

Custody of duplicate Registers.

III. The duplicate of the Registers to be kept by such minister or pastor, shall be the property of the congregation; and whenever the connexion between any such minister or pastor and the said congregation shall cease, such Registers shall be deposited with the trustees thereof, to be kept by the successor of such minister or pastor for the use of the said congregation.

Laws of Lower Canada in this behalf to be observed.

IV. The said ministers or pastors shall, in all respects, comply with and be governed by the Acts, statutes, and laws at present in force in Lower Canada, in the keeping of the said registers, and shall in case of disobedience to the requirements thereof, be liable to the penalties in like cases thereby imposed, which penalties shall be paid, recoverable, applied and accounted for in the same manner as the penalties imposed by them are therein directed to be paid, applied and accounted for.

Public Act.

V. This Act shall be a public Act, and the Interpretation Act shall apply thereto.