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*Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada,* passed in the year 1847. Montreal: Stewart Derbishire & George Desbarats, 1847.

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An Act relating to Justices of the Peace in the Magdalen Islands in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, and to dispense, as respects them, with the Property Qualification by law required of Justices of the Peace in other parts of the Province. 9th July, 1847.

Whereas it is expedient, for local reasons, to dispense in the Magdalen Islands with the Property Qualification by law required of Justices of the Peace in 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 any and every person being an inhabitant of and domiciliated in the Magdalen Islands in the Gulf of Saint Lawrence, who now is or hereafter shall be appointed a Justice of the Peace in and for the said Islands, shall be and is hereby exempted from the necessity of the Property Qualification required by the Act passed in the sixth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act for the Qualification of Justices of the Peace*, and from all liability under the said Act, in having performed the duties of a Justice of the Peace within the said Islands, without being qualified as to property, as required by the said Act.