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Introduction

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WHEREAS Ville de Shawinigan results from the amalgamation of the former cities of Grand-Mère, Shawinigan and Shawinigan-Sud, Municipalité du Lac-à-la-Tortue, Village de Saint-Georges and the parishes of Saint-Gérard-des-Laurentides and Saint-Jean-des-Piles ;

Whereas special legislative provisions governing the former cities of Grand-Mère and Shawinigan apply to the city ;

Whereas it is in the interest of the city that certain of those special legislative provisions governing the former cities of Grand-Mère and Shawinigan be amended and that other special powers be granted to it ;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS :

1. Section 5 of the Act respecting the city of Grand-Mère (1993, chapter 90) is amended by adding the following paragraph after the first paragraph :

“The city may, by a by-law approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Greater Montréal, increase the maximum amount of the expenses it may incur under the first paragraph.”

2. The term of a lease of premises in an industrial rental building erected on the immovables listed in Schedule A and of which the city is the owner or lessee may exceed three years.

3. Where the city enters into an agreement with a lessee to terminate the lease in an industrial rental building erected on the immovables listed in Schedule A of which the city is the owner or lessee to relocate the lessee to another building situated in its territory of which the city is the owner or lessee, the city may, in addition to assuming the costs of relocation, pay the lessee reasonable compensation.

4. The city may become surety for a non-profit organization or grant a non-profit organization a subsidy to facilitate the construction or operation of industrial rental buildings on the immovables listed in Schedules A, B, C and D and in Schedule A to the Act respecting Ville de Shawinigan (1997, chapter 114).

- 5.** To allow an industrial enterprise that is a lessee in an immovable owned by the city to expand, the city may lease an industrial building situated on an immovable appearing in Schedule A and sublease it to that enterprise.
- 6.** The expenditures incurred for the subsidies granted to facilitate the operation of an industrial building referred to in section 4 and pursuant to the Act respecting the city of Grand-Mère (1993, chapter 90) may not exceed, during a fiscal year, the amount the city fixes by by-law. The by-law shall be submitted for approval to the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Greater Montréal if the amount the city fixes accounts for more than 3% of the expenditures provided for in the budget of the city for the fiscal year concerned.
- 7.** The city is deemed to have had the powers granted to it by sections 1 and 2 since 4 November 1993 and the powers granted to it by sections 3 to 6 of this Act since 24 February 1997, and those powers are granted to it notwithstanding the Act respecting municipal industrial immovables (R.S.Q., chapter I-0.1) and the Municipal Aid Prohibition Act (R.S.Q., chapter I-15).
- 8.** The city is considered to be a regional county municipality for the purposes of the Civil Protection Act (2001, chapter 76).
- 9.** This Act does not affect cases pending on the dates mentioned in section 7.
- 10.** This Act comes into force on *(insert here the date of assent to this Act)*.

SCHEDULE A

Complexe Jacques-Marchand and Mégatech (Ville de Shawinigan, Grand-Mère sector)

The parts of lots 73 and 74 of the cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore, registration division of Shawinigan, owned by Ville de Grand-Mère on 24 February 1997, subdivision 5 of lot 73, lots 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 746, 747 and 748 and subdivisions 1 to 7 of lot 749 of the said cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore.

SCHEDULE B

New economy centre (Ville de Shawinigan, Grand-Mère sector)

Subdivision 19 of lot 106 of the cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore,
registration division of Shawinigan.

SCHEDULE C

Industrial park 1 (Ville de Shawinigan, Shawinigan sector)

The lots and parts of lots situated in the sector bounded as follows :

starting from the intersection of the dividing line between lots 31 and 32 of the official cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore, registration division of Shawinigan, with the bank of the Saint-Maurice river ;

thence, northerly along the said dividing line between lots 31 and 32 to 11^e Avenue (lot 31-104) ;

thence, easterly along 11^e Avenue to the intersection of the boundary of lots 30 and 31 ;

thence, northerly to Royal boulevard ;

thence, easterly in part along Royal boulevard to the intersection of 67^e Rue and, still easterly, in part along a line being the extension of Royal boulevard, for a distance of approximately 500.00 metres to the intersection with the dividing line between lots 24 and 25 ;

thence, southerly along the dividing line between lots 24 and 25 to the Saint-Maurice river ;

thence, westerly along the bank of the Saint-Maurice river to the intersection of the dividing line between lots 31 and 32.

The said land is bounded :

northerly, in part by 11^e Avenue (lot 31-104), in part by Royal boulevard and in part by the remaining parts of lots 27, 26 and 25 ;

easterly, by the dividing line between lots 24 and 25 ;

southerly, by the Saint-Maurice river ;

westerly, in part by the dividing line between lots 31 and 32 and in part by the dividing line between lots 30 and 31.

SCHEDULE D

Decontaminated land situated in the sector of des Cèdres avenue and de la Transmission avenue (Ville de Shawinigan, Shawinigan sector)

The lots and parts of lots situated in the sector bounded as follows :

starting from the intersection of the dividing line between lots 39 and 40 of the cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore, registration division of Shawinigan, with the bank of the Saint-Maurice river ;

thence, southwesterly along the bank of the Saint-Maurice river to the extension of 11^e Rue ;

thence, easterly for a distance of approximately 400.00 metres to the intersection of des Cèdres avenue ;

thence, northerly along des Cèdres avenue to its intersection with de la Transmission avenue ;

thence, northeasterly, in part along de la Transmission avenue and in part along a power transmission line being the extension of de la Transmission avenue to the intersection of the dividing line between lots 39 and 40 ;

thence, southeasterly along the said dividing line between lots 39 and 40 to the intersection with the bank of the Saint-Maurice river.

The said land is bounded :

northeasterly, by the dividing line between lots 39 and 40 ;

southeasterly, by the Saint-Maurice river ;

southerly, by the extension line of 11^e Rue for a distance of approximately 400.00 metres ;

westerly, by des Cèdres avenue ;

northerly, in part by de la Transmission avenue and in part by the power transmission line.