

An Act to amend the Act incorporating the Bank of Canada.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Preamble.
Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

1. The Act twenty-second Victoria, chapter one hundred and thirty- 22 Vic. c. 131
one, incorporating the Bank of Canada, is hereby amended as follows : amended.
- 5 Notwithstanding anything in the said Act contained, it shall be lawful
for the provisional Directors therein named, in addition to the places
therein mentioned, to open books of subscription in the City of London, Stock Books
may be open-
ed in London,
and provision
if a certain
proportion of
the stock be
held in Eng-
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England ; and so soon as the respective sums required by the fourth
section of the said Act have been subscribed and paid in, the sub-
10 sscribers may, if three-fourths of the amounts be then subscribed and
paid in England, call the meeting mentioned in the said fourth section,
in London ; and so long as three-fourths of the capital stock shall be
held by persons residing in Great Britain and Ireland, the Board of
Directors of the Company may hold their meetings and direct and
15 transact the business of the Board in London ; and after the word "To-
ronto," in the several sections of the said Act, except in the preamble
and the thirty-third and thirty-fourth sections thereof, the said sections
shall be read as if the words "or London" were inserted so as to make
each clause read consistently with this amending Act.

20 **2.** This Act shall be deemed a Public Act.

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