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RE: BY-LAW NO. 7447 - BURNABY COUNCIL INDEMNITY BY-LAW NO. 2, 1979

The following is a report from the Municipal Treasurer re the above.

RECOMMENDATION

1. THAT the recommendation of the Municipal Treasurer be adopted.

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1979 December 06

TO: MUNICIPAL MANAGER

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FROM: MUNICIPAL TREASURER

RE: BY-LAW NO. 7447 - BURNABY COUNCIL INDEMNITY BY-LAW NO. 2, 1979

RECOMMENDATION

1. THAT By-law No. 7447, Burnaby Council Indemnity By-law No. 2, 1979, be amended to permit it to come into force and effect on 1979 December 03, rather than the date shown in the by-law.

REPORT

On 1979 November 05 Council passed the following motion:

"THAT the Council of The Corporation of the District of Burnaby increase its 1979 annual indemnity by 7.5 percent effective 1980 January 01."

By-law No. 7447 was duly passed incorporating the above recommendation, to come into force and effect on the first day of 1980 January.

The indemnity provided by this by-law enacted pursuant to Section 200 of the Municipal Act is an annual indemnity. It may be paid out in one lump sum or in installments, as the case may be. For the convenience of members of Council, it is distributed in twelve equal installments.

However, commencing with 1977, the term of office for Mayor and Aldermen was changed from noon on the first Monday after the first day of January, or from the time of swearing in, whichever is later, until noon of the first Monday after the first day of January two years later to the equivalent periods in the month of December in the respective years. Payments of indemnities made to Council since 1977 December 03 have been made on a monthly basis from that date, up to and including the month of 1979 November, and the enactment of the above mentioned by-law leaves the Treasurer without authority to make further payments to members of Council before 1980 January 01. In other words, unless the by-law is amended, no payments can be made for the month of December, and in 1981 a full year's indemnity must be paid in the eleven month period preceeding the date of installing the new Council.

The Municipal Solicitor concurs in the recommendation contained in this report. To expedite matters, the amending by-law has been prepared to accompany this report on the agenda of Council of 1979 December 10 for their consideration.

  
MUNICIPAL TREASURER

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cc: Municipal Solicitor  
Municipal Clerk