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An Act to repeal a certain provision of the Act incorporating the Town of Kingston, and to provide for the Assessment and Collection of the District Taxes in the said Town, by an Assessor and Collector to be appointed by the District Council. (29th March, 1845.)

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Act of the Legislature of Upper Canada, passed in the first year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, "An Act to incorporate the Town of Kingston under the name of the 'Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Kingston,'" by providing that the District rates and assessments shall be assessed and collected by an Assessor and Collector to be appointed by the District Council of the Midland District, and not by the Assessor and Collector to be appointed by the Common Council of the said Town: 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 first day of May next after the passing of this Act, all rates and assessments, and local taxes, payable into or forming part of the general funds of the Midland District, shall be assessed and collected by the Assessor and Collector to be appointed for that purpose from time to time by the District Council of the said Midland District, and by them only, and may, if not paid, be recovered (as may all arrears thereof due or hereafter to become due) by such Collector, or by any other proper person or officer, in the same manner and under the same provisions in and under which rates and assessments payable to and forming part of the general funds of the District, and may then, by law, be recoverable; and so much of the twenty-eighth or twenty-ninth sections, or of any other part of the said Act as authorizes the Common Council of the said Town to appoint an Assessor or Collector for the purposes aforesaid, or empowers any Assessor or Collector so appointed to assess or collect such rates and assessments, shall be and is hereby repealed: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed in any way to impair the obligation of any Collector appointed by the said Common Council, to pay over into the general funds of the District all such moneys as under the said Act ought to be so paid over, or to prevent his being compelled so to pay over the same in any way in which he may now by law be compelled so to do; or in any way to vitiate any assessment made before the said day by any Assessor appointed by the said Common Council.