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An Act to authorize to a certain extent the seizure and attachment of Official Salaries towards payment of the incumbent's debts.

THEREAS the salaries allowed to offi- Preamble. cers on the Civil List, and other public functionaries of Her Majesty, paid from the Treasury and Consolidated Revenue Fund 5 of this Province, as well as the salaries allowed to municipal officers, paid from the funds of the several Districts or other Municipal Corporations, are by law exempt from seizure or attachment in satisfaction of judg-10 ments obtained in Her Majesty's Law Courts therein, an exemption frequently giving rise to great inconveniencies to those having just and legal claims or demands of a pecuniary nature, upon such officers and public func-15 tionaries, for the remedying whereof it is necessary to make provision: Be it therefore enacted. &c.

And it is hereby enacted by the authority of 20 the same, That from and after the passing of All Salaries of this Act, all salaries and allowances of what-Public Officers soever denomination, payable to any officer sure to a ceror public functionary of Her Majesty, from the Treasury or Consolidated Revenue Fund 25 of this Province, as well as all salaries and allowances of whatsoever denomination payable to any officer or functionary of any District Council or other Municipal officer from any District or other Municipal funds what-30 soever, for services performed or to be performed, shall, to the extent hereinafter mentioned, be liable to seizure or attachment in the hands of the Receiver General of the Province, or of the respective Treasurers 35 of the several Districts in this Province, or