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### CHAP. 50

An Act to amend the charter of the city of St. Henri

[Assented to 23rd March, 1900]

**W**HEREAS the city of St. Henri has, by its petition, Preamble.  
represented that it is expedient to amend certain provisions of its charter, 60 Victoria, chapter 62, as amended by the acts 61 Victoria, chapter 55, and 62 Victoria, chapter 61, to confer upon it certain more extended powers and to grant it certain declaratory provisions ;

Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

**1.** The municipal electors who are property owners mentioned in section 481 of the charter of the city of St. Henri, 60 V., c. 62, are the municipal electors who are 60 Victoria, chapter 62, are the municipal electors who are interpreted.  
proprietors who vote and not those who have the right to vote.

**2.** Section 665 of the charter, as enacted by the act 62 Victoria, chapter 61, section 15, is replaced by the following : Id. 665, re-placed.

**“665.** The borrowing powers, heretofore granted to the city, shall be deemed to no longer exist as soon as the Limit of borrowing power declared.  
council shall have borrowed under this act, and all provisions of any previous acts, inconsistent with this act, shall thereupon be deemed to be repealed, saving the right to borrow in accordance with article 490 of the charter, and

provided the issue under this act has attained the limit of the city's borrowing power and for the time only that such limit shall be so reached ; but such of the said provisions as may apply to the registration, privilege, ranking and transfer of any stock or bonds of the city now outstanding, shall continue to have force and effect as respects such stock and bonds only."

Id. 27, re-  
placed.  
End of term  
of office of  
mayor.

**3.** Section 27 of the charter is replaced by the following :

"**27.** The term of office of the mayor shall end at the opening of the first general or special session of the council held after the election for the mayoralty."

Id. 28, re-  
placed.  
End of term  
of office of  
aldermen.

**4.** Section 28 of the charter is replaced by the following :

"**28.** The same rule applies to the aldermen retiring from office at the date of the annual elections for aldermen."

Id., 63, re-  
placed.  
Time for elec-  
tion of mayor  
and alder-  
men.

**5.** Section 63 of the charter is replaced by the following :

"**63.** The election of mayor shall take place every second year in the month of January ; that of aldermen shall take place every year at the same date, under the provisions of sections 158 and 159 of this charter. The mayor shall be elected by the majority of the votes of the municipal electors of the city polled at each election, and the aldermen shall be elected by the majority of the votes of the electors of each ward polled at each election."

How elected.

Id., 160, re-  
placed.  
Term of office  
of mayor and  
how elected.

**6.** Section 160 of the charter is replaced by the following :

"**160.** The mayor shall be elected for two years by the majority of all the municipal electors of the city qualified to vote and having voted at the election ; and the election shall be by ballot, according to the provisions hereinabove set forth for the election of aldermen, *mutatis mutandis*, with this difference that an elector, qualified to vote in more than one ward of the city, can vote only once for mayor.

Polls.

The polls in which votes shall be registered for the election of aldermen in each ward, shall be at the same time the polls for the election of mayor."

Id., 436, re-  
placed.  
Interest on  
taxes.

**7.** Section 436 of the charter is replaced by the following :

"**436.** Taxes bear interest, at the rate of six per cent., per annum, from the expiration of the delay during which they ought to be paid, without its being for such purpose necessary that a special demand of payment be made.

Not to be re-  
mitted.

Neither the municipal council nor its officers can remit such interest.

The council shall have power by resolution to that effect to grant a discount, the percentage whereof, not exceeding five per cent., shall be determined by the council, on all taxes, dues, and assessments due the city, provided they be paid before the date fixed by the resolution. Discount on taxes.

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

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