

of Court, or to any of the Court or Courts in the said section mentioned had been made since his admission thereto against such person for misconduct in such his capacity of Attorney or Solicitor; neither shall it be necessary to produce a certificate under the hands of two or more persons of the good moral character of the applicant; but in lieu thereof shall be left with the Secretary of the Law Society of Upper Canada, contemporaneously with the several certificates of such applicant, having been called to the Bar, or of his admission and enrolment as an Attorney or Solicitor as in the said section mentioned, an affidavit of such applicant, to the satisfaction of the Law Society of Upper Canada, that no application, (in the case of a Barrister to any Society or Inn of Court, and in the case of an Attorney or Solicitor to any such Court or Courts, as the case may be,) has been made since his admission thereto against such person to disbar him or to strike him off the Rolls of any such Court, or otherwise to disqualify him from further practice for misconduct in such his capacity of Barrister, Attorney, or Solicitor: Provided that the Law Society of Upper Canada may, in any such case, where it shall appear to them expedient for purposes of further enquiry or investigation, suspend, for a period not exceeding twelve months, their final decision in respect to the granting or refusal of this certificate.

Provide that Law Society may suspend their decision 12 months, when enquiry deemed expedient.

Time for filing articles and affidavits extended to 1st January, 1859.

III. The provisions of the seventh and eighth sections of the said Act, in so far only as they require the filing of the contract of service and affidavit annexed within three months after the execution of the same, shall not apply to contracts of service entered into between the passing of the said Act and the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight; and in case any person, having entered into such contract of service between the passing of the said recited Act and the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, shall have neglected to have made and filed the affidavits required by the said seventh and eighth sections of the said recited Act, within the period of three months from the true date thereof as therein specified, it shall be sufficient that such affidavits shall be so made and filed before the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

Where articles or affidavit or any assignment cannot be produced Law Society, on proof made, may dispense with their production.

IV. No person who has heretofore, or who shall hereafter, become bound under a contract of service shall be admitted an Attorney or Solicitor before such contract and affidavit together with any assignment thereof, so marked respectively as by the said recited Act or this present Act required, shall have been produced to the Law Society of Upper Canada in pursuance of the provisions in the said recited Act, and also hereinbefore contained, unless the said contract of service, affidavit and any assignment or any of them cannot be produced, in which case the Law Society of Upper Canada may, on application in that behalf to be made to them at least fourteen days next before the first day of the Term in which any applicant seeks admission, and on being satisfied of such fact, in their discretion, dispense with the production thereof; and the certificate of the Law Society of Upper Canada of such dispensation shall be sufficient in lieu of the production of the required contract and affidavit and any