

Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1816. York: R. C. Horne, 1816.

56 George III – Chapter 40

An Act to appropriate a Sum of Money to defray the expences of any Commission for ascertaining Titles to Lands in the Niagara District, which shall or may be authorized by any Act of the Parliament of this Province. Passed 1st April, 1816.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Whereas it is necessary to provide means for carrying into effect the provisions of an Act, passed during the present session of Parliament, entitled “An Act, to afford relief to persons holding or possessing lands, tenements, or hereditaments, in the District of Niagara;” 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 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 an 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 from and out of the Rates and Duties already raised and collected, or hereafter to be raised and collected, to and for the uses of this Province, there be granted to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, the sum of One Thousand Pounds, to be issued out of the funds now remaining, or hereafter to come into the Receiver General’s hands unappropriated, and arising from such rates and duties as last aforesaid, which sum of one thousand pounds, shall be applied and disposed of, in carrying the provision of the said recited Act into effect, in such manner as shall be directed by the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government for the time being, and shall be paid by the Receiver General, in discharge of such warrant or warrants, as shall for the purpose herein set forth, be from time to time issued by the Governor, Lieut. Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province for the time being, and shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty’s Treasury, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors shall be pleased to direct.