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PROPOSED CONSOLIDATION OF THE ACTS  
RELATING TO PUBLIC INSTRUCTION,  
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We have been requested to publish the following memoranda, and to invite discussion on the several questions raised, as being matters of great importance to the community, and more especially to the Protestant population of the Province of Quebec.

*Memorandum of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction, with reference to the amended draft of School Bill, prepared for transmission to the Provincial Government and to the Catholic Committee of the Council of Public Instruction.*

In the present divided state of education in the Province, and in view of the great disadvantages under which the minority scattered throughout the province must labor; and more especially in view of the recognition under the proposed new educational law of a more complete separation of the Roman Catholic and Protestant Schools, the following provisions seem absolutely necessary:

1. All persons not Roman Catholics shall, for the purposes of the Education Act, be regarded as Protestants.
2. For the special administration of Protestant schools there shall be a superintending officer appointed by the Government on recommendation of the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction, who shall, under regulations of said Committee, approved by the Governor-in-Council, have supervision of