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ACT OF INCORPORATION.

STATUTES OF ONTARIO, 1891.—CHAPTER 30.

An Act respecting the Chartered Stenographic Reporters' Association of Ontario.

[Assented to 4th May, 1891].

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the
Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as
follows:—

1 This Act may be cited as The Ontario Stenographic Reporters' Short title.
Act.

2. All persons who shall cause their names to be registered under Chartered
the provisions of this Act, shall be and are hereby constituted a body Stenographic
politic and corporate under the name and style of "The Chartered Reporters'
Stenographic Reporters' Association of Ontario" (hereinafter called Ontario
the Association), having a perpetual succession and a common seal, incorporated.

3. The Association shall have power to acquire, hold and dispose Corporate
of personal property and real estate for the purposes of this Act, powers,
and to sue and be sued in the manner usual with such corporations;
provided always that the Association shall only have power to
acquire and hold such real estate as shall not at any time exceed an
annual value of \$5,000.

4.—(1.) The Association is hereby empowered to promote and in- Educational
crease by all lawful ways and means the knowledge, skill and powers,
proficiency of its members in all things relating to the business or call-
ing of a stenographer, and to that end to establish classes, lectures
and examinations, and prescribe such tests of competence, fitness
and moral character as may be thought expedient to qualify for
admission to membership, and to grant diplomas and certificates of
efficiency, and to authorize its members to use the distinguishing
title "Chartered Stenographic Reporter," or the letters C. S. R.
(Chartered Stenographic Reporter of Ontario), as a guarantee of
competency.

(2.) The Association may also prescribe for students of steno- Organization
graphy, who may desire to become members of the Association, such and examination
examinations and may grant to them such certificates of competency of students.
as it sees fit; and may organize the said students into a society in
affiliation with itself for study and mutual improvement.

5. The Association, in general or special meeting assembled after Power to make
due notice, may make By-laws for carrying out its objects, and may By-laws,
vary, alter or repeal the same from time to time; and after the first