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An Act to amend the charter of the city of Verdun.

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the corporation of the city of Verdun, has, by its petition, represented that it is in the interest of the proper administration of its affairs, that its charter the act 7 Edward VII, chapter 73, as amended by the acts 3 George V, chapter 61; 4 George V, chapter 80; 6 George V, chapter 48; 7 George V, chapter 72; 8 George V, chapter 88; 9 George V, chapter 95; 11 George V, chapter 115, and 12 George V, chapter 108, be further amended in order to give it certain powers which it does not possess and to do away with certain provisions which may govern it, namely:

To regulate the traffic of vehicles; to impose the tax to repair and construct sidewalks; to refund certain money to proprietors; to expropriate pieces of land to open streets;

And whereas it is expedient to grant its prayer:

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

Refund and annulment of certain taxes.

1. The city is authorized, upon resolution of the council, to refund the proprietors, who have paid, costs of the pavement of the part of Evelyn Street, between Hickson and Church Avenues, and annul the taxes imposed on the proprietors in connection with the paving of that section of Evelyn Street, and to charge the cost of this pavement to the general fund of the city.

Widening, etc., of sidewalks.

Cost thereof.

2. Notwithstanding any by-laws to the contrary, the city shall be authorized, upon by-law of the city, to order the widening or rebuilding of the sidewalks in any street of the city, and to provide for the charging of the cost of the widening and rebuilding of such sidewalks to the proprietors and immoveables in front of whose property such widening or rebuilding shall be made.

Authorization to acquire certain property to open streets, notwithstanding certain agreement.

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of a certain agreement existing with proprietors who have ceded streets to the city provisionally, and stipulating that: "Should the council for the city, or their successors, at any time, within the next twenty years, pay any sum of money unto any party or parties for any streets or avenues, within the boundaries of the territory now called the city of Verdun, then and in such case the said proprietors

shall be paid by such city and its successors, on demand, in like proportion and at the same rate for the said streets and avenues so hereby ceded and transferred", the city is hereby empowered to proceed by expropriation in the ordinary manner to acquire the parcels of land hereinafter described, and to charge the cost of the expropriation of said parcels of land to the proprietors of property fronting on the said parcels of land expropriated for the purpose of opening streets within the city's limits, the description of each piece of land being set after the name of the street for the opening of which it is required, as follows:

Wellington Street: A certain piece of land being of triangular shape, bounded as follows: on the northeast by Woodland Street, on the southeast by Lasalle Road, on the southwest by Osborne Street, and on the northwest by the west line of Wellington Street as indicated on the homologated plan of the city; Description.

Bannantyne Avenue: A certain piece of land being the continuation of the existing lines of Bannantyne Avenue from cadastral No. 4679, subdivision 740, to cadastral No. 4677, subdivision 1, forming part of cadastral No. 4678;

Aqueduct Avenue: A certain piece of land being the continuation of Aqueduct Avenue, from cadastral No. 4679, subdivision 461, to cadastral No. 4676, subdivision 139, forming part of cadastral No. 4678;

Strathmore Avenue: A certain piece of land being the continuation of the existing lines of Strathmore Avenue, from Mullarkey Avenue to Wellington Street, and forming part of cadastral No. 3401, subdivision 1245, and cadastral No. 3268, subdivision 1-2;

All the lands or parts of lands not belonging to the city and situated to the south of Lasalle Road between the said road and the river, from Second Avenue to the western limits of the city.

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

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An Act to amend the charter of the city of Longueuil

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

WHEREAS the corporation of the city of Longueuil, Preamble.
has, by its petition, represented, that it is in the interest of the proper administration of its affairs that its