

taining the names of the members at all reasonable hours at the office of the society or at such other place as the said account and books are kept, subject to such regulations as to time and manner of such inspection as are made, from time to time, by the society in general meeting.

Authoriza-
tion by
society.

3. The society may, by its rules, authorize the inspection 5
of any of its books therein mentioned, in addition to the said
books containing the names of members, under such conditions
as are hereby imposed, so that no person, unless he is an officer
of the society or is especially authorized by a resolution thereof,
shall have a right to inspect the loan or deposit account of any 10
other member without his written consent.

Ministeré
may order
inspection
of books.

16. The Minister may, if he thinks fit, on the application
of ten members of a society, each of whom has been a member
of the society for not less than twelve months immediately
preceding the date of the application, appoint a person to in- 15
spect the books of the society and to report thereon; provided
that—

(a) the applicants shall deposit with the Minister such sum
as security for the costs of the proposed inspection as the Min-
ister requires;

(b) all expenses of such inspection shall be defrayed by the 20
applicants or out of the funds of the society, or by the members
or officers, or former members or officers, of the society in such
proportions as the Minister directs.

Powers of
inspector.

2. A person appointed under this section shall have power
to examine and make copies of all books of the society, and 25
have free access to the said books at all reasonable hours.

Result of
inspection.

3. The Minister shall communicate the result of such inspec-
tion to the applicants and to the society.

Cancellation
of charter.

17. The Minister may, at any time, upon notice in writing 30
cancel the charter of the society,—

(a) if it is shown that the members of the society are less
than twelve in number, or that the creation of the society has
been obtained by fraud, or that the society has ceased to carry
on business;

(b) if he thinks fit, at the request of the society; 35

(c) on proof that the society exists for an illegal purpose,
or has wilfully and after notice from the Minister violated any
of the provisions of this Act.

Notice of
intended
cancellation.

2. Before such cancellation the Minister shall give the society
a notice of not less than two months specifying briefly the 40
ground of his proposed action (except in the case of a request
by the society itself) and notice of such cancellation shall be
published in the *Canada Gazette* and in a newspaper published
in or near the place where such society last had its head office.

3. Such society shall from the date of publication in the 45
Canada Gazette of the said notice of cancellation absolutely
cease to enjoy the privileges of an incorporated society, but
without prejudice to any liability incurred, which liability may
be enforced as if such cancellation had not taken place.

Returns.

18. Returns and documents required under this Act shall 50
be in the forms prescribed by the Minister from time to time.