

# *The Registered Documents Destruction Act*

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Chapter 363 of *The Revised Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1953*  
(effective February 1, 1954).

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## **NOTE:**

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## CHAPTER 363

### An Act respecting the Destruction of Certain Registered Documents

#### Preamble

WHEREAS there is a great congestion of documents registered in the offices of the registration clerks of the province over a period of many years; and

Whereas it has become essential that more space should be made available for future registrations; and

Whereas it is deemed desirable that this space should be made available by the destruction of certain documents on the files:

Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

#### Short title

1 This Act may be cited as *The Registered Documents Destruction Act*.

R.S.S. 1953, c.363, s.1.

#### Interpretation “registered document”

2 In this Act “registered document” means a bill of sale, chattel mortgage, lien note or conditional sale agreement, assignment of book debts and any other document relating to personal chattels registered in the office of a registration clerk of any registration district heretofore or hereafter established for the purpose of registration of chattel mortgages, bills of sale or assignments of book debts.

1946, c.95, s.2; R.S.S. 1953, c.363, s.2.

#### Powers of Lieutenant Governor in council

3 The Lieutenant Governor in Council may order or direct that the registration clerk of any registration district transfer to the Archives of Saskatchewan or the Legislative Library or destroy all or any registered documents on file in his office which have been on file for a period of twenty-five years prior to the making of the order, together with any renewal statements or assignments of or relating to the documents:

Provided that there shall be excepted from any such order or direction any registered documents which are still in full force and effect by reason of having been duly renewed from time to time in accordance with the provisions of the relevant statutes, together with the renewal statements and assignments relating thereto.

1946, c.95, s.3; R.S.S. 1953, c.363, s.3.