

The Provincial Statutes of Canada, passed in the year 1841. Kingston: Stewart Derbshire & George Desbarats, 1841.

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An Act to extend the provisions of an Ordinance of the Legislature of the late Province of Lower Canada, intituled “An Ordinance for making a Rail Road from the City of Montreal to the Province line at or near Pointe à Beaudet.” 18th September, 1841.

Whereas it is expedient to extend certain provisions of an Ordinance passed in the fifth Session of the Special Council, of the late Province of Lower Canada, in the fourth year of the Reign of Queen Victoria, chapter forty-one, for making a Rail Road from the City of Montreal to the Province Line at or near Pointe à Beaudet and to amend the said Ordinance; Be it therefore enacted by the Queen’s Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled *An Act to Re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, that from and after the passing of this Act, the period within which the Company of Proprietors shall be bound to construct and complete the said Rail Road, shall be extended to six years from the day of the passing of this Act instead of the period mentioned in the fifty-third section of the said Ordinance, and that the Book and Plan required by the said Ordinance, and which by the provisions of the said section were to be prepared and deposited of record, within eighteen months next after the passing of the said Ordinance hereinbefore recited, may be prepared and deposited, as aforesaid, at any time before the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-two; and further that the periods of “two years” and “six months” and “two years” limited in the Proviso of the said fifty-third section shall be extended each to three years and six months from the passing of this Act.