



## CHAPTER 117

An Act to ratify certain resolutions adopted by the council  
of the city of Three Rivers and by the school com-  
missioners of the said city

*[Assented to, the 24th of March, 1926]*

**W**HEREAS the corporation of the city of Three Rivers, Preamble.  
on the 27th of September, 1920, adopted a resolution  
for the purpose of granting to the St. Lawrence Paper Mills,  
Ltd., the incorporation whereof was then proposed, certain  
favours and commutations of taxes upon the conditions  
set forth in the said resolution;

Whereas such resolution stipulates in its fourth clause  
that the city of Three Rivers undertakes: "Only to col-  
lect taxes upon the valuation entered in the valuation roll  
to the extent of fifty per cent of the value entered in such  
roll, for all the property of the company, except those  
exempted by clause 3 above";

Whereas the St. Lawrence Paper Mills, Ltd., has duly  
fulfilled towards the city of Three Rivers the conditions  
and obligations imposed by said resolution and is entitled  
to claim the performance of clause 4 of said resolution;

Whereas the said clause states that it shall only be valid  
after being confirmed and ratified by the Legislature;

Whereas, at a meeting of the school commissioners of the  
city of Three Rivers, held on the 21st of December, 1925,  
the said commissioners passed and adopted a resolution  
fixing the valuation of the properties of the St. Lawrence  
Paper Mills, Ltd., at the sum of two million dollars for all  
purposes of taxation whatever;

Whereas the said resolution states that it shall be valid  
only after being confirmed and ratified by the Legislature;

Whereas the petitioner has accordingly prayed for the  
confirmation and ratification of clause 4 of the resolution  
adopted by the council of the city of Three Rivers on the  
27th of September, 1920, and of the resolution adopted by

the school commissioners of the city of Three Rivers on the 21st of December, 1925;

Whereas the city of Three Rivers has already exempted the same immoveables of the company from the taxes imposed under section 521 of chapter 102 of the Revised Statutes, 1925, by by-law No. 33 of the city, on the 9th of March, 1925; but, in accordance with the resolution of the 27th of September, 1920, the company should only be assessed to the extent of fifty per cent of the value of said immoveables for other municipal taxes; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant such prayer;

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

Tax exemption.

Description of immoveables.

Assessment on 50% of valuation during 20 years.

Resolution of Dec. 21st, 1925, ratified.

Coming into force.

**1.** The St. Lawrence Paper Mills, Ltd., shall enjoy the exemption from taxes granted to it by by-law No. 33, passed and adopted by the council of the city of Three Rivers, on the 9th of March, 1925, on the following immoveables, to wit: On a land forming part of No. 26 of the cadastre of the city of Three Rivers, bounded to the north by the southern line of St. Olivier boulevard, to the east by lot No. 9, to the south by the river St. Lawrence, to the west by lot No. 2, from the river St. Lawrence to Notre-Dame street, and by the east line of St. Lawrence street, from Notre-Dame street to St. Olivier boulevard, as shown on the plan by C. E. Gélinas, city engineer, dated 7th of March, 1925, as well as on all the buildings employed for the purposes of the company's industry or which may be erected and employed during such period of exemption.

In addition to the above exemption of taxes, the city shall not collect, for a period of twenty years from the 1st of January, 1926, upon the same immoveables, other municipal taxes than those based upon a valuation of fifty per cent of the value entered in the valuation roll.

**2.** The resolution passed by the school commissioners of the city of Three Rivers on the 21st of December, 1925, is confirmed and ratified for all intents and purposes.

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