



CHAPTER 13.

An Act to amend the "Protection of
Children Act."1943, c. 5, 1945,
c. 9.

[Assented to 3rd April, 1947.]

HIS MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the
Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia,
enacts as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Protection of Children Act Short title.
Amendment Act, 1947."

2. Section 32 of the "Protection of Children Act," being chap- Amends s. 32
ter 5 of the Statutes of 1943, is amended by adding thereto the
following as subsections (11) and (12):—

"(11.) Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this Act,
where an order has been made for the payment of maintenance
by a municipality under subsection (1) of this section or under
section 40, such municipality shall be reimbursed to the extent
of not less than eighty per centum of the cost of maintenance
out of funds appropriated by the Legislature for the purpose or,
in the absence of an appropriation, out of the Consolidated
Revenue Fund.

"(12.) Where a municipality recovers expenses from the
parents of the child in respect of whom the expenditure is made,
it shall be liable for repayment to His Majesty in the same pro-
portion of the expenses recovered as the proportion paid by the
Province under subsection (11)."

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