

The Provincial Statutes of Lower-Canada, Being the fourth session of the fourth Provincial Parliament of Lower-Canada. Quebec: P. E. Desbarats, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1808.

48 George III – Chapter 7

An Act to permit the Provincial Court of Appeals to be holden and kept in such place as the Governor shall appoint. (14th April, 1808.)

Whereas in and by an Act made and passed in the thirty-ninth year of His Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for erecting Court Houses with proper Offices in the several Districts of Quebec and Montreal, and for defraying the expences thereof," It is amongst other things enacted, that the Provincial Court of Appeals and divers other Courts in the said Act particularly mentioned, shall be holden and kept in the Court Houses, in the said Districts respectively, any Law, custom or usage to the contrary notwithstanding. And whereas it may be necessary that the Provincial Court of Appeals should occasionally be holden and kept elsewhere. Be it therefore 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 of 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 from and after the passing of this Act, the Provincial Court of Appeals shall be holden and kept in such place and places, within the City of Quebec, as the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, for time being, by Warrant, under his Hand and Seal at Arms, directed to the Clerk of the said Provincial Court of Appeals, shall, from time to time, appoint, any thing in the above in part recited Act contained, to the contrary notwithstanding.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that when and so often, as the Governor, Lieutenant Governor or person administering the Government of this Province, for the time being, shall, by such Warrant as aforesaid, appoint any place as aforesaid, for the purpose aforesaid, it shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Provincial Court of Appeals, and he is hereby required, forthwith to give public notice in the Quebec Gazette, of the place wherein the Province Court of Appeals, under and by virtue of such Warrant, will be kept and holden.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that this Act shall continue and be in force until the first day of January, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ten, and from thence to the end of the next Session of the Provincial Parliament, and no longer.