

The Provincial Statutes of Lower-Canada, Being the third session of the eleventh Provincial Parliament of Lower-Canada. Quebec: P. E. Desbarats, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty, 1823.

3 George IV – Chapter 3

An Act to make further provision for the Lieutenant-Governor of this Province, during his residence in this Province. (22d March, 1823.)

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Whereas Your Majesty's Representative in this Province, the Governor in Chief thereof, hath, by a Message to both Houses of the Provincial Parliament, in the present Session of the same, been graciously pleased to signify that it is expedient to augment the Salary of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of this Province, to enable him to live in this Province, in a manner becoming the station he holds, and that a suitable residence be found for him; We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Commons of Your Majesty's Province of Lower-Canada in Provincial Parliament assembled, most humbly beseech 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 out of the unappropriated monies which now are, or that hereafter may come into the hands of His Majesty's Receiver-General in this Province, the sum of Two thousand five hundred Pounds, sterling, shall be annually appropriated and paid by Warrant or Warrants to His Excellency Sir Francis Nathaniel Burton, the Lieutenant-Governor, during his residence in this Province, in lieu of his present Salary, and that a further sum at the rate of Five hundred Pounds, currency, per annum, shall, out of the funds aforesaid, be also appropriated and charged against the same to defray the expense incurred in providing a furnished house for the residence of the Lieutenant-Governor, aforesaid, from the month of July last; to the first day of May next, and also, that from and after the first day of May next, a further sum of Five hundred Pounds, currency, per annum, for the purpose of providing a furnished house for the accommodation of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor aforesaid, during his residence in this Province, shall in like manner be, and the same is hereby appropriated, and shall annually be paid out of the Funds aforesaid.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the due application of the monies to be paid in virtue of this Act, 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.