

Divisions into which some of the said Counties have been divided as aforesaid: Be it declared and enacted, &c.;

Provisions of Ord. of L. C. 4 Vic. c. 30, s. 8, applicable to Registrars of Counties, &c.

That all and every of the provisions of the said Ordinance on the subject of the Recognizances to be entered into by Registrars for Districts to be appointed under the said Ordinance have been and are applicable to and binding upon the Registrars of Counties and the Registrars of and for Registration Districts and Registration Divisions appointed under all or any of the Acts cited or referred to in the Preamble to this Act. 5

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Existing Recognizances valid.

II. And be it enacted that every Recognizance heretofore entered into by any Registrar in Lower Canada, in any penal sum whatever, conditioned for the due and faithful performance of the duties of his office as such, shall be good, valid and effectual in law to the full extent of such penal sum and condition, save and except as hereinafter mentioned and provided for. 15

Amount of security to be given in future.

III. And be it enacted that it shall be the duty of every Registrar of Deeds in Lower Canada, immediately after the passing of this Act, if he have not already done so, and also for every such Registrar of Deeds hereafter appointed before taking upon himself the execution of his office, to comply with the requirements of the eighth section of the said Ordinance in this behalf: Provided always that it shall not be necessary that the penal sum in any Recognizance to be entered into by any such Registrar shall exceed pounds if he be or be appointed Registrar of either of the Counties of Quebec or Montreal, or pounds if he be or be appointed Registrar of any other County or of any Registration District or Registration Division in Lower Canada; nor shall any Registrar or his sureties be liable henceforth under any recognizance heretofore entered into and now in force for any greater amount than the penal sum which would require to be inserted in a recognizance entered into by such Registrar after the passing of this Act: but the penal sum in any such recognizance heretofore entered into and now in force as aforesaid is hereby reduced to the amount hereby fixed and prescribed for each case respectively. 20 25 30 35 40

Registrars to reside near their offices.

IV. And be it enacted that it shall be the duty of each and every Registrar of Deeds in Lower Canada to reside within the limits of the City, Town, Parish, or Township as the case may be in which his office is situate. 40