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9 Victoria – Chapter 36

An Act to amend an Act passed in the last Session of this Parliament, intituled, An Act to amend, consolidate, and reduce into one Act, the several Laws now in force establishing or regulating the practice of District Courts in the several Districts of that part of this Province formerly Upper Canada. 9th June, 1846.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Act passed in the last Session of this Parliament, intituled, *An Act to amend, consolidate, and reduce into one Act, the severed Laws now in force establishing or regulating the practice of District Courts in the several Districts of that part of this Province formerly Upper Canada,* so far as it relates to the Judges of the said several District Courts holding office during good behaviour, and also so far as it relates to its being lawful for the Governor to remove any such Judge or Judges of the said Courts, upon a joint Address of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of this Province: 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 for and notwithstanding any thing to the contrary in the second section or in any other part of the said Act, the Judge or Judges of the said several District Courts shall hold their several offices during pleasure.

- II. And be it enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor to remove any such Judge or Judges, without a joint Address of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly; provided always, that in case of any removal of any such Judge or Judges, the cause and reason for such removal shall be submitted to the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly at their first Session next after any such removal of any Judge or Judges of the said Court.
- III. And be it enacted, That every thing in the said Act contained, contrary or repugnant to the provisions of this Act, be and the same is hereby repealed.