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HOUSE OF COMMONS OF CANADA

BILL C-63

An Act to amend the Criminal Code, 1985 (Dueling)

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

Section 71 of the [Criminal Code, 1985](#) is repealed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

71. Everyone who

- (a) Attempts or challenges an individual less than 18 years of age to a duel
- (b) Participates in a duel without written consent from both parties involved as well as validation by a court of law
- (c) Uses lethal weapons or inflicts purposeful lethal harm without approval from both individuals in question as well as a court of law

Is guilty of an indictable offence and liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 18 months.

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