

ALBERTA SUSTAINABLE RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

Forest and Prairie Protection Act
RSA 2000, c.F-19

MINISTERIAL ORDER 31/07

FIRE CONTROL ORDER

1. I, Cliff Henderson, Assistant Deputy Minister of the Forestry Division of Sustainable Resource Development, pursuant to s.21 of the *Forest and Prairie Protection Act* (the "Act"), HEREBY:
 - a. SUSPEND all fire permits issued under the Act,
 - b. REQUIRE all outdoor fires presently burning whether set under the authority of a fire permit or not, extinguished, and
 - c. PROHIBIT the lighting of outdoor fireswithin all of Fire Control Zones 1, 2 and 3, as established in the Fire Control Zone Regulation (Alta. Reg. 29/2005).
2. For greater certainty, THIS ORDER prohibits the use of portable campfires fuelled by fluids or gases.
3. THIS ORDER does not apply to:
 - a. fires which are contained in cooking and heating appliances and which are fuelled by fluids or gases; and
 - b. fires contained in industrial facilities or on industrial sites approved by a forest officer.
4. Ministerial Order 28/07 is revoked.
5. THIS ORDER comes into effect at 12:01 o'clock p.m. on the 9th day of August, 2007.

DATED at the City of Edmonton, in the Province of Alberta, this 9th day of August, 2007.

Original signed by: _____
Cliff Henderson
Assistant Deputy Minister
Forestry Division
Sustainable Resource Development