



## CHAPTER 141

An Act to annul certain commutations of taxes granted to the Ste. Anne Paper Company, Limited, its predecessors and assigns

*[Assented to, the 11th of April, 1935]*

**W**HEREAS under the act 16 George V, chapter 114, certain resolutions of the municipal council of the corporation of the parish of St. Joachim, county of Montmorency No. 1, and the school commissioners of the municipality of St. Joachim, for the purpose of fixing the total amount of the municipal assessments and other municipal taxes, as well as the school assessments and other school taxes, which the St. Anne Power & Paper Company, Limited, could be called upon to pay, were confirmed and ratified for all legal purposes; Preamble.

Whereas under the act 19 George V, chapter 131, certain resolutions of the municipal council of Beaupré, county of Montmorency No. 1, and the school commissioners of the municipality of Beaupré, for the purpose of granting to the Ste. Anne Paper Company, Limited, substituted for the St. Anne Power & Paper Company, Limited, the same exemptions of taxes as those granted to the St. Anne Power & Paper Company, Limited, were ratified and confirmed for all legal purposes;

Whereas the said commutations of taxes were granted to such company on the condition that it erect and operate a paper mill in the municipality, so as to employ many workmen;

Whereas for more than two years such company has not operated its mill and, consequently, has not fulfilled its obligations to the above municipal and school corporations, which had justified such commutations of taxes;

Whereas such company has, in consequence, lost its rights to such commutations of taxes and it is expedient to terminate for it and its assigns the effect of the laws, resolutions and agreements conferring such commutations upon it;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

16 Geo. V,  
c. 114; 19  
Geo. V, c.  
131, re-  
pealed.

**1.** The acts 16 George V, chapter 114, and 19 George V, chapter 131, are repealed.

Nullifying  
of certain  
resolutions,  
etc.

**2.** From and after the 1st of January, 1935, the resolutions and the deeds or agreements, which the two acts mentioned in the preceding section 1 confirmed and ratified, are declared null and of no effect, and the municipal council must forthwith cause the real valuation of the property of the company to be made and enter such value on the valuation and assessment roll.

Granting of  
commuta-  
tions of  
taxes in cer-  
tain event.

**3.** In the event of resumption of the operations of the paper mill situated in the municipality of Beaupré, county of Montmorency No. 1, the municipal corporation of Beaupré and the school commissioners of the municipality of Beaupré may grant to the owner of the said mill, for a period not exceeding five years, the same commutations of taxes as were contemplated by the resolutions and the deeds or agreements mentioned in the acts 16 George V, chapter 114, and 19 George V, chapter 131, provided that the mill is operated normally.

How  
effected.

The granting of such privileges is effected without preliminary or subsequent formalities other than the approval of a resolution by the majority of the members present of the municipal council of Beaupré and of the school commissioners of the municipality of Beaupré, forming a quorum, and by the Quebec Municipal Commission.

Coming into  
force.

**4.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.