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An Act to amend the Lower Canada Municipal and Road Act of 1855, and to erect St. Aubert into a separate Municipality.

[Assented to 10th June, 1857.]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to amend the Lower Canada Municipal and Road Act of 1855, by dividing the Parish St. Jean Port Joli, in the County of l'Islet, into two separate Municipalities: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

Municipality of St. Aubert constituted.

I. From and after the first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, the present Municipality of St. Jean Port Joli shall be divided, and the Municipality of St. Jean Port Joli shall consist of the Parish of St. Jean Port Joli, as erected by Canonical Decree; and the Parish of St. Aubert, as erected by Canonical Decree, in the present Municipality of St. Jean Port Joli, shall be constituted and form a new Municipality for all the purposes of the Lower Canada Municipal and Road Act of 1855, and the Act amending the same, under the name of the Municipality of St. Aubert.

First Election.

II. Within one month after the passing of this Act, an election of Councillors shall be held in the said Municipality hereby constituted, upon notice to that effect, to be given by the Mayor or three qualified electors of the present Municipality of St. Jean Port Joli, or by any Justice of the Peace therein; and seven Councillors shall be elected to form the Council of the said Municipality of St. Aubert by the inhabitants thereof entitled to vote at such elections, in the manner prescribed by the said Lower Canada Municipal and Road Act; and the said Council shall be subject to the provisions of the said Acts, with respect to Local Councils, and the said Municipality and Council shall be invested with all the powers by the said Acts conferred upon Local Municipalities and Councils.

Seven Councillors.

Powers and duties of the Council.

Public Act.

III. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.