

An Act to repeal certain Acts therein mentioned and to make other provision respecting Inventions, Trade Marks and Designs.

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

- 1.** The Act chapter 34 of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, Chapter 34 intituled, "An Act respecting Patents for Inventions," and the Act Con. Stat. 5 24 Vict., chap. 21, intituled, "An Act to amend the Act respecting Can., and 24 Trade Marks and to provide for the Registration of Designs," and all V., c. 21, re- Acts and parts of Acts heretofore passed on these subjects, are hereby repealed. Saving as to or Designs duly registered, previous to the passing of this Act, shall re- things al- 10 main in full force, subject to the provisions hereinafter contained, as if ready done. they had been granted under the provisions of this Act: Provided also, Proviso. that all actions and processes in law or equity, sued out prior to the passing of this Act, shall be prosecuted to final judgment and execution, in the same manner as though this Act had not been passed.
- 2.** There shall be established and attached to the Department of the Patent Bu- 15 President of Committees of the Executive Council, (hereinafter called the reau constitu- President of Council,) a Bureau, to be denominated the "Patent Bureau," ted. the chief officer of which shall be called the Commissioner of Patents, Comissioner- 20 be appointed by the Governor of this Province, and be subordinate cr. to the said President, in like manner as the Auditor and Commis- sioner of Customs are subordinate to the Minister of Finance.
- 3.** The Governor may, by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of Patent Board 25 this Province, constitute and appoint, during pleasure, a Patent Board, constituted. which shall consist of the President of Council, the Attorneys General and Solicitor General for Upper and Lower Canada respectively, and 30 the Commissioner of Patents, any three of whom shall constitute a quorum, which Board shall be under the direction and supervision of the Quorum. President of Council, who shall be Chairman thereof.
- 4.** The said Board shall meet once in every month at the said Patent Meetings. 30 Bureau, which shall be located wherever the seat of the Provincial Government may be.
- 5.** The said Board may cause a seal to be made for the purposes of Seal of Board. 35 this Act, and may from time to time vary such seal, and cause to be sealed therewith, all Letters Patent under this Act, and all Instruments and Copies proceeding from the said Patent Bureau; and all Courts, 40 Judges, and other persons whosoever shall take notice of such Seal, and receive impressions thereof in evidence, in like manner as impressions of the Great Seal of this Province are received in evidence; and shall also Its effect in take notice of, and receive in evidence, without further proof or produc- evidence. tion of the original, all Copies or Extracts, certified under the Seal of