



CHAPTER 21

An Act to amend the Motor Vehicle Act

[Assented to, the 22nd of March, 1928]

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

1. Section 27 of the Motor Vehicle Act (Revised Statutes, 1925, chapter 35), as amended by the acts 16 George V, chapter 19, section 6, and 17 George V, chapter 20, section 4, is again amended by adding thereto the following subsection:

“4. The lamps in front of a motor vehicle shall not show a red light.” Front
lamps.

2. Section 36 of the said act is amended:

a. By striking out the word: “motor”, in the first line of the English version of subsection 1 thereof; R. S., c. 35,
s. 36, am.

b. By striking out the word: “motor”, in the first line of subsection 2 thereof;

c. By striking out the word: “motor”, in the first line of subsection 3 thereof.

3. Section 61 of the said act is amended by adding thereto the following paragraphs: Id., s. 61,
am.

“4. Prohibit, restrain or otherwise regulate the parking of vehicles on the public roads of the municipality and their operation near schools and hospitals; Parking,
etc.

“5. Take the necessary measures to prevent congestion of traffic or remedy same; Congestion;

“6. Establish crossing and safety zones for foot passengers and prescribe and regulate their use; Crossing
and safety
zones;

“7. Prohibit splashing and take the measures necessary to remedy same; Splashing;

Direction,
etc.

"8. Make by-laws respecting the direction, crossing, overtaking and stopping of vehicles on the public roads of the municipality, provided that such by-laws are not inconsistent with the provisions of sections 36, 37, 38 and 39 of this act."

R. S., c. 35,
s. 61a, added.

4. The said act is amended by inserting therein, after section 61 thereof, the following section:

Fyling of
copy of by-
law.

"**61a.** Every municipal council, which makes a by-law under sections 60 and 61 of this act or respecting one of the matters therein mentioned, shall fyle a copy thereof with the Revenue Branch, at Quebec, within thirty days after its adoption."

R. S., c. 35,
s. 65, re-
placed.

5. Section 65 of the said act is replaced by the following:

Report of
accident.

"**65.** 1. The following persons shall make a report to the Revenue Branch, at Quebec, of every accident caused or sustained by a motor vehicle, within eight days of the date of the accident or of the information or notice thereof being received by him, namely:

a. The owner, the chauffeur or the operator of the motor vehicle;

b. The chief of police, constable or traffic officer who had knowledge of the accident or was informed thereof;

c. The insurer who has been notified of the accident;

d. The tramway or railway company in case of collision with any of their cars.

Report of
payment of
damages.

2. Every insurer or other person, who pays damages to person or property, caused by a motor vehicle, shall report same to the Revenue Branch, at Quebec, within eight days after the date of such payment and shall furnish proof thereof if required by the Branch.

Details.

3. Such reports shall give the details required by the Branch."

R. S., c. 35,
s. 68, am.

6. Section 68 of the said act is amended:

a. By adding thereto, after the word: "international", in the first line of sub-paragraph *s* of subsection 1 thereof, the words: "cards and";

b. By adding thereto, after sub-paragraph *w* of the said subsection 1 thereof, the following sub-paragraphs:

Report from
insurance
companies.
Inspections.

"*x.* Exact from automobile insurance companies reports of their operations;

"*y.* Cause to be inspected brakes, steering apparatus and the other parts and accessories of a motor vehicle used to prevent accidents."

R. S., c. 35,
s. 72, am.

7. Section 72 of the said act, as enacted by the act 17

George V, chapter 20, section 5, is amended by replacing the words: "Divisions VI, X and XIII", in the second line thereof, by the words: "Division VI, section 45 in Division VII, and Divisions X and XIII".

8. This act shall come into force on the day of its Coming into
force. sanction.