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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1840. York: Robert Stanton, 1840.

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An Act to make good certain moneys advanced in compliance with the Address of the House of Assembly, during the last Session of the Legislature, for the contingent expenses thereof. Passed 10th February, 1840.

To the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign:

Whereas in pursuance of an Address of Your Commons House of Assembly, during the last Session of the Provincial Legislature, to His Excellency Sir George Arthur, Knight Commander of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Upper Canada, and Major-General Commanding Her Majesty's Forces therein, the sum of Seven Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven Pounds and sixpence half-penny, has been issued and advanced by Your Majesty, through our said Lieutenant-Governor, to the Clerks and other Officers of the two Houses of Parliament, to enable them to pay the contingent expenses of their respective offices.—May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted: And be it 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 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 Seven Thousand Nine Hundred and Eleven Pounds and sixpence half-penny, to make good the said sum so issued and advanced as aforesaid.

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