

An Act to authorize the Court of Chancery and the Courts of Queen's Bench and Common Pleas in Upper Canada to admit William Sladden to practise as an Attorney and Solicitor.

WHEREAS by an Act of the Legislature of Upper Canada, passed in Preamble.
 the second year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Fourth,
 intituled, *An Act to repeal part of and amend an Act passed in the thirty-*
seventh year of His late Majesty's reign, intituled, "An Act for the better regu-
 5 *lating the practice of the Law, and to extend the provisions of the same,"* it is
 amongst other things enacted, That from and after the passing of the said
 Act, no person shall be admitted by the Court of King's Bench to practise
 as an Attorney, unless by an actual service under articles for five years
 with some practising Attorney; And whereas it appears by the Petition of
 10 William Sladden of the City of Toronto and Province of Upper Canada,
 that he was admitted to practise as an Attorney and Solicitor in the English
 Courts of Common Law and Equity in the year 1836, and practised therein
 until he emigrated to Canada in the year 1851: And whereas the said
 15 Petitioner is now on the Books at Osgoode Hall in Toronto aforesaid, as a
 Student at Law, qualifying himself to practise at the Bar of Upper Canada,
 and is desirous in the meantime of practising as an Attorney and Solicitor
 in the Courts of Law and Equity in this Province, and it is expedient to
 remove from him the disability imposed by the said Act: Therefore, Her
 Majesty, &c., enacts as follows:

20 I. It shall and may be lawful for the Courts of Queen's Bench and
 Common Pleas in Upper Canada, in their discretion to admit the said William
 Sladden forthwith to practise as an Attorney of the said Courts without
 further servitude; and it shall be lawful for the Court of Chancery in
 Upper Canada aforesaid, in its discretion to admit the said William Sladden
 25 forthwith to practise as a Solicitor in the said Court of Chancery, without
 further servitude; any law or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

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 Public Act.

II. This Act shall be deemed a public Act.