

BILL NO. 9

Government Bill

4th Session, 61st General Assembly Nova Scotia 61 Elizabeth II, 2012

An Act to Amend Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1987, the Canada–Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Resources Accord Implementation (Nova Scotia) Act

> CHAPTER 17 ACTS OF 2012

AS ASSENTED TO BY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR MAY 17, 2012

The Honourable Charlie Parker Minister of Energy

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Be it enacted by the Governor and Assembly as follows:

1 Clause 2(o) of Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1987, the *Canada–Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Resources Accord Implementation (Nova Scotia) Act*, is repealed and the following clause substituted:

(o) "Minister" means the Minister of Energy;

2 Section 6 of Chapter 3, as amended by Chapter 16 of the Acts of 1993, is further amended by adding ", Section 53A" immediately after "51" in the fourth line.

3 Section 53 of Chapter 3 is amended by striking out "Provincial" in the first and in the fourth lines.

4 Chapter 3 is further amended by adding immediately after Section 53 the following headings and Section:

PART IA

CROWN SHARE ADJUSTMENT PAYMENTS

53A Subject to Section 6, the Governor in Council may make regulations respecting information that must be provided to the Minister to permit the Minister to demonstrate and determine the payments to be calculated under section 247 of the federal Implementation Act.