

*Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada*, passed in the year 1847. Montreal:  
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**An Act explanatory of an Act passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to amend an Act passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, 'An Act to incorporate the City of Toronto and Lake Huron Rail-road Company.'* 28th July, 1847.**

Whereas an Act was passed by the Parliament of the Province of Upper Canada, in the sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, *An Act to incorporate the City of Toronto and Lake Huron Railroad Company*; And whereas the said Act was altered and renewed by an Act passed by the Parliament of this Province, in the eighth year of Her present Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to amend an Act passed in the sixth year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled, 'An Act to incorporate the City of Toronto and Lake Huron Rail-road Company'*; And whereas doubts have arisen as to the construction of the said lastly mentioned Act, and whether it was the intention of the Legislature thereby to affect the liability of persons who had subscribed for shares under or for the purposes of the first mentioned Act, or to make or continue the Stock subscribed under or for the purposes of the said first mentioned Act, parcel of the Capital Stock of the said Company, contemplated or established by the said lastly recited Act: Be it therefore enacted and declared 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 Act, passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, did not affect the subscribers to Shares in the Capital Stock of the said Company, subscribed or taken under or for the purposes of the said Act, passed in the sixth year of His said late Majesty's Reign, and did not make the Stock subscribed or taken under or for the purposes of the said last mentioned Act, parcel of the Stock of the said Company; and that the Stock subscribed or taken under or for the purposes of the said Act, passed in the sixth year of His said late Majesty's Reign, did not by virtue of the said Act, passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign continue to be, nor is the same now part of the Capital Stock of the said Company, nor did the subscribers of Stock under or for the purposes of the said Act, passed in the sixth year of His said late Majesty's Reign, by virtue of their subscription thereto, continue to be holders of Shares in the Capital Stock of the said Company, upon the passing of the said Act, passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, or for or by reason of anything in that Act contained: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to relieve any of the subscribers for Shares in the Capital Stock of the said Company, under or for the purposes of the said Act, passed in the sixth year of His said late Majesty's Reign, from any liability either at law or in equity, for contribution for expenses incurred, or proceedings taken under and by virtue of the said last mentioned Act, by which such subscribers were affected immediately preceding the time of the passing of the said Act, passed in the eighth year of Her Majesty's Reign, nor to relieve any such persons from any

liability which they may have imposed upon themselves by reason of having paid any call on such Stock subscribed, under or for the purposes of the said Act, passed in the sixth year of His said late Majesty's Reign, since the passing of the said Act, passed in the eighth year of Her said present Majesty's Reign.

II. And be it enacted, That this Act is and shall be for all purposes and in all Courts of Justice regarded as a public Act, and the same as such shall be judicially noticed without being specially pleaded.