

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS OF CANADA.

**BILL 2.**

An Act to readjust the Representation in the House of Commons

R.S., c. 5;  
1907, c. 41;  
1914, c. 51;  
1915, c. 19;  
1919, c. 6.

**W**HEREAS the results of the census of 1921 necessitate a readjustment of the representation in the House of Commons, pursuant to the provisions of *The British North America Act, 1867*, and the other statutes in that behalf: Therefore His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:— 5

Short title.

**1.** This Act may be cited as *The Representation Act, 1924.*

Number of Members.

**2.** The House of Commons shall consist of two hundred and forty-five members, of whom eighty-two shall be elected for the province of Ontario, sixty-five for the province of Quebec, fourteen for the province of Nova Scotia, eleven for the province of New Brunswick, seventeen for the province of Manitoba, fourteen for the province of British Columbia, four for the province of Prince Edward Island, twenty-one for the province of Saskatchewan, sixteen for the province of Alberta, and one for the Yukon Territory. 10 15

Division into electoral districts.

**3.** The said provinces and territory respectively shall, for the purposes of the election of members to serve in the House of Commons, be divided into electoral districts, and be represented as provided in the schedule to this Act. 20

Places not mentioned.

**4.** Every city, town, village, township, parish or place, or part thereof, lying within the territorial limits of any electoral district, and not specifically included in any other electoral district by the said schedule, shall be and be taken to be part of the electoral district in which it is so locally situate. 25 30