

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of United Canada, passed in the year 1856. Quebec: Stewart Derbyshire and George Desbarts, 1856.

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An Act to authorize the Courts of Queen's Bench, Chancery, and Common Pleas, in Upper Canada, to admit Benjamin Walker to practise as an Attorney and Solicitor therein respectively. Assented to 1st July, 1856.

Whereas Benjamin Walker, of the City of Toronto, Gentleman, hath, by his petition, represented that he is duly admitted and enrolled as an Attorney of the Court of Queen's Bench, and Solicitor of the High Court of Chancery of England, and was for several years engaged in the practice of his profession in the Island of Jamaica, and has since been Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Charleston, in the State of South Carolina, that he is now settled in Upper Canada, and intends to become a permanent resident therein, and is desirous of practising his profession, but is advised that he cannot be admitted as an Attorney and Solicitor in the Courts there without a Special Act, which he has prayed may be passed; And whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of his petition: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

- I. It shall and may be lawful for the Court of Queen's Bench, the Court of Common Pleas, and the Court of Chancery, in Upper Canada, respectively, in their discretion to admit the said Benjamin Walker to practise as an Attorney and Solicitor therein respectively; any Law or Statute to the contrary notwithstanding.
- II. This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.