



## CHAPTER 82

### An Act to amend the Health Units Act

*[Assented to, the 4th of April, 1930]*

**HIS MAJESTY**, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

**1.** Section 4 of the Health Units Act (Revised Statutes, R. S., c. 1925, chapter 186A, as enacted by the act 18 George V, 186A, s. 4, chapter 69, section 1) is amended by adding thereto, at the <sup>am.</sup> end thereof, the following paragraph:

"The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may render obligatory, for such city or town municipalities, organized under a special act, as he determines, the provisions of the preceding paragraph with respect to the handing over to the county health unit of the care of their public health and of their contribution to the operation of the said health unit."

**2.** The said act is amended by inserting therein, after section 4 thereof, the following sections: R. S., c. 186A, ss. 4a-4c, added.

"**4a.** Notwithstanding the provisions of sections 3 and 4, whenever the valuation of the taxable real estate of the municipalities composing a county or a group of counties, which have applied for the establishment of a health unit, does not amount to six million dollars, the council or councils of the said counties may collect, by resolution, a tax on the taxable property, representing for the first year at least one-twelfth of the budget established by the Provincial Bureau of Health for such unit, for the second year one-eighth, for the third year one-sixth, and for subsequent years one-fourth. If during the said years or afterwards Tax for health units.

the said valuation amounts to or exceeds the sum of six million dollars, the provisions of section 3 of this act shall apply.

Sanitary authority.

**"4b.** In counties wherein a health unit is established, the latter shall be the municipal sanitary authority as regards the notification of contagious diseases under the terms of sections 76, 77, 79 and 80 of the Quebec Public Health Act (Chap. 186).

Medical officer.

**"4c.** The medical officer, or in his default the health inspector, shall be the executive officer of the municipal sanitary authority of every municipality which forms part of a health unit."

Coming into force.

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