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CHAPTER 97

An Act respecting the Township of
North Dorchester

Assented to December 3rd, 1981

WHEREAS The Corporation of the Township of North Dorchester hereby represents that it must consider, discuss and vote upon certain questions with respect to sewage works for the Village of Dorchester in the said Township; that four of the five members of the council of the Township are property owners in the Village directly affected by these considerations and have a direct pecuniary interest therein; that the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* requires that a member of council who has a direct pecuniary interest in the matter with which the council is concerned should disclose his interest and not vote or take part in the consideration or discussion of or vote on any question with respect to that matter; that such disclosure and abstention from considering, discussing and voting on the matter would result in the failure to obtain a quorum; that it is desirable and in the best interests of the Township that the council be enabled to consider, discuss and vote on any matter relating to sewage works in the Village of Dorchester, notwithstanding the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*; and whereas The Corporation of the Township of North Dorchester hereby applies for special legislation in respect of the foregoing; and whereas it is expedient to grant the application;

Preamble

R.S.O. 1980,
c. 305

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

1. In this Act,

Interpre-
tation

- (a) "Corporation" means The Corporation of the Township of North Dorchester;
- (b) "council" means the council of the Corporation;
- (c) "direct pecuniary interest" means direct pecuniary interest within the meaning of the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*.

Non-
application of
R.S.O. 1980,
c. 305

2. Notwithstanding the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*, where a member of council has a direct pecuniary interest in a matter related to sewage works in the Village of Dorchester, he shall be permitted to take part in the consideration or discussion of, or vote on, any question with respect to any contract, proposed contract, or any other matter related to the provision of sewage works for the Village of Dorchester.

Commence-
ment

3.—(1) This Act comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent.

Repeal

(2) This Act is repealed on the 31st day of December, 1984.

Short title

4. The short title of this Act is the *Township of North Dorchester Act, 1981*.