

An Act to incorporate the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association.

WHEREAS the voluntary association now existing under the name of the Dominion Rifle Association has, by its petition, prayed that it be enacted as hereinafter set forth, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition: Preamble.
 5 Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

1. Lieut.-Colonel the Honourable J. M. Gibson, Lieut.-Colonel Sam Hughes, the Honourable R. R. Dobell, Lieut.-Colonel Edwin B. Beer, Lieut.-Colonel C. J. MacDonald, Captain the Honourable Hugh John Macdonald, Lieut.-Colonel the Honourable E. G. Prior, Lieut.-Colonel J. A. Longworth, Lieut.-Colonel Fred Massey, Lieut.-Colonel John Tilton, Lieut.-Colonel W. E. Hodgins, and Lieut.-Colonel John Macpherson, members of the voluntary association mentioned in the preamble, together with such persons as become members of the association hereby incorporated, are incorporated under the name of "The Dominion of Canada Rifle Association," hereinafter called "the Association." Incorporation.
Corporate name.

2. The officers and council of the said voluntary association at the time this Act is passed shall be the officers and council of the Association until the first general meeting of the Association or until their successors are elected, and the constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations of the said voluntary association at the time this Act is passed shall continue to be the constitution, by-laws, rules and regulations of the Association, so far as they are consistent with this Act, until repealed or amended in the manner prescribed by this Act. Existing officers and by-laws to continue.

3. All property, real and personal, now belonging to the said voluntary association is hereby transferred to and vested in the Association, its successors and assigns. Property to vest.

4. The head office of the Association shall be in the city of Ottawa, in the province of Ontario. Head office.

5. At the first general meeting of the Association, and at each annual general meeting, the Association shall elect a president of the Association, a vice president for each province and a council composed of members of the Association elected to represent each province, the number of such representatives to be fixed by by-law. Election of officers.