

An Act to legalize certain proceedings of the School Municipality of St. Ferdinand d'Halifax.

WHEREAS valutors were appointed by Edouard Bergeron and others, School Commissioners for the School Municipality of St. Ferdinand d'Halifax, for the purpose of valuing the taxable property within the said Municipality; and whereas the said valutors omitted to make the valuation of certain property belonging to non-dissentients in a dissentient district within the said Municipality; and whereas the valuation roll so made was received inadvertently by the said School Commissioners, who after the time appointed by law levied a rate in the said Municipality based upon the said roll: Whereas also, the said Commissioners entered into engagements in bringing the school law into operation, and a large number of the ratepayers were prompt in paying the tax so levied, while others, by refusing to pay, embarrassed the School Commissioners of the said Municipality, depriving them of the means of meeting their engagements, and the said Commissioners having prayed for the legalization of the said roll as received by them, and of the assessment based thereon, for the years one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, and one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight: And whereas it is expedient to legalize the said roll and the said assessment: Therefore Her Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

I. The valuation roll of the Municipality of St. Ferdinand d'Halifax dated on the twenty-eighth day of the month of August, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, and homologated on the twenty-ninth day of September of the same year, and the assessment and rate based upon the said valuation roll and dated the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, are hereby declared to be and shall be held to have been as valid to all intents and purposes as though they had been made and imposed in accordance with all the regulations prescribed by the Act ninth Victoria, chapter twenty-seven.

Valuation roll and assessment founded upon it declared to be and to have been valid.

II. This Act shall be deemed a public Act.

Public Act.