



CHAPTER 91

An Act to amend the charter of *La Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle du Commerce contre l'incendie*

[Assented to, the 11th of March, 1926]

WHEREAS *La Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle du Commerce contre l'incendie* has, by its petition, represented: Preamble.

That at its annual general meeting on the 11th of February, 1925, it was resolved, by the unanimous vote of the members of the company present at the meeting, that application be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec to ask that its charter, the act 7 Edward VII, chapter 108, as amended by the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 120, be amended respecting the qualifications required to become members of the company and to define more clearly the risks it may insure;

That there is occasion to amend its charter for the purposes aforesaid; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer to that effect contained in the said petition;

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

1. Section 1 of the act 7 Edward VII, chapter 108, as 7 Ed. VII, c. replaced by the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 120, section 1, ^{108, s. 1, re-}placed. is again replaced by the following:

"1. The persons above mentioned and all persons domiciled in this Province and owning property therein who may wish to associate themselves with them for insuring their property are constituted a body politic and corporate under the name "The Commercial Mutual Fire Insurance Company", in English, and "*La Compagnie d'Assurance Mutuelle du Commerce contre l'incendie*", in French. Incorporation.

7 Ed. VII, c.
108, s. 9,
replaced.

2. Section 9 of the act 7 Edward VII, chapter 108, as replaced by the act 9 Edward VII, chapter 120, section 2, is again replaced by the following:

R. S., c. 243,
s. 238, re-
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“9. Section 238 of chapter 243 of the Revised Statutes, 1925, applicable to the company, is replaced, for the company, by the following:

Insurance of
dwelling-
houses, etc.

“238. The company may, within the limits prescribed by the license and registration and those fixed by its by-laws, insure and reinsure dwelling-houses, stores, shops and other buildings, household furniture, merchandise, machinery, live stock, farm produce, and other commodities, against damage or loss by fire or lightning, whether the same happens by accident or any other means except design on the part of the assured, the invasion of an enemy, or insurrection; and, in the case of any mercantile or manufacturing risk, may, either by the same or a separate contract, insure the same risk against loss or damage arising from defects in or injuries to sprinklers or other fire extinguishing appliances.

Words “and
other
buildings”.

The words “and other buildings” in the above enumeration shall include, among others, churches, sacristies, presbyteries, chapels, bishops’ palaces, educational establishments, convents, asylums, hospitals and their dependencies, and generally all buildings belonging to religious congregations or occupied by them, as well as all moveables therein.”

Coming into
force.

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