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AN ACT RESPECTING VILLE DE SHAWINIGAN

WHEREAS it is in the interest of Ville de Shawinigan that certain powers be granted to the city ;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS :

- 1.** Ville de Shawinigan is authorized to establish and operate a convention centre.
- 2.** The city may contribute to the construction, establishment and financing of a convention centre. For those purposes, the city may conclude an agreement with any person and lend money or grant any form of assistance to that person, notwithstanding the Municipal Aid Prohibition Act (R.S.Q., chapter I-15).
- 3.** The city may assume the management of a convention centre or conclude an agreement with a third person entrusting that responsibility to that person.
- 4.** The city may acquire the immovable described in Schedule A and transfer or lease it to enable the construction of an accommodation and catering establishment and a parking lot ancillary to the convention centre.
- 5.** Notwithstanding the Act respecting municipal industrial immovables (R.S.Q., chapter I-0.1) and the Municipal Aid Prohibition Act, the city may become surety for a non-profit organization having as its object the construction of industrial buildings on the immovables described in Schedule B.
- 6.** The city may, by by-law, acquire, develop, maintain or manage any railway siding within its territory in order to promote its industrial development.
- 7.** The city is deemed to have had, since 2 September 1997, the powers granted to it by sections 1 to 4 of this Act, and since 3 September 1996, to have had the powers granted to it by section 5 of this Act.
- 8.** This Act does not affect any case pending on 2 September 1997.
- 9.** This Act comes into force on 19 December 1997.

SCHEDULE A

The subdivision 1715 of lot 628 (628-1715) and the subdivision 1443 of lot 628 (628-1443) of the cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore, in the territory of the municipality of Ville de Shawinigan, registration division of Shawinigan.

SCHEDULE B

The lots or parts of lots 604 to 615 of the cadastre of the parish of Sainte-Flore, in the territory of the municipality of Ville de Shawinigan, registration division of Shawinigan, and owned on 3 September 1996 by the said city.