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Introduction

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WHEREAS it is in the interest of the town of Saint-Bruno-de-Montarville that certain powers be granted to it;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Section 415 of the Cities and Towns Act (R.S.Q., chapter C-19) is amended for the town of Saint-Bruno-de-Montarville

(1) by inserting, after paragraph 11, the following paragraph:

“(11.1) To grant, by by-law, to certain groups or categories of persons, the exclusive right to park their vehicles on certain streets on the conditions stated in the by-law;”;

(2) by inserting, after paragraph 30, the following paragraph:

“(30.1) To regulate or prohibit the parking of vehicles on any land or in any building intended for parking determined by by-law after making an agreement with the owner;”;

(3) by replacing paragraph 31 by the following paragraph:

“(31) To require every owner of a non-motorized bicycle to obtain from the municipality a permanent licence not exceeding five dollars. To require that the licence be permanently attached to the vehicle and to allow the municipality to enter into an agreement with a third person allowing him to issue the licence and collect the cost on behalf of the municipality; the third person and his employees are then deemed to

be officers or employees of the municipality. The licence contemplated in this section is unalienable;”.

2. Section 460 of the said Act is amended for the town by adding, after paragraph 25, the following paragraph:

“(26) To regulate, licence or prohibit the sale of goods other than food outside a permanent building.”

3. Section 463 of the said Act is amended for the town by adding, after paragraph 4, the following paragraph:

“(4.1) To require any person who litters public property to do the necessary cleaning and order that, in case of contravention, such a person shall pay, in addition to the fine, the cost of the cleaning effected by the town;”.

4. The said Act is amended for the town by inserting, after section 617, the following section:

“**617.1** In the absence of the judge of the Municipal Court, the clerk of the court may adjourn any case appearing on the roll of the court in accordance with the law; for that purpose, the clerk is deemed to be a justice of the peace.

Every time the signature of the clerk or deputy-clerk of the Municipal Court is legally required, his name may be engraved, lithographed or printed. However, every warrant of arrest or search warrant must bear the handwritten signature of the judge.”

5. The said Act is amended for the town by inserting, after section 642, the following section:

“**642.1** The council, by resolution, may authorize the destruction of records closed for more than five years relating to offences against the Acts of Québec, the municipal by-laws or any other legislation in force in the territory of the town.”

6. Notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, every fine claimed and recovered before the Municipal Court belongs to the town and forms part of its general account.

7. The town council may establish, out of the revenues provided for in the annual budget, a reserve fund of not more than five hundred thousand dollars for the purposes of financing its self-insurance program, the annual amounts to be taken therefrom not to exceed one-fifth of the maximum amount of the fund.

8. The by-laws passed by the town council before 1 January 1982 which were to be published according to law and which have not been published are deemed to be in effect and to have force of law from the date on which they were passed or, as the case may be, from the date of their final approval, where they were submitted for one or more approvals.

The by-laws passed by the town council before 1 January 1982 and which have not been signed according to law are deemed to be authentic from the date of their coming into force, in accordance with the Cities and Towns Act or this Act.

No irregularity or illegality may be ascribed to the fact that such by-laws were not signed or published according to law.

The clerk shall enter a reference to this Act in the record of the by-laws of the town council, opposite every by-law contemplated in the first and second paragraphs.

The retroactive effect of this section does not affect any judgment rendered before 6 March 1984 or any case pending on that date.

9. Sections 1 and 4 to 15 of chapter 157 of the statutes of 1959-60 and section 429*b* of the Cities and Towns Act, enacted for the town of Saint-Bruno-de-Montarville by section 3 of chapter 157 of the statutes of 1959-60 are repealed.

10. This Act comes into force on the day of its sanction.