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Introduction

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WHEREAS it is expedient that certain powers be granted to the Régie d'assainissement des eaux du bassin de La Prairie;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Régie d'assainissement des eaux du bassin de La Prairie may make, with classes of users, special arrangements relating to the use of waste water purification works and to their participation in the financing of the works and in the operating expenses of the Régie, the whole in conformity with any legislative or regulatory provision concerning the environment.

Any municipality in whose territory a user is established may take part in the making of a special arrangement and have rights and obligations thereunder.

2. Notwithstanding the intermunicipal agreement binding the municipalities constituting the Régie, the revenues generated by the special arrangements made by the Régie shall be deducted directly from the expenditures incurred to service the debt and cover the total operating costs of the water purification works.

3. Any claim of the Régie arising from a special arrangement with a user shall be deemed to be a real estate tax chargeable on the immovable in respect of which it is due.

4. Where the Régie cannot make a special arrangement with all the users of a class, it may, notwithstanding the intermunicipal

agreement binding the municipalities constituting the Régie, fix, according to such criteria as it may determine, the share of each municipality, taking account of the revenues referred to in section 2 and of the financial participation of users in their respective territories who have not made special arrangements with the Régie.

5. Agents or employees of the Régie are authorized to visit and examine any movable or immovable property belonging to a user to ascertain that the special arrangements are complied with, and to take samples and carry out control tests. Users have an obligation to allow entry by the agents or employees of the Régie.

6. This Act comes into force on *(insert here the date of assent to this Act)*.