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AS, on 3 March 2009, Ville de Boucherville passed By-law 2009-128 ordering road works and, for that purpose, providing for an expenditure and a loan of up to $5,208,000;

AS the work ordered by By-law 2009-128 was completed and a loan was contracted;

AS, on 12 May 2014, the municipality passed Resolution 140512-42 authorizing reimbursement of several loans before maturity;

AS the desire of the municipal council was to reimburse those loans borne by all of the municipality’s taxpayers;

AS the loan contracted under By-law 2009-128 was reimbursed in full even though a portion of it was to be borne solely by the taxpayers of one part of the municipality’s territory;

AS the municipality wishes to correct this error by repaying to the general fund the amount of $1,058,993, which includes $851,067 in principal and $207,926 as compensation;

AS the municipality should be granted certain powers to that end;

THE PARLIAMENT OF QUÉBEC ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Ville de Boucherville is authorized to levy the following special taxes over a 15-year period:

   (1) an annual tax totalling $512,659 to be apportioned among the taxable immovables included in the tax base described in Schedule 2 to By-law 2009-128 on the basis of their area;

   (2) an annual tax totalling $146,882 to be apportioned among the taxable immovables included in the tax base described in Schedule 3 to By-law 2009-128 on the basis of their area;

   (3) an annual tax totalling $188,395 to be apportioned among the taxable immovables included in the tax base described in Schedule 4 to By-law 2009-128 on the basis of their area; and
(4) an annual tax totalling $211,057 to be apportioned among the taxable immovables included in the tax base described in Schedule 5 to By-law 2009-128 on the basis of their area.

The proceeds from the special taxes levied under the first paragraph are paid into the municipality’s general fund.

2. The municipality may amend the special taxes levied under section 1 by means of a by-law requiring the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Land Occupancy only.

At least 30 days before it is submitted to the Minister, the amending by-law must be published with a notice stating that any person wishing to object to the approval of the by-law must so inform the Minister in writing within the 30 days.

3. This Act has effect from 1 January 2015.