



CHAPTER 80.

An Act to amend the Vancouver Charter.

[Assented to 18th March, 1960.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS the City of Vancouver has presented a petition praying that the *Vancouver Charter* be amended:

And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition:

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

Short title.

1. This Act may be cited as the *Vancouver Charter Amendment Act, 1960*.

Amends s. 272.

2. Section 272 is amended by adding the following as clause (r):—

“(r) Regulating the presence of boys or girls less than eighteen years of age in poolrooms, public dance-halls, billiard-halls, or bowling-alleys.”

Amends s. 303.

3. Section 303 is amended by adding the following as clause (f):—

“(f) For regulating persons engaged in the business of collecting garbage, ashes, refuse, and other discarded matter, and regulating the means of disposal employed by persons who dispose of their own garbage, ashes, refuse, and other discarded matter.”

Amends s. 306.

4. Section 306 is amended by striking out subclause (v) of clause (k) and substituting the following:—

“(v) For providing by by-law for the payment of a fee upon application for a development permit, which fee may vary according to the type of development for which application is made.”

Amends s. 318.

5. (1) Section 318 is amended by inserting the words “traffic signs” immediately after the word “such” in the first line of clause (a).

(2) Section 318 is further amended by inserting the words “ or play-ground crossings ” immediately after the words “ school crossings ” in the third line of clause (b).

Amends s. 333. **6.** Section 333 is amended by adding the following as clause (d):—
“(d) Provide for a minimum fine for an offence under any by-law.”

Amends s. 369. **7.** Section 369 is amended by inserting the following as subsection (1) and renumbering the present section as subsection (2):—
“(1) The real-property assessment roll, as corrected, revised, or confirmed, shall be finally passed by the Court of Revision not later than the twenty-eighth day of February, unless such time shall be extended by a Judge of the Supreme Court.”

Amends s. 398. **8.** Section 398, as enacted by chapter 85 of the Statutes of 1957, is amended by adding the following as subsection (7):—
“(7) ‘ Close-circuit television company ’ includes a person operating for a fee or charge a television-signal receiving antenna or similar device, or equipment for the transmission of television signals to television receivers of subscribers, or any or all of such devices and equipment.”

Amends s. 500. **9.** Section 500, as amended by chapter 85 of the Statutes of 1957, is further amended by adding the following as subsection (3):—
“(3) With respect to collective parking projects, the cost of such works, improvements, or service may include the cost of repairs, maintenance, electrical energy, and a sum equal to taxes.”

Amends s. 506. **10.** (1) Section 506 is amended by striking out the word “ cost ” in subclause (iv) of clause (b) of paragraph (2) and substituting the words “ annual rate ”.
(2) Section 506 is further amended by striking out the words “ one-third ” in the eighteenth and nineteenth lines of clause (b) of paragraph (2) and substituting the words “ more than one-half ”.

Amends s. 507. **11.** Section 507 is amended by striking out the words “ the Council, under the provisions of the *Town Planning Act* ” where they appear in the sixth and seventh lines of subsection (1), and substituting the word “ by-law ”.

Amends s. 510. **12.** Section 510 is amended by adding to subsection (3) the following words: “ Such complaints shall be limited to the matters over which the Court of Revision has jurisdiction as set out in section 511.”

Amends s. 568. **13.** Section 568, as enacted by chapter 107 of the Statutes of 1959, is amended as follows:—
(1) By striking out the word “ thirty ” in the fourth line of subsection (3) and substituting the word ninety ”.
(2) By striking out the words “ No structural alterations ” in the first line of subsection (4) and substituting the words “ No additions or structural alterations ”.

(3) By adding the following as subsection (6):—

“(6) A change in the non-conforming use of land or buildings may be permitted in accordance with the provisions of the Zoning and Development By-law.”

Amends s. 573. **14.** Section 573, as enacted by chapter 107 of the Statutes of 1959, is amended as follows:—

(1) By striking out the words “by any applicant for a development permit” in the first line of clause (b) of subsection (1) and substituting the words “by any person”.

(2) By adding the following as subsection (7):—

“(7) In allowing an appeal, the Board may impose such restrictions, limitations, or conditions as may seem to it to be desirable and proper in the circumstances.”

Amends s. 209. **15.** Section 209 is amended by adding the following words: “Provided, however, that the Acting-Mayor shall not take the place of the Mayor as Chairman of the Board of Administration unless the aldermanic member of the Board is absent from the city or otherwise unable to act as Chairman of the Board.”