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CHAPTER 119

**An Act to amend
The Residential Property Tax
Reduction Act, 1968**

*Assented to November 13th, 1970
Session Prorogued November 13th, 1970*

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:

1. *The Residential Property Tax Reduction Act, 1968* is ^{1968,} amended by adding thereto the following sections: ^{c. 118,} amended

8a.—(1) Commencing in the year 1970 and in respect of each year thereafter, the Treasurer of Ontario shall pay the sum of \$50 to each person whose principal place of residence is in Ontario and who is entitled, on any date prescribed by the Minister, to a payment by the Government of Canada of a monthly guaranteed income supplement under Part II of the *Old Age Security Act* (Canada). <sup>Supple-
mentary
tax
assistance
to certain
pensioners</sup>

R.S.C. 1952,
c. 200

(2) Where a person is eligible for a payment under subsection 1 and he or his spouse is entitled to a reduction in municipal taxes under section 2 in respect of the property in which he or she resides, and where such property is occupied by no other person except a spouse who is not eligible for a payment under subsection 1, such person shall, subject to subsection 3, be entitled to be paid by the Treasurer of Ontario for each year, upon submission of an application, in a form prescribed by the Minister, not later than the end of the year following the year in respect of which the application was made, an additional sum equal to, <sup>Additional
payment</sup>

(a) where the person or his spouse is assessed for such property, the amount of municipal taxes payable by such person or spouse after the reduction made under section 2 in that year for such property further reduced by the sum of \$50; or

(b)

(b) where the person or his spouse rents such property, one-fifth of the amount of the yearly rent payable for such property by such person or spouse on any date prescribed by the Minister, reduced by the sum of \$50.

Maximum
additional
payment
\$50

(3) No payment under subsection 2 shall exceed \$50.

Regulations

8b. The Lieutenant Governor in Council may, upon the recommendation of the Minister, make regulations extending the eligibility for payments under section 8a to any other person entitled to a payment by the Government of Canada of a monthly guaranteed income supplement under Part II of the *Old Age Security Act* (Canada).

R.S.C. 1952,
c. 200

Idem

8c. The Minister may make regulations,

(a) prescribing a date or dates for the purposes of subsections 1 and 2 of section 8a;

(b) prescribing forms of application for the purposes of section 8a;

(c) generally for the administration of section 8a.

Commence-
ment

2. This Act comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent.

Short title

3. This Act may be cited as *The Residential Property Tax Reduction Amendment Act, 1970 (No. 2)*.