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An Act to authorize certain sums of Money therein mentioned advanced and applied towards defraying certain necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government for the years one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, and one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, not otherwise provided for, to be charged upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province. (29th March, 1845.)

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN,

Whereas by an Act passed in the sixth year of Your Majesty's Reign, chapter nine, intituled, "An Act to grant certain sums to Her Majesty, for defraying certain indispensable expenses of the Civil Government, during the periods therein mentioned," the sum of twenty-seven thousand, seven hundred and seventy-seven pounds, fifteen shillings and six pence currency, was placed at the disposition of Your Majesty for defraying the necessary and indispensable expenses of the Civil Government from the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, to the thirty-first of March of the same year, liable to be accounted for at the next Session of the Provincial Parliament after the expenditure thereof; And whereas, also pursuant to an address from Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Commons of this Province in Provincial Parliament assembled, bearing date the fourth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, to Your Majesty's Governor General of the Province, the further sums of fifty-seven thousand six hundred and eighty pounds, fourteen shillings and eleven pence currency, and one thousand four hundred and seven pounds, seventeen shillings and nine pence sterling, (equal to one thousand five hundred and sixty-four pounds, six shillings and four pence currency,) the said sums amounting together to eighty-seven thousand and twenty-two pounds, sixteen shillings and nine pence currency, were placed at the disposition of Your Majesty's Government, to enable Your Majesty to defray the necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government of the Province for the said year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, not otherwise provided for, and to be accounted for in detail at the ensuing Session; And whereas an account in detail has been rendered in both Houses of the Provincial Parliament in the present Session of the due application to the aforesaid purposes of the sum of seventy-eight thousand five hundred and twenty-six pounds, eighteen shillings and seven pence currency, out of the aforesaid amount in part appropriated by the said Act, and partly advanced pursuant to the aforesaid address, and which said last mentioned sum, it is expedient to make chargeable, and authorize to be charged upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province: Now therefore, we, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Commons of Canada in Provincial Parliament assembled, do most humbly beseech 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 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 the said sum of seventy-eight thousand five hundred and twenty six pounds, eighteen shillings and seven pence currency, and no more, so as aforesaid advanced by way of supply to Her Majesty towards defraying the necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government of the Province, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, not otherwise provided for and of which an account as aforesaid has been rendered, shall be and the same hereby is made chargeable, and may accordingly be charged, upon any unappropriated moneys appertaining to the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province that heretofore may have been or that shall hereafter come into the hands of the Receiver General of the Province, and that the difference between the said sum so expended, applied and accounted for, and the said sum so placed partly by the aforesaid Act, and partly by the aforesaid address, at the disposition of Her Majesty’s Government in this Province, for the purposes aforesaid, shall be and remain at the future disposition of the Provincial Parliament for the public uses of the Province, as part of the unappropriated Consolidated Revenue Fund thereof.

II. And whereas also divers sums have been advanced from the unappropriated moneys in the hands of the Receiver General of the Province, applied and paid on the responsibility of Her Majesty’s Executive Government in this Province during the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, towards in part defraying the necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government of the Province for the said year not otherwise provided for, and of which sums, an account also has been rendered during the present Session, and been recognized and admitted, to the amount of thirty seven thousand five hundred and seventeen pounds, eighteen shillings currency, and of which amount the sum of twenty-one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four pounds, twelve shillings and seven pence currency, voted to meet the necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government of the Province from the first day of January to the thirty-first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and included in the aforesaid address to the Governor General of the fourth December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, makes part, and which said amount of thirty-seven thousand five hundred and seventeen pounds and eighteen shillings, it is in like manner expedient to make chargeable, and authorize to be, as aforesaid, charged upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Province: Be it therefore enacted, That the said sum of thirty- seven thousand five hundred and seventeen pounds, and eighteen shillings currency, advanced, applied and paid as aforesaid from the unappropriated moneys in the hands of the Receiver General, during the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, towards defraying in part the ordinary necessary and indispensable expenses of the Government of this Province for the said year not otherwise provided for, is hereby made chargeable and shall accordingly in like manner be charged upon any unappropriated moneys appertaining to the Consolidated Revenue of the Province that may have been or that hereafter shall come into the hands of the Receiver General aforesaid.

III. And be it enacted, That the due application of the moneys hereby appropriated shall be accounted for to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty’s Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form as Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors shall direct.