Municipal Affairs

Gouvernement du Québec

O.C. 727-99, 23 June 1999

An Act respecting municipal territorial organisation (R.S.Q., c. O-9)

Rectification of the territorial boundaries of Ville de Saint-Romuald and Ville de Saint-Nicolas and validation of acts performed by those towns

WHEREAS the territorial boundaries of Ville de Saint-Romuald and Ville de Saint-Nicolas are imprecise;

WHEREAS those towns do not know which one has jurisdiction over the territory situated in an aquatic environment at the mouth of Rivière Chaudière;

WHEREAS the territory has been administered by both towns since 1962;

WHEREAS since that date, the towns have always acted in respect of that territory as if it were theirs;

WHEREAS in accordance with section 179 of the Act respecting municipal territorial organization (R.S.Q., c. O-9), the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Greater Montréal transmitted to both towns a notice containing the proposed rectification and the validation of acts she intended to submit to the Government;

WHEREAS both towns informed the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Greater Montréal that they agreed to the proposal;

WHEREAS under sections 178 and 192 of the Act respecting municipal territorial organization, the Government may rectify the territorial boundaries of the towns to clarify them and validate their acts performed without right by them in respect of a territory not subject to their jurisdiction;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, upon the recommendation of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Greater Montréal:

To rectify the territorial boundaries of Ville de Saint-Romuald and Ville de Saint-Nicolas and to validate the acts performed by both towns, as follows:

1. The description of the territorial boundaries of Ville de Saint-Nicolas comprises the territory described by the Minister of Natural Resources on 15 June 1998; the description appears as Schedule A to this Order in Council.

- 2. The description of the territorial boundaries of Ville de Saint-Romuald does not comprise the territory described in Schedule A.
 - 3. The rectification has effect from 3 February 1962.
- 4. The acts performed by Ville de Saint-Nicolas and by Ville de Saint-Romuald with respect to the territory described in Schedule A are validated.
- 5 This Order in Council comes into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

MICHEL NOËL DE TILLY, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

OFFICIAL DESCRIPTION PREPARED TO RECTIFY A PART OF THE TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF VILLE DE SAINT-NICOLAS AND VILLE DE SAINT-ROMUALD, IN THE MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE DE COMTÉ DES CHUTES-DE-LA-CHAUDIÈRE

The common boundary, following the rectification, for the section comprised between the south shore of the St. Lawrence River and the centre line of the said river is described as follows: starting from the meeting point of the centre line of Rivière Chaudière and from the low tide mark of the St. Lawrence River, corresponding to the middle of the mouth of Rivière Chaudière; thence, a straight line perpendicular to the south shore of the St. Lawrence River to the centre line of the St. Lawrence River.

The aquatic territory comprised between the line described above and a straight line originating from the same meeting point and parallel to the general direction of the side boundaries of lots northwesterly to the centre line of the St. Lawrence River, is part of Ville de Saint-Nicolas.

Ministère des Ressources naturelles Service de l'arpentage Charlesbourg, 15 June 1998

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