

Legislation of the Second Session of the Twentieth Parliament, Mar. 14,
1946 to Aug. 31, 1946—continued

Chapter and Date of Assent	Synopsis
Justice—concl.— 22 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Exchequer Court Act</i> (c. 34, R.S.C. 1927 and amendments) amends the constitution of the Court to include three Puisne Judges instead of two.
56 Aug. 31	<i>The Judges Act, 1946</i> sets forth new salary rates for Judges of Dominion and Provincial courts, together with regulations concerning travelling allowances, annuities, tenure of office, residence, retirement, etc. All previous legislation on such matters is repealed.
44 Aug. 31	<i>An Act to Amend the Combines Investigation Act</i> (c. 26, R.S.C. 1927 and amendments) places the administration of the Act under the Minister of Justice and makes a number of amendments <i>re</i> the appointment of deputy commissioners, investigation of complaints, etc.
73 Aug. 31	<i>An Act respecting War Crimes</i> re-enacts the War Crimes Regulations (Canada) enacted as of Aug. 30, 1945, which deal with the custody, trial and punishment of persons charged with or suspected of war crimes.
Labour— 68 Aug. 31	<i>An Act to Amend the Unemployment Insurance Act, 1940</i> (c. 44, 1940 and amendment) recasts a great part of the original legislation. Provision for the counting of service in the Armed Forces as insurable employment is also included.
Mines and Resources— 9 May 28	<i>The National Parks (Boundaries) Amendment Act, 1946</i> (c. 33, 1930) redefines the boundaries of certain National Parks.
13 May 28	<i>An Act to Amend the Yukon Quartz Mining Act</i> (c. 217, R.S.C. 1927 and amendments) makes certain amendments respecting the staking of claims, the grouping of claims for working, and the protection of service and ex-service personnel from forfeiture of claims.
35 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Yukon Placer Mining Act</i> (c. 216, R.S.C. 1927). Claims held by members of the Services are exempt for one year from legislation respecting forfeiture of claims. Also export of gold from the Territory without payment of royalty is prohibited.
National Defence— 17 June 27	<i>An Act to Amend the Naval Service Act, 1944</i> (c. 23, 1944) authorizes the establishment of the Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps to consist of boys 12 to 18 years of age who voluntarily apply for membership.
32 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Royal Canadian Air Force Act</i> (c. 15, 1940) authorizes the formation of Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadrons to consist of boys 15 to 18 years of age who voluntarily apply for membership.
National Health and Welfare— 11 May 28	<i>An Act to Amend the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act, 1929</i> (c. 40, 1929 and amendments) makes minor amendments in the legislation respecting the sale of narcotics.
23 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Food and Drugs Act</i> (c. 76, R.S.C. 1927 and amendments) repeals Part II of the Act respecting the sale and labelling of honey and makes certain other amendments regarding the distribution of food and drugs in the interests of the public.
50 Aug. 31	<i>An Act to Amend the Family Allowances Act, 1944</i> (c. 40, 1944-45) amends the sections respecting cessation of payment and payment to persons other than parents in certain cases.
Printing and Stationery— 27 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Public Printing and Stationery Act</i> (c. 162, R.S.C. 1927). Legislation regarding the duties of the clerk of the Printing Committee of the House of Commons is repealed.
28 July 26	<i>An Act to Amend the Public Printing and Stationery Act</i> (c. 162, R.S.C. 1927 and amendments). By this Act the amounts that may be advanced to the King's Printer out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund for carrying out the provisions of the Act is increased from \$700,000 to \$2,000,000.