

6. The Governor in Council may, from time to time, appoint any judge of a Superior or County Court, or any barrister of not less than seven years standing, to be a local judge in Admiralty of the Exchequer Court in and for any Admiralty district; and every such local judge of Admiralty shall hold office during good behaviour, but shall be removable by the Governor General on address of the Senate and House of Commons; and such judge shall be designated a local judge in Admiralty of the Exchequer Court. Local judges in Admiralty.

7. Every such local judge in Admiralty shall, previously to his entering on the duties of his office, take, before the judge of the Exchequer Court or a judge of any Superior Court, an oath in the form following, that is to say:— Oath of office.

“I, _____ do solemnly and sincerely swear that I will duly and faithfully, and to the best of my skill and knowledge, execute the powers and trusts reposed in me as local judge in Admiralty in and for the Admiralty district of *(as the case may be)*. So help me God.”

8. The Governor in Council may, from time to time, appoint for any district a registrar, a marshal and such other officers and clerks as are necessary. Officers of court.

9. Every local judge in Admiralty shall, within the Admiralty district for which he is appointed, have and exercise the jurisdiction, and the powers and authority relating thereto, of the judge of the Exchequer Court in respect of the admiralty jurisdiction of such court. Powers of local judges.

10. A local judge in Admiralty may, from time to time, with the approval of the Governor in Council, appoint a deputy judge; and such deputy judge shall have and exercise all such jurisdiction, powers and authority as are possessed by the local judge: Deputy judges.

2. The appointment of a deputy judge shall not be determined by the occurrence of a vacancy in the office of the judge: Tenure of office.

3. A local judge in Admiralty may, with the approval of the Governor in Council, at any time revoke the appointment of a deputy judge.

11. The Governor in Council may, from time to time, appoint, for any district or portion of a district, a surrogate judge or judges; and such surrogate judge shall have such Surrogate judges.