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An Act to provide a uniform mode of incorporating Societies formed for Charitable and Educational purposes.

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide a uniform and economical system of imparting corporate rights to persons associated together for any of the following purposes, that is to say : Preamble.

5 Firstly. For the construction or purchase, support and maintenance of any Church or House of Public Worship, or of any Vestry, Parsonage, Manse, Glebe or other appurtenance of any such Church or Place of Public Worship.

Secondly. For the purchase and maintenance of suitable grounds and other conveniences for burying the dead.

Thirdly. For the construction or purchase, support and management of any Hospital, Asylum or Place of Refuge for blind, deaf and dumb, infirm, sick or destitute persons, or for juvenile or other delinquents, or of any House of Industry or of any other Charitable or Benevolent Institution.

Fourthly. For the establishment or purchase, support and management of any Seminary, College, Academy, School, Public Library or other Literary or Scientific Institution : Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and intituled, An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That any five or more persons desiring to be incorporated for any one or more of the above mentioned purposes, may make, sign and deliver, in triplicate, to the Registrar of the County or of the Registry Division of a County in which the principal Office of the Corporation proposed to be erected, is to be established, a Declaration in writing, in the form in the Schedule to this Act contained, setting forth, in a clear and intelligible manner, the object or objects for which, and the name under which they desire to be incorporated, and stating the names of the Trustees, Directors or other Managers, and of the President, Secretary and Treasurer, by whom the affairs of the Association are to be managed during the first year of the existence of such Corporation, and the name of the City, Town, Borough, Village, Township, Parish or other place in which the principal Office of such Corporation is to be established.

Declaration to be filed by persons desiring to be incorporated.