

An Act to enable Joseph Anctil, of Ste. Anne la Pocatière, and Auguste Fournier, of St Jean Port Joly, to be admitted to practise as Notaries in Lower Canada.

**WHEREAS** Joseph Anctil, of Ste. Anne la Pocatière, in the District of Kamouraska, in this Province, did not comply with all the requirements of Section sixteen of the seventy third Chapter of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, previous to commencing his clerkship, and hath prayed to be admitted to an examination for the purpose of being admitted as Notary, notwithstanding the said provisions, and it is expedient to grant his prayer; and whereas Auguste Fournier, of St. Jean Port Joly, in the County of l'Islet, in this Province, has not been legally admitted to the study of the profession of Notary, on account of there not being a *quorum* of the Board of Notaries before which he presented himself, and whereas he has not caused to be registered all his articles of clerkship as required by Section sixteen of the seventy third Chapter of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, and has prayed to be admitted to an examination for his admission to the said profession of Notary in Lower Canada, notwithstanding the aforesaid defect in his articles of clerkship, and it is expedient to accede to his prayer: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. After the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful for any Board of Notaries in Lower Canada within whose jurisdiction they shall be, to admit the said Joseph Anctil and Auguste Fournier to practise as Notaries, provided that they prove to the satisfaction of such Board that they have studied with a practising Notary duly commissioned in and for Lower Canada, during the period of time required by law, and provided also that they are deemed duly qualified after undergoing the examinations required of Candidates for admission to the practise of the said profession, notwithstanding any law or usage to the contrary.

2 This Act shall be deemed a public Act.

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