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An Act to amend the charter of the city of Verdun

[Assented to, 17th of March, 1919]

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, and 8 George V, chapter 88, be further altered and amended in order to give it certain powers which it does not possess and to do away with certain provisions which govern it, to ratify loan by-laws, to amend collection rolls for special taxes, and to ratify the budget;

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:

By-laws and
bond issue
ratified.

1. The issue of debentures and treasury bonds to the amount of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars by the city of Verdun, under by-laws Nos. 153, 154, 155 and 156, intituled "by-laws to authorize the city of Verdun to raise money by an issue of debentures aggregating in their face value the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars", adopted by the council of the city of Verdun on the 2nd day of the month of July, 1918, and the said by-laws, are declared good and valid for all legal purposes.

Collection
rolls
cancelled.

New roll to
be made.

Refund to
proprietors.

Loan
authorized.

2. The collection rolls prepared under by-laws 96 and 51 as amended, for certain works on sewers and side-walks on the following streets namely: Trehern, Regina, Strathmore, Church, Lassalle-Road, Wellington, Verdun, Rhéaume, River, 1st Avenue, Hickson, Strathmore and Regina, are cancelled. The city shall make a new collection roll, to levy, on the same immoveables as those mentioned in the rolls hereby cancelled, the cost of such works after having deducted from the same the amount of thirty thousand seven hundred and ten dollars and twenty-six cents. The city shall refund to the proprietors who have already paid under the cancelled rolls the amount they shall have paid over and above the amount that they will be called upon to pay under the new roll.

The city is authorized to borrow, for a term not exceeding

ten years, the said sum of thirty thousand seven hundred and ten dollars and twenty-six cents. Such loan shall be made under by-law approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, notwithstanding any law to the contrary. But by the said by-law the city shall assess the said loan of thirty thousand seven hundred and ten dollars and twenty-six cents, for the part concerning the sewers, upon the immoveables in the territory drained by the said sewers, and, for the part concerning the said side-walks, upon the immoveables situated on the streets above mentioned. Such latter tax shall be payable in ten annual, equal and consecutive instalments with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum on any balance due. The proceeds of the tax shall be used for the repayment of the said loan when due.

Property to be assessed for special tax.
How tax to be payable.

3. The budget prepared for the current year shall be considered as having been made at the proper time and in compliance with all necessary formalities.

Budget to be considered as properly made.

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

Coming into force.

C H A P. 96

An Act to amend the charter of the City of Hull

[Assented to, 17th of March, 1919]

WHEREAS the city of Hull has, by its petition, prayed that an act be passed to amend its charter; and it is expedient to grant its prayer; Preamble.

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

1. Section 147 of the act 56 Victoria, chapter 52, as replaced by the act 8 Edward VII, chapter 88, section 2, and amended by the acts 3 George V, chapter 56, section 7, 5 George V, chapter 92, sections 8 and 9, and by 7 George V, chapter 68, sections 9 and 10, is again amended by adding thereto the following paragraph:

56 Vict., c. 52, s. 147, amended.

"t. The council may, after public notice given fifteen days before the meeting, by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the council, at a general or special meeting, undertake paving of any kind whatsoever in a street or part of a street in the city. The cost of such paving or

Paving of streets.