

the first election of five Councillors for the said Town, of which appointment he shall give notice by posting the same at least ten days before the election in three or more public places in the said Town.

Duties of R. O. Qualification of voters, &c. IV. The duties of the Returning Officer and the qualifications of the voters and of the persons elected as Councillors at such first election shall be as prescribed by law, with respect to the annual elections in the incorporated Towns of Upper Canada. 5

Collector of Stamford to furnish copy of proper parts of his Roll. V. The Collector of the Township of Stamford aforesaid, or other person having the legal custody of the Collector's Roll, for the year in which this Act is passed, shall furnish the said Returning Officer a true copy of the said Roll so far as the same relates to voters resident within the limits of the said Town, and so far as such Roll contains the names of all male freeholders and householders rated upon such Roll in respect of real property lying within such limits, with the amount of the assessed value of such real property, for which they shall be respectively rated on such Roll, which copy shall be verified upon oath or in such manner as is now required by law. 10 15

Oath of Returning Officer. VI. The said Returning Officer before holding the said election shall take the same oath or affirmation as is now required by law for Returning Officers in any Town in Upper Canada. 20

Subsequent Elections. VII. Subsequent elections for Councillors of the said Town of Clifton shall be held in conformity with the statutory provisions in respect of the several incorporated Towns of Upper Canada.

Oaths of office, &c. VIII. The several persons who shall be elected or appointed under this Act shall take the same oaths of office and of qualification as are now required by law. 25

Powers, &c., as in other Towns. IX. The said Councillors to be elected under this Act for the said Town, shall be organized in the same manner and in the same way as in any other incorporated Town in Upper Canada, and have, use and exercise the same powers and privileges as any other incorporated Town in Upper Canada. 30

Remainder of Stamford to be a Township. Proviso. X. From and after the passing of this Act the said Town shall cease to form a part of the said Township of Stamford, and shall, to all intents and purposes whatsoever, form a separate and independent Municipality, with all the privileges and rights of an incorporated Town in Upper Canada; but nothing herein contained shall affect or be construed to affect any taxes now imposed by law within the limits of the said Town or the collection thereof for the current year. 35

Governor may divide Town into Wards. XI. Whenever it may appear desirable to the Governor in Council, it shall and may be lawful for the Governor of this Province, by an order in Council, to issue a proclamation, under the Great Seal of this Province, dividing the said Town into Wards, setting forth the boundaries of the same, and to make divisions of the said Town into Wards in such way or manner as may be deemed advisable, any law to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding. 40

Inconsistent enactments repealed. XII. All Acts and parts of Acts, and provisions of law or of the Parliament of this Province, and all Acts, By-laws, rules and regulations of any 45