

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1839. Toronto: Robert Stanton, 1839.

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An Act to assign duties to certain Commissioners, and for other purposes therein mentioned. Passed 11th May, 1839.

Whereas several Acts have been passed by the Legislature of this Province, authorising grants and loans of money for Macadmizing, making and repairing Roads, and constructing other Public Works: And whereas several Bills have been passed by the House of Assembly during the present Session for the same purposes: And whereas it is advisable to provide that proper Returns shall be from time to time made, by the Commissioners appointed to carry the provisions of the same into effect, to the Lieutenant Governor, of the manner in which the monies have been laid out and expended: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen'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 when any sum of money has been laid out for Macadamizing, making or repairing any Road, or constructing any other Public Works, under the provisions of any Act of this Province, or any Bill which may become a Law during the present Session, it shall be the duty of the Commissioners appointed to carry the provisions of the same into effect, to make such returns of the manner in which the monies advanced have been laid out and expended upon any such Road or other Public Work, with proper receipts and vouchers, and also to give such other information to the Lieutenant Governor as he may from time to time require.

II. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That after any sum of money has been expended upon any such Road, or other Public Works, and the Commissioners neglect to make a return, as in the first clause of this Act is provided, to the satisfaction of the Lieutenant Governor, it shall and may be lawful for the said Lieutenant Governor, and he is hereby authorised, to withhold any further advance to the said Commissioners, until a satisfactory return, with receipts and vouchers as aforesaid, be made to him.

III. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor in his discretion, from time to time, to dismiss any Commissioner appointed under the provisions of any Act now in force, or any Bill which, may become a Law during the present Session, authorising the Macadamization, making or repairing any Road, or the construction of any other Public Work, and to appoint another in his stead.