

**18.** Article 10 of the Act 1 George V (2nd session), chapter 69, is repealed. 1 Geo. V (1911), ch. 69, s. 10, repealed.

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

## C H A P. 87

An Act to amend the charter of the Town of Windsor Mills.

[Assented to 19th February, 1914]

**W**HEREAS the corporation of the town of Windsor Mills, has, by its petition, represented, that it is right and desirable that additional powers be granted it and that certain amendments be made to its charter, the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68; Preamble.

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:

**1.** The act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, shall be called the "Charter of the Town of Windsor"; and the town of Windsor Mills shall, in future, be known as "The Town of Windsor," and the inhabitants of the town of Windsor Mills shall continue to form a corporation under the name of "The Corporation of the town of Windsor". Change of name.

**2.** Article 3 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is replaced by the following: 62 Vict. ch. 68, s. 3, replaced.

**3.** The town shall be subject to the provisions of chapter first of title XI of the Revised Statutes, 1909, (articles 5256 to 5884), and its amendments, except such provisions as may be inconsistent with those of this act and those of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68." Provisions applicable.

**3.** Articles 7 and 14 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, are repealed. Id., ss. 7 & 14 repealed.

**4.** Articles 22 and 23 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, are repealed. Id., ss. 22 & 23 repealed.

**5.** Article 25 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is repealed. Id., s. 25, repealed.

Id., s. 26  
replaced.

**6.** Article 26 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is replaced by the following:

Provisions  
to apply.

**"26.** The town shall exercise the powers conferred by paragraphs 21 and following of article 5639 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, only by providing that the sewers shall not discharge into the Wattopekah river."

Proviso.

Provisions  
repealed.

**7.** Articles 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, are repealed.

5789 R.S. re-  
placed for  
the town.

**8.** Article 5789 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is replaced, for the town, by the following:

Loan on no-  
tes author-  
ized.

**"5789.** The council may issue, by resolution, promissory notes, the interest whereon, if any, shall not exceed six per cent per annum for a term not exceeding one year, to pay the current accounts only, and the balances due on annual appropriations for each standing committee only. But the capital unpaid on all notes issued, under this article, for the payment of current accounts, and the said balances due on appropriations, shall not exceed five thousand dollars.

It shall not be necessary to submit the loans effected under this article to the approval of the ratepayers.

Special loan  
authorized.

The council may also, pending the power to negotiate bonds or debentures which may have been issued by the town, give such bonds or debentures, as collateral security for the temporary loans it may deem necessary to effect, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per cent per annum, provided such temporary loans shall not be made and the proceeds shall not be used otherwise than for the purposes for which the by-law authorizing the issue of such bonds or debentures has been passed".

62 Vict. ch.  
68, s. 32  
repealed.

**9.** Article 32 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is repealed.

Provisions  
not to apply  
to the town.

**10.** Articles 5696, 5697 and 5701 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, shall not apply to the town.

62 Vict. ch.  
68, s. 37  
repealed.

**11.** Article 37 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is repealed.

Id., ss. 38-  
49 repealed.

**12.** Articles 38 to 49 inclusive, of the act 62 Victoria chapter 68, are repealed

Id., s. 50  
replaced.

**13.** Article 50 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is replaced by the following:

Taxes.

**"50.** The taxes shall bear interest at the rate of five

per cent per annum, dating from the expiration of the delay during which they should have been paid, without its being necessary that a special demand be made to that affect.

Saving the provisions of article 5775, the council shall not have the power to remit taxes nor interest on taxes; provided always that the council may, at any time, declare by resolution that rate-payers who pay their taxes or municipal dues within the specified delay, shall have the benefit of such reduction as the council may determine.

The secretary-treasurer shall give public notice of this resolution".

**14.** Paragraph *a* of article 5732 of the Revised Statutes, 5732 R.S.am. 1909, is replaced, for the town, by the following: for the town.

"*a.* On the stock in trade or merchandise of all descriptions kept by merchants and dealers, and exposed for sale in shops, or kept in vaults, store-houses or sheds, on all yards or depots for rough, sawn or manufactured wood or lumber, and on all yards or depots where coal or other articles of commerce are kept for sale, a tax, not exceeding one-half of one per cent on the estimated average value of such stock in trade or other articles of commerce;".

Power to tax stock in trade, etc.

**15.** Article 5751 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is 5751 R.S. re-replaced for the town by the following: placed for the town.

"**5751.** If, after the fifteen days following the demand made under article 5750, the sums due by the persons entered on the collection roll have not been paid, the treasurer may levy them, together with costs, by seizure and sale of all the moveables and effects of such persons, which may be found in the municipality.

Taxes may be levied by seizure and sale.

Whenever a tax or license fee is payable by a pedlar or an itinerant merchant, circus owner, or any person temporarily plying his occupation, business, art, trade or industry, within the limits of the town, if such tax be not paid and such license be not taken out, the amount thereof shall be demanded by the secretary-treasurer or other municipal officer, and, if not paid on demand, it may be levied immediately, with costs, upon all the moveable property and effects, even those exempt from seizure, found in the possession of such person in the town, by means of a warrant signed by the mayor, or pro-mayor, and executed in the same manner as in the case of ordinary taxes".

Special provisions in case of pedlars, &c.

**16.** Article 52 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is 62 Vict. ch. 68, sec. 52, repealed. repealed.

Id., s. 79  
repealed.

**17.** Article 79 of the act 62 Victoria, chapter 68, is repealed.

5298 R.S.  
not to apply  
to the town.

**18.** Article 5298 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, shall not apply to the town.

5695 R.S. not  
to apply to  
the town.

**19.** Article 5695 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, shall not apply to the town.

Provisions  
not to apply  
to the town.

**20.** Articles 5754, 5756, 5757, 5758, 5759, 5760, 5761, 5762, 5763, 5764, 5765, 5766, 5767, 5768, 5769, 5770, 5771, 5772, 5773 and 5774 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, shall not apply to the town.

5793 R. S.  
replaced for  
the town.

**21.** Article 5793 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is replaced, for the town, by the following:

**“5793.** The council, however, cannot, without the consent of the owner, in any manner, injure any canal or the dam of any mill or factory, or divert the course of the water which feeds such canal, mill or factory.

May feed  
waterworks  
system from  
Wattopekah  
or Windsor  
river.

Nevertheless, the town may, without such consent, feed its waterworks system from the waters of the Wattopekah or Windsor river, through an intake pipe not exceeding six inches, inside diameter, provided the town pays annually to each of the parties entitled to the use of such waters the market value of each horsepower or fraction thereof so diverted, calculated at the points where the same would otherwise be utilized by such parties; and provided such waterworks system serves only for domestic, sanitary and fire protection purposes; and in case of dispute as to the market value of the water to be paid for by the town, the Quebec Public Utilities Commission shall decide.”

Town au-  
thorized to  
dispose of  
shares in  
Windsor &  
Brompton  
Bridge Co.

**22.** Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the town is authorized to dispose, gratuitously or otherwise, by resolution of its council, of the shares held by the town in the capital stock of the “Windsor and Brompton Bridge Company”, in order to acquire, with the corporation of the parish of St. François Xavier de Brompton, the rights and property of the said bridge company, in accordance with the provisions of the act 2 George V, chapter 2.

Coming into  
force.

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