
BILL.

An Act relative to Summary Convictions under By-Laws in Upper Canada.

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

1. It shall not be necessary in any conviction made under the By-Laws of any Municipal Corporation in Upper Canada to set out the formation, appearance or non-appearance of the Defendant, the evidence or By-law under which the conviction is made; but all such convictions may be in the form given in the schedule of this Act; and in prosecuting under such By-laws, or for the breach of such By-laws, witnesses may be compelled to attend and give evidence in the same manner and by the same process as witnesses are compelled to attend and give evidence on summary proceedings before Justices of the Peace, in cases tried summarily under the Statutes now in force in Upper Canada.

Contents and form of conviction under By-Laws.

Witnesses to be compelled to attend.

2. This Act shall only apply to Upper Canada.

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SCHEDULE.

PROVINCE OF CANADA, } BE IT REMEMBERED that on the
County of } day of A. D.
To wit. } at in the County of
20 A. B. is convicted before the undersigned one of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, for that the said A. B. (stating the offence and time and place and when and where committed) contrary to certain By-law of the Municipality of the Town of in the said County of and I adjudge the
25 said A. B. for his said offence to forfeit and pay the sum of to be paid and applied according to law, and also to pay to C. D., the complainant, the sum of for his costs in this behalf. And if the said several sums be not paid forthwith, or on or before the day of A.D. (as the case may be,) I order that the same
30 be levied by distress and sale of the goods and chattels of the said A. B., and in default of sufficient distress, I adjudge the said A. B. to be imprisoned in the Common Jail of the said County of (or in the public Lock-up at) for the space of days at hard labor, unless the said several sums and all costs and charges of
35 conveying the said A. B. to such Jail (or Lock-up) shall be sooner paid.
Given under my hand and seal, the day and year first above written,
at in the said County.

J— M—
J. P.

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