Bill No. 77 of 1944.

A BILL TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE AIRDRIE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO
CANCEL OR COMPROMISE CERTAIN ARREARS OF TAXES

Note.

The purpose of this Bill is to give authority to the Board of the Airdrie School District to cancel or compromise certain taxes on the tax roll at the end of the year 1939. During the years 1929 to 1939, through errors and omissions of the secretary-treasurer, the tax roll got into such a position that it did not reflect the true position of the rate-payers. Taxes were paid which were not credited and receipts were given for wrong amounts and taxes received for which no receipts were issued. The School Board has been trying for some years to have matters straightened out and are now asking authority to cancel or compromise the portions of arrears shown on the Schedule and other arrears which may be found to be in the same position, all of which are now considered uncollectible.

W. S. GRAY,

Acting Legislative Counsel.

(This note does not form any part of the Bill but is offered in explanation of its provisions.)

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No. 77 of 1944.

An Act to Authorize the Board of Trustees of the Airdrie School District to Cancel or Compromise Certain Arrears of Taxes.

(Assented to

, 1944.)

WHEREAS during the years 1929 to 1939, inclusive, many errors and omissions were made by the then secretary-treasurer, who is now deceased, in connection with the assessment roll and tax roll of the Airdrie School District;

And whereas there are outstanding on the tax roll with respect to twenty-nine or more parcels of land in the District arrears of taxes and penalties which are disputed and which, after full investigation and audit, the Board is satisfied cannot be collected and should be removed from the tax roll;

And whereas the Board has no authority to cancel or compromise arrears of taxes and has, by petition, requested authority to cancel or compromise the taxes hereinbefore referred to;

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

- 1. The Board of Trustees of the Airdrie School District is hereby authorized and empowered by by-law to cancel or compromise the portions of the amounts outstanding on the tax roll of the District as at December 31st, 1939, which are in dispute as aforesaid, including any penalties which have accrued on the taxes in dispute before or since that date with respect to the parcels set out and described in the Schedule to this Act, and in the approximate amounts set out opposite the description of each parcel, and with respect to any other parcels of land which the Board considers are in the same position with respect to taxes as those described in the Schedule.
- 2. Upon the passing of a by-law pursuant to section 1, the secretary-treasurer of the School District shall amend the tax roll in accordance with the provisions of the by-law and in any cases where arrears of taxes on any of said parcels, including the amounts in dispute, have been reported to the proper municipal authority, namely, the Municipal District of Conrich or the Village of Airdrie under the provisions of any Act for the recovery of taxes,

the secretary-treasurer shall notify the Municipal District of Conrich or the Village of Airdrie, as the case may be, of the amount by which the arrears of taxes as reported to the municipality have been reduced pursuant to the authority given by the Act, and each municipality concerned shall amend its records accordingly.

3. This Act shall come into force on the day upon which it is assented to.

SCHEDULE.

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