Municipal Affairs

Gouvernement du Québec

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

Rectification of the territorial boundaries of the municipalities of La Minerve and Labelle and validation of acts performed by Municipalité de Labelle

WHEREAS two parts of territories situated on the east side of Lac Labelle remain under the jurisdiction of Municipalité de La Minerve while, in fact, Municipalité de Labelle ensures its administration;

WHEREAS the situation results from an error affecting the territory described in Schedule A that occurred during a cadastral operation in 1952;

WHEREAS the error concerning the territory described in Schedule B results from the annexation of part of the territory of Municipalité de La Minerve to the territory of the township of Joly in 1921;

WHEREAS the township of Joly administered without jurisdiction the territories referred to in Schedules A and B of this Order in Council;

WHEREAS the same errors were repeated in the description of the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de Labelle in the amalgamation of Village de Labelle and the township of Joly in 1973;

WHEREAS, after the amalgamation, Municipalité de Labelle continued to administer the territories under the jurisdiction of Municipalité de La Minerve;

WHEREAS another error occurred in the description of the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de Labelle at the time of the amalgamation;

WHEREAS the description includes part of Lac Labelle in the territory of the new Municipalité de Labelle while the territory described in Schedule C was already included in the territory of Municipalité de La Minerve;

WHEREAS Municipalité de Labelle performed acts in respect of the territory of Municipalité de La Minerve without jurisdiction; WHEREAS the territorial boundaries of those municipalities are inaccurate and imprecise and it is expedient to correct them;

WHEREAS, in accordance with section 179 of the Act respecting municipal territorial organization (R.S.Q., c. O-9), the Minister of Municipal Affairs, Regions and Land Occupancy transmitted to the municipalities concerned a notice containing the proposed rectification, termination of the administration of part of the territory and validation of acts that the Minister intended to submit to the Government;

WHEREAS the municipalities have notified the Minister that they agree with the proposed rectification;

WHEREAS, under sections 178 and 192 of the Act respecting municipal territorial organization, the Government may rectify the territorial boundaries of the municipalities of La Minerve and Labelle and validate any act performed by Municipalité de Labelle in respect of a territory that was not under its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS the Government may also terminate the administration of part of the territory by Municipalité de Labelle;

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

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de Labelle be rectified so that the description of its boundaries include the territory described by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife on 20 August 2010, that description appearing in Schedule A to this Order in Council;

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de La Minerve do not include the territory described in Schedule A;

THAT the acts performed by the township of Joly or Municipalité de Labelle in respect of the territory described in Schedule A be validated from 22 February 1952 and that no allegation of illegality may be raised on the grounds that those municipalities had no jurisdiction in respect of that territory; THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de Labelle be rectified so that the description of its boundaries include the territory described by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife on 20 August 2010, that description appearing in Schedule B to this Order in Council;

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de La Minerve do not include the territory described in Schedule B;

THAT the acts performed by the township of Joly or Municipalité de Labelle in respect of the territory described in Schedule B from 13 December 1921 be validated and that no allegation of illegality may be raised on the grounds that those municipalities had no jurisdiction in respect of that territory;

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de La Minerve be rectified so that the description of its territorial boundaries include the territory described by the Minister of Natural Resources and Wildlife on 20 August 2010, that description appearing in Schedule C to this Order in Council;

THAT the territorial boundaries of Municipalité de Labelle do not include the territory described in Schedule C and that Municipalité de Labelle terminate the administration of that territory;

THAT the acts performed by Municipalité de Labelle in respect of the territory described in Schedule C from 27 January 1973 be validated and that no allegation of illegality may be raised on the grounds that the municipality had no jurisdiction in respect of that territory;

THAT this Order in Council come into force on the date of its publication in the *Gazette officielle du Québec*.

GILLES PAQUIN, Clerk of the Conseil exécutif

SCHEDULE A

OFFICIAL DESCRIPTION PREPARED TO RECTIFY PART OF THE TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF THE MUNICIPALITIES OF LABELLE AND LA MINERVE, IN MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE DE COMTÉ DES LAURENTIDES

A territory currently forming part of Municipalité de La Minerve, in Municipalité régionale de comté des Laurentides, comprising in reference to the cadastre of the township of La Minerve the original lots or parts of those lots, their present and future subdivisions and the hydrographic and topographic entities, the thoroughfares, built-up sites or parts thereof within the perimeter hereinafter described, namely: starting at the meeting point of the east side of the right of way of chemin du Lac-Labelle with the dividing line between the cadastres of the townships of La Minerve and Labelle; thence, successively, the following lines and demarcations: westerly, the dividing line between the said cadastres to the east shore of Lac Labelle; in a general northerly direction, the said shore of Lac Labelle to its meeting point with the southerly extension of the dividing line between ranges 1 and 2 of the cadastre of the township of La Minerve; lastly, southerly, the said extension in original lots 6 and 5B of range 1 of the said cadastre to its meeting point with the east side of the right of way of chemin du Lac-Labelle, then the said east side of the right of way of chemin du Lac-Labelle to the starting point.

Which perimeter defines the territory to rectify in favour of Municipalité de Labelle.

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SCHEDULE B

OFFICIAL DESCRIPTION PREPARED TO RECTIFY PART OF THE TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF THE MUNICIPALITIES OF LABELLE AND LA MINERVE, IN MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE DE COMTÉ DES LAURENTIDES

A territory currently forming part of Municipalité de La Minerve, in Municipalité régionale de comté des Laurentides, comprising in reference to the cadastre of the township of La Minerve the original lots or parts of those lots, their present and future subdivisions and the hydrographic and topographic entities, the thoroughfares, built-up sites or parts thereof within the perimeter hereinafter described, namely: starting at the meeting point of the apex of the northern angle of original lot 16A of range 1 of the cadastre of the township of La Minerve with the southeast shore of Lac Labelle; thence, successively, the following lines and demarcations: southerly, part of the dividing line between the cadastres of the townships of La Minerve and Joly to its meeting point with the easterly extension of the dividing line between original lots 16B and 17A of range 1 of the

cadastre of the township of La Minerve; westerly, the said extension in lot 16A to the southeast shore of Lac Labelle; lastly, northeasterly, the said shore of Lac Labelle to the starting point.

Which perimeter defines the territory to rectify in favour of Municipalité de Labelle.

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SCHEDULE C

OFFICIAL DESCRIPTION PREPARED TO RECTIFY PART OF THE TERRITORIAL BOUNDARIES OF THE MUNICIPALITIES OF LABELLE AND LA MINERVE, IN MUNICIPALITÉ RÉGIONALE DE COMTÉ DES LAURENTIDES

The following territory, namely a water territory comprising part of Lac Labelle, fronting Municipalité de La Minerve, in Municipalité régionale de comté des Laurentides, the whole enclosed within the perimeter starting at the meeting point of the southeast shore of Lac Labelle with the dividing line between the cadastres of the townships of La Minerve and Joly, thence, successively, the following lines and demarcations: southwesterly, the said shore of Lac Labelle to its meeting point with the easterly extension of the dividing line between original lots 16B and 17A of range 1 of the cadastre of the township of La Minerve; westerly, the said extension in Lac Labelle to the centre line of the lake; lastly, northeasterly, the said centre line to the starting point.

Which perimeter defines the territory to rectify in favour of Municipalité de La Minerve.

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