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Bill 796

**An Act to replace the name of the
electoral division of Arthabaska by
the name "Arthabaska-L'Érable"**

Introduction

**Introduced by
Mr. Eric Lefebvre
Member for Arthabaska**

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EXPLANATORY NOTES

This bill replaces the name of the electoral division of Arthabaska by the name “Arthabaska-L’Érable” to make the name of the electoral division more representative of the territory it covers.

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AN ACT TO REPLACE THE NAME OF THE ELECTORAL DIVISION OF ARTHABASKA BY THE NAME “ARTHABASKA-L’ÉRABLE”

AS the electoral division of Arthabaska comprises municipalities that are part of the regional county municipality of Arthabaska and all of the municipalities that are part of the regional county municipality of L’Érable;

AS the name “Arthabaska” is not representative of the territory covered by the electoral division;

AS it is appropriate to foster a sense of belonging in all of the citizens of the electoral division;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

- 1.** The name assigned to the electoral division of Arthabaska is replaced by the name “Arthabaska-L’Érable”.
- 2.** Section 1 has the same effect as if the name “Arthabaska-L’Érable” had been assigned to that electoral division by the Commission de la représentation under section 18 of the Election Act (chapter E-3.3).

The Commission is required, within 30 days after the date of coming into force of this Act, to see to the publication of the list of electoral divisions updated with the modification provided for in section 1. The second paragraph of section 29 of the Election Act is, in all other respects, applicable to that publication.

- 3.** Despite any contrary or inconsistent provision of the Election Act, the list of electoral divisions published under the second paragraph of section 2 comes into force on the day the 43rd Legislature ends.

- 4.** This Act comes into force on (*insert the date of assent to this Act*).

