

And be it Enacted, That the said Consolidated Fund or Revenue of the United Province shall also be permanently charged with all and singular the costs, charges and expenses incident to the collection, management and receipt thereof, such costs, charges and expenses being subject nevertheless to be reviewed and audited, in such manner as shall be directed by any Act of the Legislature of the said United Province.

54.
Consolidated Fund to be charged with expense of collection and management.

And be it Enacted, That the said Consolidated Fund or Revenue shall be further charged with the payment of the lawful costs, charges and expenses of the said Arbitration, and with the lawful costs, charges and expenses of Returning Officers at Elections of Members of the Assembly, all the aforesaid costs, charges and expenses being subjected to be reviewed and audited, in such manner as shall be directed by any Act of the Legislature of the United Province.

55.
And also with payment of the salaries and expenses of the Arbitration under this Act, and expenses of Returning Officers.

And be it Enacted, That the expenses of the collection, management and receipt of the said duties and revenues shall form the First charge on the said Consolidated Fund; and that the Civil List to be ascertained as aforesaid, and such other costs, charges and expenses as are hereby charged on the said Consolidated Fund, shall form the Second charge thereon; and that the annual interest of the public Debt, to be ascertained as aforesaid, or of the Debt which may hereafter become chargeable on the Consolidated Fund of the United Province, shall form the Third charge thereon.

56.
The order of charges on the Consolidated Fund to be:—
1st. Expense of collection;
2d. The Civil List, and salaries and expenses charged thereon;
3d. The interest of the Debt.

And be it Enacted, That subject to the several payments hereby charged on the said Consolidated Fund or Revenue, the same shall be appropriated by the Legislature of the said United Province, for the public service, in such manner as they shall think proper: Provided always, That all Bills for appropriating any part of the said Consolidated Fund or Revenue, or for imposing any new tax or impost, shall originate in the House of Assembly: Provided also, That it shall not be lawful for the said House of Assembly to originate or pass any Vote, Resolution or Bill for the appropriation of any part of the said Consolidated Fund or Revenue, or of any other tax or impost to any purpose which shall not have been first recommended by a message of the Governor to the said House during the Session in which such Vote, Resolution or Bill shall be passed.

57.
Subject to the above charges, the Consolidated Fund to be appropriated by the Provincial Legislature by Bills originating in the House of Assembly for objects recommended by the Governor.

And be it Enacted, That for the purposes which are by this Act referred to the determination of Arbitrators, there shall be nominated and appointed *Four* Arbitrators, with all convenient speed after the passing of this Act; and *Two* of the said Arbitrators shall be appointed

58.
Four Arbitrators to be appointed, Two by each Province, and to appoint an Umpire.

V.
Arbitrators.