*Oct. 28 aft.*), 1106-07 (*Nov. 3 aft.*), 1175-80 (*Nov. 15 eve., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 1430-38 (*Nov. 23 eve., passed with amendments*)  
Third Reading — 1600-02 (*Nov. 24 eve., passed on division*)  
Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force Dec. 2; SA 2010 c20 ]

**Bill 27\* — Police Amendment Act, 2010 (Oberle)**

First Reading — 1098 (*Nov. 3 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1133-34 (*Nov. 4 aft.*), 1230-33 (*Nov. 16 eve.*), 1266-68 (*Nov. 17 aft., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 1602-13 (*Nov. 24 eve.*), 1667-74 (*Nov. 29 eve., passed with amendments*)  
Third Reading — 1674-79 (*Nov. 29 eve., passed*)  
Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on proclamation, with exceptions; SA 2010 c21 ]

**Bill 28\* — Electoral Divisions Act (Redford)**

First Reading — 1098 (*Nov. 3 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1134 (*Nov. 4 aft.*), 1233-36 (*Nov. 16 eve.*), 1270-74 (*Nov. 17 aft., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 1428-30 (*Nov. 23 eve.*), 1499-1534 (*Nov. 24 eve.*), 1756-63 (*Dec. 1 aft., passed with amendments*)  
Third Reading — 1764-65, 1767-69 (*Dec. 1 aft.*), 1784-96 (*Dec. 1 eve., passed on division*)  
Royal Assent — (*Dec. 2 aft.*) [Comes into force on day writ issued, with exceptions; SA 2010 cE-4.2 ]

**Bill 29 — Alberta Parks Act (\$) (Ady)**

First Reading — 1131-32 (*Nov. 4 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1265-66 (*Nov. 17 aft.*), 1285-1303 (*Nov. 17 eve.*), 1368-85 (*Nov. 22 eve., passed*)

**Bill 201 — Workers' Compensation (Firefighters) Amendment Act, 2010 (Rogers)**

First Reading — 154 (*Feb. 17 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 213-27 (*Feb. 22 aft., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 577-85 (*Mar. 22 aft., passed*)  
Third Reading — 709 (*Apr. 12 aft., passed*)  
Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 c13 ]

**Bill 202\* — Mandatory Reporting of Child Pornography Act (Forsyth)**

First Reading — 154 (*Feb. 17 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 336-48 (*Mar. 8 aft., passed*)  
Committee of the Whole — 586-89 (*Mar. 22 aft.*), 698-704 (*Apr. 12 aft.*), 705-09 (*Apr. 12 aft., passed with amendments*)  
Third Reading — 819-25 (*Apr. 19 aft., passed*)  
Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force on proclamation; SA 2010 cM-3.3 ]

**Bill 203 — Municipal Government (Local Access and Franchise Fees) Amendment Act, 2010 (Fawcett)**

First Reading — 311-12 (*Feb. 25 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 709-10 (*Apr. 12 aft.*), 825-32 (*Apr. 19 aft.*), 836-37 (*Apr. 19 aft., referred to Standing Committee on Community Services*), (*Oct. 27 aft., reported to Assembly, not proceeded with*)

**Bill 204 — Fiscal Responsibility (Spending Limit) Amendment Act, 2010 (Anderson)**

First Reading — 271 (*Feb. 24 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 922-28 (*Oct. 25 aft.*), 1036-44 (*Nov. 1 aft., defeated on division*)

**Bill 205 — Scrap Metal Dealers and Recyclers Act (Quest)**

First Reading — 916 (*Oct. 25 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1044-46 (*Nov. 1 aft.*), 1155-63 (*Nov. 15 aft., passed*)

**Bill 206 — Utilities Consumer Advocate Act (Kang)**

First Reading — 1012 (*Oct. 28 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1163-69 (*Nov. 15 aft.*), 1345-52 (*Nov. 22 aft., defeated*)

**Bill 208 — Recall Act (Hinman)**

First Reading — 1033-34 (*Nov. 1 aft., passed*)  
Second Reading — 1352-57 (*Nov. 22 aft., adjourned*)

**Bill 217 — Election Statutes (Electoral Reform) Amendment Act, 2010 (Taft)**

First Reading — 1701 (*Nov. 30 aft., passed*)

**Bill 220 — Tailings Ponds Reclamation Statutes Amendment Act, 2010 (Blakeman)**

First Reading — 1753 (*Dec. 1 aft., passed*)

**Bill 223 — Health Statutes (Canada Health Act Reaffirmation) Amendment Act, 2010 (Mason)**

First Reading — 1810 (*Dec. 2 aft., passed*)

**Bill 230 — Anti-Idling Act (Taylor)**

First Reading — 1701 (*Nov. 30*)

**Bill Pr1 — Community Foundation of Lethbridge and Southwestern Alberta Act (Weadick)**

First Reading — 366 (*Mar. 9 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 732-33 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 749 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Third Reading — 804 (*Apr. 15 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force April 22, 2010; SA 2010 c25 ]

**Bill Pr2\* — Canada Olympic Park Property Tax Exemption Amendment Act, 2010 (DeLong)**

First Reading — 366 (*Mar. 9 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 733-35 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 749-50 (*Apr. 13 aft.*), 768 (*Apr. 14 aft., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 804 (*Apr. 15 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force December 31, 2009; SA 2010 c24 ]

**Bill Pr3\* — Lamont Health Care Centre Act (Horne)**

First Reading — 366 (*Mar. 9 aft., passed*)

Second Reading — 735 (*Apr. 13 aft., passed*)

Committee of the Whole — 768-69 (*Apr. 14 aft., passed with amendments*)

Third Reading — 804 (*Apr. 15 aft., passed*)

Royal Assent — (*Apr. 22 outside of House sitting*) [Comes into force April 22, 2010; SA 2010 c26 ]