

Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1835. Toronto: Robert Stanton, 1835.

5 William IV – Chapter 23

An Act to continue and amend an Act passed in the second year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, "An Act for Incorporating a Joint Stock Company under the style and title of the President, Directors and Company, of the Port Dover Harbour." Passed 16th April, 1835.

Whereas William Wilson, and Colin McNeilledge, Esquires, and others, by their Petition have set forth that the Act of the Legislature of this Province, passed in the second year of the Reign of His Majesty King William the Fourth, entitled, "*An Act for Incorporating a Joint Stock Company under the style and title of the President Directors and Company of the Port Dover Harbour,*" has not been acted upon in consequence of the difficulties heretofore experienced, but which the petitioners consider now to be removed, and that it is stipulated in the said Act that the said Harbour shall be commenced within two years after the passing thereof, which period of time has expired, also that the establishment of said Harbour will be attended with advantage to the Province generally, and to the London and Western Districts particularly, and praying for a renewal of the said Charter or Act of Incorporation, and that the time for commencing the said Harbour may be extended; And whereas it is expedient that the prayer of the said petition should be acceded to, and that the said Act should remain and be in force: Be it therefore 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 the said Act entitled, "*An Act for Incorporating a Joint Stock Company under the style and title of the President, Directors and Company, of the Port Dover Harbour,*" as aforesaid, be and the same is hereby continued from and after the passing of this Act, except in so far as the same may be varied or altered by this Act.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That on the second Monday in the month of May next after the passing of this Act a meeting of the Stockholders of the said Company shall and may be held at Port Dover aforesaid, who, in manner provided in the said Act hereby continued as aforesaid, shall and may proceed to elect Seven persons to be Directors for the purposes of said Act, who shall continue in office until the first Monday in May next after their election, and who during such continuance shall discharge the duties of Directors in the same manner as if they had been elected at an annual election according to the provisions of said Act.

III. Provided always, and be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall not be lawful for the said Company to commence the construction of the said Harbour until

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Shares to the amount of One Thousand Pounds of the Capital Stock of the said Company shall have been taken; And provided likewise, that the said Harbour shall be commenced within two years and completed within seven years after the passing of this Act, otherwise this Act shall cease and be utterly null and void.