

Acts of the General Assembly of Her Majesty's Province of New-Brunswick passed in the year 1863. Fredericton, NB: G. E. Fenety, Printer to the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, 1863.

26 Victoria – Chapter 7

An act in amendment of the Act 21st Victoria, Chapter 9, intituled An Act relating to Parish Schools. Passed 20th April, 1863.

Section.

1. Where Parish has been improperly divided into Districts, Board of Education may direct Trustees to re-divide.

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2. Board may limit number of Schools in any Town, &c. Rate-payers may elect Committees for District or School.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Legislative Council, and Assembly, as follows:—

1. Whenever it shall be made appear to the Board of Education, either by the report of the District Inspector or otherwise, that any Parish has been improperly divided into School Districts, the Board may cancel such division, and it shall then be the duty of the Chief Superintendent to direct the Trustees of Schools for such Parish to make a new division thereof, and if deemed necessary he may instruct the District Inspector to assist them. On receipt of such instructions it shall be the duty of the Trustees, as provided by the sixth Section of 'An Act relating to Parish Schools,' forthwith to re-divide such Parish into School Districts, and to file a description of such division with the Clerk of the Peace, or in incorporated Counties, with the Secretary Treasurer of the County, and also to transmit a copy thereof to the Chief Superintendent of Schools, to be filed in his office.

2. The Board of Education may limit the number of Schools to be kept in any town, village, or populous district, in which the Trustees are by the said sixth Section of the said Act empowered to authorize such number of Schools as the wants of the population may require, and make such regulations as may be deemed necessary as to the number of male and female Teachers respectively to be employed therein; and it shall not be lawful for the Trustees to exceed such limit, or depart from such regulations, or to establish a second School in any other School District, without the authority of the Board: Every such town, village, or populous district, shall be considered but one School District, but the rate-payers at any meeting held under the authority of the seventh Section of the said Act, may elect one or more Committees for the whole District, or a Committee for each School, as may be decided by a majority of the electors present.