

CAP. XXXVII

An Act to amend the law respecting Companies for
Stoning Roads

[Assented to 15th January, 1898]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of
the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

Arts. added
after R. S.,
5111.

1. The following articles are added after article 5111 of
the Revised Statutes :

Arbitration
in case of
disagree-
ment.

“5111*a*. In case of disagreement respecting the amount
of the annual payment mentioned in article 5086 between
the company and the person interested, if such person be
not a shareholder, the amount of such annual payment
shall also be estimated and established by three arbitra-
tors appointed, as aforesaid, and articles 5108 and 5109
shall also apply in the matter.

Notification
to be given
by company.

Costs in cer-
tain event.

“5111*b*. The company may, previous to the appoint-
ment of arbitrators, notify the opposite party of the amount
which it offers to accept as commutation annually ; and,
whenever the amount established by the award exceeds
the amount so offered to be accepted by the company, the
costs of arbitration shall be borne by the opposite party
otherwise they shall be paid by the company ; but no costs
of advocates or attorneys shall be allowed in either event,
and the arbitrators may proceed summarily and without
taking down evidence or minutes in writing.

Annual pay-
ment of com-
mutation
when due.

“5111*c*. The amount of the annual payment so established
shall be payable annually in advance, in respect of the pro-
perty of the person bound to the maintenance of the exist-
ing road, and shall continue to be payable, for five years as
respects properties the frontage of which upon the road is
situated in incorporated cities, towns or villages, and
for ten years as respects other properties, notwithstanding
any changes in ownership.”
