

Gouvernement du Québec

**O.C. 665-2007, 14 August 2007**

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

Rectification of the territorial boundaries of  
Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford and valida-  
tion of acts performed by the municipality

WHEREAS the territorial boundaries of Municipalité  
de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford are imprecise;

WHEREAS the municipality was unaware that the ter-  
ritory made up of lot 214 of Rang III of the cadastre of  
the township of Ware was not within its territorial bounda-  
ries;

WHEREAS the territory became an unorganized terri-  
tory at the time part of the territory of the mission of  
Sainte-Rose-de-Watford was annexed to the territory of  
Paroisse de Sainte-Justine in 1892, because an omission  
to include lot 214 of Rang III of the cadastre of the  
township of Ware was made in the description of the  
territorial boundaries of that parish and the omission  
was reproduced at the time of the constitution of  
Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford in 1897, that  
municipality being a dismantlement of Paroisse de Sainte-  
Justine;

WHEREAS Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford  
acted in respect of the territory as if it had jurisdiction  
over the territory;

WHEREAS Municipalité régionale de comté des  
Etchemins did not act as a local municipality in respect  
of the territory;

WHEREAS the Minister of Municipal Affairs and  
Regions transmitted to Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-  
Watford and to the regional county municipality, pursu-  
ant to section 179 of the Act respecting municipal terri-  
torial organization (R.S.Q., c. O-9), a notice containing  
the proposed rectification and validation of acts the  
Minister intended to submit to the Government;

WHEREAS the municipalities have informed the  
Minister that they consent to the proposed rectification;

WHEREAS the Government may, under sections 178  
and 192 of the Act respecting municipal territorial  
organization, rectify the territorial boundaries of a

municipality and validate the acts performed by the  
municipality in respect of a territory not subject to its  
jurisdiction;

IT IS ORDERED, therefore, on the recommendation of  
the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Regions:

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de  
Sainte-Rose-de-Watford be rectified so that the territory  
of Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford includes the  
territory described by the Minister of Natural Resources  
and Wildlife on 10 May 2006, that description appearing  
as a Schedule to this Order in Council;

THAT the rectification have effect from 27 January  
1897;

THAT no allegation of illegality may be raised against  
the acts performed by Municipalité de Sainte-Rose-de-  
Watford as of that date until the date of coming into  
force of this Order in Council, on the ground that the  
municipality had no jurisdiction over the territory  
described in the Schedule.

GÉRARD BIBEAU,  
*Clerk of the Conseil exécutif*

OFFICIAL DESCRIPTION PREPARED FOR  
THE RECTIFICATION OF A PART OF THE  
TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF MUNICIPALITÉ  
DE SAINTE-ROSE-DE-WATFORD, IN  
MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE DE COMTÉ DES  
ETCHEMINS

The following territory, namely lot 214 of the cadas-  
tre of the township of Ware, its future subdivisions and  
the public road without cadastral designation adjacent  
on the southeast to the said lot that are part of Municipalité  
de Sainte-Rose-de-Watford in Municipalité régionale de  
comté des Etchemins, the whole within the perimeter  
commencing at the apex of the north angle of the said  
lot, along the following lines and demarcations: south-  
easterly, the northeast line of the said lot and its exten-  
sion to the southeast side of the right-of-way of the  
public road (shown on the original); southwesterly, the  
southeast side of the said right-of-way to the southeast-  
erly extension of the southwest line of the said lot;  
northwesterly, the said extension, then the southwest  
line of the said lot; lastly, northeasterly, the northwest  
line of the said lot to the point of commencement.

Ministère des Ressources naturelles et de la Faune  
Office of the Surveyor-General of Québec  
Service des levés officiels et des limites administratives

Québec, 10 May 2006

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Surveyor-General of Québec at the Ministère des  
Ressources naturelles et de la Faune

Québec, 16 May 2006

(signed) JEAN-PIERRE LACROIX  
for the Minister

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