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## BILL.

An Act to amend chapter six of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada respecting Elections of Members of the Legislature.

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

1. The subsection of the seventieth section of the sixth chapter of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, is hereby repealed, and the following substituted therefor. Subsection to section 70 of C. S. C. cap. 6, repealed.
2. The Returning Officer shall also then within fifteen days after the closing of the Election, transmit the originals of the said Poll Books to the Clerk of the House to which the election relates, and the Writ of Election and his return thereupon to the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery; and the said original Poll Books, with the affidavits and certificates herein above required, shall in all cases be *prima facie* evidence of the truth of the allegations therein contained. Transmission of Poll Books. Writ of Election and return. Their effect as evidence.
2. The seventy-first clause of the said Act is also repealed, and the following substituted therefor. Section 71 of C. S. C. cap. 6 repealed.
71. The Returning Officer shall forward to the Clerk of the House to which the Election relates, with the Poll Books, copies of the lists of voters used at that Election, duly certified as such by him. Copies of lists of voters used to be sent to Clerk of the House.
3. Every Poll Book and list of voters now in the possession or custody of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, shall be deposited with the Clerk of the House to which the Election relates. Poll Books & List of Voters to be deposited with Clerks of Houses.