

An Act to amend Chapter One Hundred and Five of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada.

WHEREAS it is enacted by Section thirty of Chapter One Hundred and Five of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, that the Police Magistrate for any City in Upper Canada, sitting in open Court, may respectively, with other persons therein named for Lower Canada, in the case of persons charged before them do all Acts by the said Statute authorized to be done by Recorders : And whereas it is advisable the powers so granted to Police Magistrates of Cities should also be extended to, and be exercised by Police Magistrates for Incorporated Towns in Upper Canada; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows :

Preamble.

1. The Police Magistrate of every Incorporated Town in Upper Canada, may, and shall do all acts authorized to be done by Recorders under the said Statute, and all provisions of the said Statute referring to Recorders and Recorders' Courts, and the Clerks of the Recorders' Courts, shall be read and construed also as referring to Police Magistrates of Incorporated Towns in Upper Canada, and to the Clerks and Courts of the said Police Magistrates, and as giving them full power to do all acts, authorized to be done by Recorders in the case of persons charged before them.

Police Magistrates in Incorporated Towns to have the powers of Recorders.