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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1846.

9 Victoria – Chapter 11 (Session 1)

An Act to continue an Act passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, entitled "An Act to afford relief to Wives and Children deserted by their Husbands and Parents." (Passed 28th April, 1846.)

Whereas an Act was passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, entitled "An Act to afford relief to Wives and Children deserted by their Husbands and Parents," which, as was therein declared, was to continue in force for a limited period; And Whereas by an Act passed in the Fourth Year of Her present Majesty, entitled "An Act to revive an Act passed in the Fourth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled 'An Act to afford relief to Wives and Children deserted by their Husbands and Parents," the first-recited Act was continued for a further period, which will shortly expire; And Whereas it is expedient that the said first recited Act should be further continued:

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, That the said Act entitled "An Act to afford relief to Wives and Children deserted by their Husbands and Parents," shall be and the same is hereby continued in force and effect for the period of Five Years and thence to the end of the then next Session of the Legislature.