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On the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the provisions of the 8th Section of the Act 31 Vic., Cap. 6, intituled: "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the town of St. Thomas in the County of Elgin, Province of Ontario, be, and the same is hereby constituted and erected into an Out Port of Customs, and placed under the survey of the Collector of Customs at the Port of London.

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