

BILL.

An Act respecting Explosive Substances.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada enacts as follows :—

Preamble.

1. This Act may be cited as "The Explosive Substances Act." 46 V., Imp., c. 3., s. 1.

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires,—

Interpretation.

(a) The expression "Attorney General" means the Attorney General of the Province of Canada in which any proceedings are taken under this Act, and with respect to the North-West Territories and the District of Keewatin the Attorney General of Canada.

Attorney General.

(b) The expression "Explosive Substance" includes any materials for making any explosive substance: also any apparatus, machine, implement, or materials used, or intended to be used, or adapted for causing, or aiding in causing, any explosion in or with any explosive substance; also any part of any such apparatus, machine, or implement. 46 V., Imp., c. 3, s. 9.

Explosive substance.

3. Every person who unlawfully and maliciously causes by any explosive substance an explosion of a nature likely to endanger life or to cause serious injury to property is, whether any injury to person or property is actually caused or not, guilty of felony, and liable to imprisonment for life. 46 V., Imp., c. 3, s. 2.

Maliciously causing explosions likely to endanger life or to injure property.

4. Every person who unlawfully and maliciously—

Maliciously doing acts, or conspiring to cause such explosions.

(a) Does any act with intent to cause by an explosive substance, or conspires to cause by an explosive substance, an explosion of a nature likely to endanger life, or to cause serious injury to property; or

(b) Makes or has in his possession or under his control any explosive substance with intent by means thereof to endanger life, or to cause serious injury to property or to enable any other person by means thereof to endanger life or to cause serious injury to property,

Maliciously making or having explosive substances with intent to endanger life or to injure property.

Is, whether any explosion takes place or not, and whether any injury to person or property is actually caused or not, guilty of felony, and liable to fourteen years' imprisonment. 46 V., Imp., c. 3, s. 3.