

The Department of Continuing Education Act

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CHAPTER D-10

An Act respecting the Department of Continuing Education

Short title

1 This Act may be cited as *The Department of Continuing Education Act*.

R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.1.

Department continued

2(1) The department of the Government of Saskatchewan called the Department of Continuing Education is continued.

(2) The Minister of Education, or such other member of the Executive Council as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may designate, shall preside over the department.

1972, c.28, s.2; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.2.

Staff

3 The staff of the department shall consist of a deputy minister, to be called the Deputy Minister of Continuing Education, and such other employees as are required for the proper conduct of the business of the department.

1972, c.28, s.3; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.3.

Scope

4 All that part of the administration of the Government of Saskatchewan that relates to The University of Saskatchewan and to education and that is not by law assigned to any other department or agency of the Government of Saskatchewan shall be under the control of the department and the department may make such arrangements as are deemed necessary for the education of nurses and for the education and training of ancillary nursing personnel.

1972, c.28, s.4; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.4.

Powers of department

5 Subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the department may:

(a) make such arrangements as the Lieutenant Governor deems necessary for the purpose of extending to persons educational and training opportunities other than those provided in schools administered under *The School Act* or *The Secondary Education Act*;

(b) enter into agreements, or make other arrangements, with the Government of Canada as the Lieutenant Governor in Council deems necessary or advisable for the development and advancement of education and training mentioned in clause (a)

(c) provide for coordination and development in respect of the production, distribution and dissemination of educational information with respect to educational matters under the jurisdiction of the Department of Continuing Education by using any communications system or network, and, for that purpose, may make agreements with any person or with the Government of Canada or the Government of any province of Canada or any agency of any of the governments, and, without limiting the generality of the foregoing may make agreements with any person or any such agency or government for the purpose of securing the service of any communication system or network for the dissemination of any educational information or the production of educational programs.

1972, c.28, s.5; 1973-74, c.22, s.2; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.5.

Duties of department

6 The department shall administer *The University of Saskatchewan Act*, *The University of Regina Act* and such other Acts as may be designated by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

1972, c.28, s.6; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.6.

Establishment and regulation of certain educational facilities

7(1) Subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the minister may make provision for the establishment, supervision and administration of educational facilities:

- (a) for the purpose of extending to persons educational and training opportunities other than those provided in schools administered under *The School Act* or *The Secondary Education Act*;
- (b) to provide courses of study or instruction to prepare persons for various trades or occupations;
- (c) to offer programs to provide to the persons and to the community enrichment in knowledge, understanding and appreciation of things civic, cultural or recreational.

(2) Subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the minister may make regulations and orders:

- (a) governing the operation of education facilities established under subsection (1);
- (b) providing for the governing and administration of those educational facilities;
- (c) prescribing tuition or other fees payable in respect of courses of study or instruction provided in those educational facilities;
- (d) respecting any matters that arise concerning those educational facilities and for which no provision is made in this or any other Act.

1972, c.28, s.7; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.7.

Power to appoint committees

8 The minister may, for the purposes of this Act:

- (a) appoint committees, consultants and professional personnel and assign to them such duties and responsibilities as he deems advisable; and
- (b) make payment to any person appointed under clause (a) of such allowances, travelling expenses and other remuneration as may be determined by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

1972, c.28, s.8; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.8.

Establishment of technical schools

9(1) Subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, the minister may make provision for the establishment and operation of one or more schools or institutions for technical instruction and instruction in trades and for other special instruction and special training.

(2) Where a school or institution has been established under subsection (1) and is conducted by the department, the Minister of Finance may, upon the requisition of the minister, advance to the department, out of the consolidated fund, such sums of money as are required to pay for supplies, materials, text books and instructional equipment for resale, to pay salaries and wages and to meet other necessary expenditures in connection with the provision of such services as in the opinion of the minister ought to be provided, including but not limited to the establishment and operation in conjunction with the school or institution of a bookstore, repair shop, carpentry shop, barber shop, hairdressing shop and cafeteria.

(3) The net amount of such advances shall not exceed the amount determined from time to time by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.

(4) The Treasury Board may make regulations governing the records to be kept by the department with respect to advances received under subsection (2).

(5) Any schools or institutions of the kind mentioned in subsection (1) that are being operated when this Act comes into force shall be under the control and management of the department and any sums appropriated in respect of the administration of such schools or institutions shall be deemed to have been appropriated to the department in that respect.

1972, c.28, s.9; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.9.

Grants

10(1) Subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council and to such conditions as he may prescribe, the minister may make regulations respecting the payment of grants for the purpose of furthering any activities related to any aspect of education that is under the control of the department.

(2) Subject to regulations made under subsection (1), the department may make grants to any school system or to any agency, organization, association, institution or other body designated by the minister.

1973-74, c.22, s.3; 1974-75, c.49, s.6; R.S.S.
1978, c.D-10, s.10.

Annual report

11(1) The minister shall, in accordance with *The Tabling of Documents Act*, submit to the Lieutenant Governor in Council an annual report respecting the work performed by the department.

(2) The report required by subsection (1) shall be laid before the Legislative Assembly in accordance with *The Tabling of Documents Act*.

1972, c.28, s.10; R.S.S. 1978, c.D-10, s.11.