

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada, passed in the year 1854. Quebec: Stewart Derbyshire and George Desbarts, 1854.

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An Act to amend the Act to regulate the duties between Master and Servant in Upper Canada. Assented to 30th May, 1855.

Whereas it appears that doubts have been entertained whether the Act hereinafter mentioned, does or does not extend and apply to Journeymen or skilled Labourers in the various trades and callings, and their respective Masters or Employers: For the removal of such doubts, Be it therefore declared and 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, 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, as follows:

- I. That the Act passed in the Session held in the tenth and eleventh years of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act to regulate the duties between Master and Servant, and for other purposes therein mentioned*, extends and applies to Journeymen or skilled Labourers in any trade, calling, craft or employment, and to their Masters, that is to the tradesmen or persons employing them as such Journeymen or skilled Labourers, as fully to all intents and purposes as to other Servants and Labourers and their Masters or persons employing them, and the said Act shall be construed and have effect accordingly.
- II. Notwithstanding any thing contained in the Act last above cited, the provisions of the said Act shall apply to engagements entered into for the performance of any service or work, and to the parties thereto, whether the same may have actually been entered upon or not.