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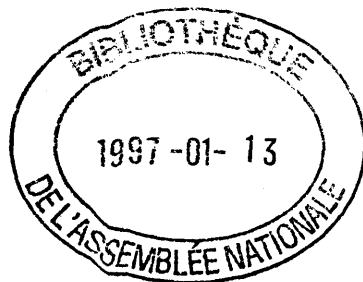
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Introduction

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WHEREAS it is in the interest of Ville de Gatineau that it be granted certain powers;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Section 328 of the Cities and Towns Act (R.S.Q., chapter C-19) is amended for Ville de Gatineau by replacing the first paragraph by the following paragraphs:

“328. Before the first sitting of the council after the coming into force of this bill and, subsequently, before the first sitting of the council following a general election, the mayor shall appoint, from among the members of the council, a chairman to preside at sittings of the council.

If the mayor does not exercise that right, the council shall elect one of its members to preside at sittings of the council until he is replaced.

For the purposes of the election of the chairman of the council, the mayor has a casting vote in the case of a tie.

If the chairman of the council is absent from a sitting of the council, the council shall choose another of its members to preside.”

2. Section 3 of the Act respecting the city of Gatineau (1992, chapter 70) is amended by adding, at the end, the following paragraph:

“The acting mayor shall act as a substitute if a member of the executive committee is absent or unable to act.”

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