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BILL.

An Act respecting the Home Life Association of Canada.

WHEREAS The Home Life Association of Canada has, by Preamble. its petition, prayed that it be enacted as hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition : Therefore Her Hajesty, by and with the advice and 5 consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :---

1. The affairs of the Home Life Association of Canada, Number of hereinafter called "the Association," shall be managed by a directors. board of not less than eleven, nor more than twenty-five 10 directors, of whom a majority shall be a quorum.

2. No person shall be a director unless he is a shareholder Qualification owning at least fifty shares of the capital stock absolutely, in of directors. his own right, and has paid all calls due thereon, and all liabilities incurred by him to the Association.

2. The present directors shall continue to be the directors Present 15 of the Association until the next annual general meeting, and directors to continue, the present president and vice-president shall continue as such until replaced by others.

2. The said directors may forthwith open stock books, pro- Powers of directors. 20 cure subscriptions of stock for the undertaking, make calls on stock subscribed, and receive payments thereon, and shall deposit in a chartered bank in Canada all moneys received by them on account of the Association, and withdraw the same for the purposes only of the Association, and may do generally

25 what is necessary to reorganise the Association in accordance with the terms of this Act.

3. The first call shall not exceed twenty per cent on the Callson stock. shares subscribed, and no subsequent call shall exceed ten per cent, and not less than thirty days' notice of any call shall be

- 30 given; provided that the Association shall not commence the When business of insurance authorized by this Act until seventy business may be commenced thousand dollars of capital stock have been paid in cash into the funds of the Association, to be appropriated only for the purposes of the Association under this Act; provided futher,
- 35 that the amount so paid in by any shareholder shall not be less than ten per cent on the amount subscribed by such shareholder.

3. The capital stock of the Association shall be one million Capital stock. dollars, divided into shares of one hundred dollars each.

4. The directors may, after the capital stock has been Increase of 40 subscribed, and five hundred thousand dollars have been paid capital.

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