

*Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1849.* Fredericton, NB: John Simpson, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1849.

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**An Act to amend an Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Electric Telegraph Company.  
Passed 14th April 1849.**

I. Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, That the seventh section of an Act made and passed in the eleventh year of the Reign of Queen Victoria, intituled *An Act to incorporate the New Brunswick Electric Telegraph Company*, be and the same is hereby repealed; and in lieu thereof,

II. Be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor or Administrator of the Government of this Province for the time being, to have and enjoy at all reasonable and proper times, and in preference to all others whomsoever, the right and privilege of using the said Line of Electric Telegraph and Branches, for the transmission of messages relating to the public service only, whether Imperial or Provincial, from or to any Stations in and throughout the Province; and that the rates of charge therefor, shall not in any one case, or at anyone time, exceed the established and ordinary rates of charge made to private individuals and others for the transmission of private messages.