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An Act to prevent Acts of the Legislature from taking effect from a time prior to the passing thereof.

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Whereas every Act of the Legislature of this Province in which the commencement thereof is not directed to be from a specific time doth commence from the first day of the session in which such Act is passed: And whereas the same is liable to produce great and manifest injustice: For remedy thereof, 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 Upper Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled an Act to repeal certain parts of Act passed in the fourteenth year of his Majesty's reign, entitled 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 by the authority of the same, That the Secretary of this Province shall endorse on every Act of the Legislature of this Province which shall pass during the present and every future session thereof, immediately after the title of such Act, the day month and year, when the same shall have passed and received the Royal assent, and such indorsement shall be taken to be a part of such Act, and to be the date of its commencement where no other commencement shall be therein provided.