

1985, chapter 44

**AN ACT RESPECTING THE BY-ELECTION  
ON 20 JANUARY 1986 IN THE ELECTORAL  
DIVISION OF SAINT-LAURENT**

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**Bill 8**

Introduced by Mr Michel Gratton, Government House Leader and Minister for Electoral Reform

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**Assented to 19 December 1985**

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**Act amended:** None





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*[Assented to 19 December 1985]*

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

Sections  
amended  
for by-  
election

**1.** For the by-election to be held on 20 January 1986 in the electoral division of Saint-Laurent, the Election Act (1984, chapter 51), amended by chapter 27 of the Statutes of 1985, is amended

(1) by replacing section 100 by the following section:

Revision  
offices

**“100.** The revision offices shall be open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of the third week preceding that of the polling.”;

(2) by replacing the word “Wednesday” in the second line of the first paragraph of section 126 by the word “Thursday”;

(3) by replacing the second paragraph of section 160 by the following paragraph:

Official  
offices

**“The official office shall be open from 9 a.m. until 10 p.m., except Wednesday 25 December 1985 and Wednesday 1 January 1986, when it will be closed. It must be accessible to handicapped persons and accommodated in accordance with the norms prescribed by the Chief Electoral Officer.”;**

(4) by replacing subparagraph 1 of the first paragraph of section 459 by the following subparagraph:

“(1) the total of the electors entered on the lists of electors before revision; or”.

Holidays

**2.** Notwithstanding any provision of the Election Act inconsistent herewith, Wednesday 25 December 1985 and Wednesday 1 January 1986 are holidays and any operation relating to the election that shall or may be performed on either of those two days is postponed to the next day.

Coming into  
force

**3.** This Act comes into force on 19 December 1985.