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Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1831. York: Robert Stanton, 1831.

1 William IV – Chapter 23

An Act to make good certain Monies paid under the Warrants of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in advance, to defray the Contingencies of the last Session of the Legislature. Passed 16th March, 1831.

Most Gracious Sovereign.

Whereas Your Majesty's faithful Commons did, at the last Session of the Provincial Legislature, adopt an Address to Your Majesty's Lieutenant Governor of this Province, requesting His Excellency to issue His Warrants in favor of the Clerks and other Officers of the Legislature for the payment of certain Contingencies of said Session, which Address was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time forthwith, but for want of sufficient time before the prorogation of the last Session of the Legislature the said Address was not presented: And whereas the Clerk of the House of Assembly, four days after the said prorogation, did transmit to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, attested copies of the proceedings had by the House on the subject of the same for the consideration of His Excellency; and His Excellency having been graciously pleased, in compliance with the request of the House of Assembly as manifested in said proceedings, to issue His Warrants in favour of the Clerks and other Officers of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly for the sum of Three Thousand, two hundred and twelve Pounds, twelve Shillings and three Pence, to enable them to pay the Contingent expenses of the said Session, may it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted: 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 out of the fund or funds subject to the disposition of the Parliament of this Province, now remaining in the hands of the Receiver General and unappropriated, there shall be issued and applied the sum of Three Thousand, two hundred and twelve Pounds, twelve Shillings and three Pence, to make good the same sum in discharge of such Warrant or Warrants which have been issued in manner before mentioned.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the due application of the said sum of Money, pursuant to the direction of this Act, shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, shall be pleased to direct.