BILL

No. 29 of 1919.

An Act to Validate Assessments made in 1918 by Certain Towns.

(Assented to 1919.)

WHEREAS by chapter 24 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1917, certain amendments were made to *The Town Act* requiring that certain proceedings as to assessment and taxation should be taken earlier in the year than formerly;

And whereas many towns in the province were unable, or failed, in 1918, to comply with the requirements of *The Town Act*, as so amended;

And whereas it is desirable and in the public interest that the assessments so made should be validated in order that all taxes levied as a result may be collected;

Therefore His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, enacts as follows:

- 1. All assessments and taxation proceedings taken by any town in this province, during the year 1918, notwithstanding any noncompliance with any of the requirements of sections 268, 269, 283, 290, 293 or 294 of *The Town Act* or any of them, or noncompliance with any of the sections of the said Act consequent upon noncompliance with the enumerated sections, are hereby declared valid and binding and of the same force and effect as if the requirements of each and all of the said enumerated sections had been strictly complied with.
- 2. All assessments and tax levies made prior to the year 1918, whether as to property within the town limits or within the limits of a town school district and whether made by the town assessor or the school board or an assessor appointed by the said board are hereby validated, confirmed and declared to be legal and binding.

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