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**An Act to authorize the payment of a certain sum of Money to compensate for certain services performed by Benjamin Ecuyer. (14th March, 1829.)**

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Whereas a certain judgment of His Majesty's Court of King's Bench, for the District of Quebec, rendered in the term thereof, holden in October, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, at the suit of Benjamin Ecuyer, of Quebec, Land-Surveyor, against the Commissioners of Internal Communications for the County of Dorchester, in the District of Quebec, whereby it was considered and adjudged that the said Commissioners should pay to the said Benjamin Ecuyer, a certain sum of money for services by him performed in and about the laying out of the Road commonly called the Kenebec Road in the said District of Quebec, and making plans of the said Road, with costs of suit, remains unsatisfied and cannot be enforced; and whereas it is just and necessary to indemnify the said Benjamin Ecuyer in the premises, May it therefore please your Majesty that it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Lower-Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great-Britain, intituled, "An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, 'An Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North-America,' and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province;" And it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that it shall be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or Person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, by a Warrant or Warrants under his Hand to authorize the payment, out of any unappropriated monies in the Hands of the Receiver General of this Province for the time being, or which may hereafter come into his Hands, of the sum of seventy-four pounds and nine pence, currency, to the said Benjamin Ecuyer, to indemnify him for the loss which he would otherwise sustain by the impossibility of carrying the said Judgment into effect.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the due application of the sum of money by this Act authorized to be paid, shall be accounted for to His Majesty, his Heirs and Successors through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, for the time being in such manner and form as His Majesty, his Heirs and Successors shall be pleased to direct.