

# NATIONAL ASSEMBLY

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THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE

Bill 494

An Act to amend the Act respecting the remuneration of elected municipal officers

Introduction

Introduced by Mr. Marc Picard Member for Chutes-de-la-Chaudière

#### **EXPLANATORY NOTES**

The purpose of this bill is to delay the coming into force of a by-law setting the remuneration of the members of the council of a municipality until after the general election following the adoption of the by-law. A by-law reducing the remuneration of council members, however, may come into force at the time specified in the by-law.

A by-law adopted in the year preceding a general election must be confirmed by resolution of the council at the council's first sitting after the election.

#### LEGISLATION AMENDED BY THIS BILL:

- Act respecting the remuneration of elected municipal officers (R.S.Q., chapter T-11.001).

## **Bill 494**

# AN ACT TO AMEND THE ACT RESPECTING THE REMUNERATION OF ELECTED MUNICIPAL OFFICERS

### THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

**1.** Section 2 of the Act respecting the remuneration of elected municipal officers (R.S.Q., chapter T-11.001) is amended by replacing the sixth paragraph by the following paragraph:

"A by-law under the first paragraph may not come into force before the general election following its adoption. However, if the by-law reduces the remuneration of council members, it comes into force at the time specified in the by-law."

- **2.** Section 8 of the Act is amended by striking out subparagraph 4 of the second paragraph.
- **3.** The Act is amended by inserting the following section after section 9:
- **"9.1.** A by-law adopted in the year preceding a general election must be confirmed by resolution of the council at the first sitting of the council following the election."
- **4.** Section 10 of the Act is amended by replacing "sections 7 to 9" by "sections 7 to 9.1".
- **5.** This Act comes into force on (insert the date of assent to this Act).