

*Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada*, passed in the year 1851. Quebec: Stewart Derbyshire and George Desbarts, 1852.

16 Victoria – Chapter 4

**An Act to confer certain powers on Municipal Corporations and Companies to take Materials to repair Roads. 7th October, 1852.**

Whereas it is expedient and necessary to grant certain powers to Municipal Corporations and Companies, who have already acquired, or may hereafter acquire, any of the Macadamized or Plank Roads formerly held by the Crown in Upper Canada: 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 Municipal Corporation or Company, who have already acquired, or may hereafter acquire, any of the Macadamized or [illegible]ank Roads formerly held by the Crown in Upper Canada, shall have the same power and authority to take materials for keeping any and all of such Roads in repair as is now given to Road Companies for the construction of Roads, in an Act passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act to authorize the formation of Joint Stock Companies for the construction of Roads and other works in Upper Canada*, chaptered eighty-four; and the price or damages to be paid to any person or party for such materials or for any thing done in pursuance of the powers given by this Act, shall, if not agreed upon by the parties concerned, be settled by arbitration in the manner provided by the Act aforesaid.