

of Stevedores to all persons duly qualified to practise the trade of a Stevedore, upon the production of a certificate of fitness and qualification from the said Board of Examiners, provided that each applicant shall execute a Bond with two sufficient sureties to the satisfaction of the said Superintendent, to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors in the penal sum of currency, each, to be taken and acknowledged before the said Superintendent, and in his absence or illness before one of the Justices of the said Court of Queen's Bench or one of the Circuit Judges for the said District of Quebec, upon view of such certificate of qualification and of a certificate under the hand of the said Superintendent, or in his absence of the Chairman *ad interim* of the said Board, of the sufficiency of such suerties, which Bond shall enure to the benefit of all parties damnified by the misfeasance, malfeasance, or nonfeasance of such Stevedore, and who shall have a remedy therefor upon such Bond by suit or action against the said Stevedore and suréties before a Court of competent jurisdiction: and every such licensed Stevedore shall, before exercising his said trade, take and subscribe before any one of the said Justices of the said Court of Queen's Bench or Circuit Judges the oath contained in Schedule D, hereunto annexed.

Penalty upon persons exercising the trade of Stevedore without a license.

VIII. And be it enacted, That from and after the expiration of the said period of one month next after the day of the first meeting of the said Board as aforesaid, any person who shall stow or commence the stowing of the cargo of any ship or vessel in the capacity of Stevedore or Shipstower, or who shall have bargained or contracted for the stowing of any such cargo in such capacity, or who shall directly or indirectly practice the trade of Stevedore or Shipstower, without being thereto duly licensed, shall upon being duly convicted thereof incur a penalty not exceed-