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THE BENCHERS OF THE LAW SOCIETY IN CONVOCATION IN TRINITY TERM, 1ST AND 2ND WM. IV., PASSED THE FOLLOWING

RESOLUTIONS OF CONVOCATION.

- 1. Resolved—That the Law Society of Upper Canada was established by Act of Parliament of Upper Canada, of the 37th Geo. III., chap 13.
- 2. Resolved—That under that Act all persons duly entered of the Society and admitted on its Books, whether as Students or Barristers-at-Law, became by such entry and admission, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, Members of the Society.
- 3. Resolved—That by that Act the Society was empowered, with the approbation of the Judges of the Superior Courts as Visitors of the said Society, to make such Rules and Regulations as might be deemed necessary or proper for the government of the Society.
- 4. Resolved—That by a Rule of the Society of Michaelmas Term, 40th Geo. III., Cap. 2, passed by the Society on the 9th day of November, 1799, at a general meeting summoned by letter to all the members, for the express purpose of altering and adding to the Rules and Regulations of the Society, and approved of by the Judges, according to the Statute, on the 16th day of January, 1800. it was provided that the Benchers of the Society for the time being should be considered Governors of the said Society, and have full power to make such Rules and Regulations from time to time as should or might be necessary for the welfare of the Society, subject to the inspection of the Judges.
- 5. Resolved—That by that Rule the whole power of making Rules and Regulations, for the government of the Society was duly transferred to and vested in the Convocation of Benchers.