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Victoria by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.,

To Our Trusty and Well Beloved the Honorable Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau, of Our Province of Quebes in Our Dominion of Canada. GREETING:—

Know YE, that as well for the especial trust and confidence We have manifested in you, as for the purpose of obtaining your advice and assistance in all weighty and arduous affairs which may the State and Defence of Our Dominion of Canada, concern, We have thought fit to summon you to the Senate of Our said Dominion, and We do appoint you for the Stadacona Electoral Division of Our Province of Quebec, and We do command you, the said Honorable Pierre Joseph Olivier Chauveau, that all difficulties and excuses whatsoever, laying aside, you be and appear for the purposes aforesaid, in the Senate of Our said Dominion, at all times whensoever and wheresoever Our Parliament may be in Our said Dominion convoked and holden; and this you are in no wise to omit.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Canada to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, Our Right Trusty and Well Beloved Cousin and Councillor the Right Honorable SIR FREDERIC TEMPLE, Earl of DUFFERIN, Viscount and Baron Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the County Down in the Peerage of the United Kingdom, Baron Dufferin and Clandeboye of Ballyleidy and Killeleagh in the County Down, in the Peerage of Ireland, and a Baronet, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, and Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor General of Canada, and Governor and Commander in-Chief in and over the Island of Prince Edward and Vice-Admiral of Canada and Prince Edward.

At Our Government House, in Our CITY of Ottawa, in Our Dominion of Canada, this Twentieth day of February, in the year of Our Lord, One Thousand kight Hundred and Seventy-three, and in the Thirty-sixth Year of Our Reign.

By Command,

EDOUARD J. LANGEVIN, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, Canada.

Whereupon the Honorable Messieurs Chauveau, Muirhead and Cochrane, came to the Table and took and subscribed the oath prescribed by Law, which was administered by Robert Le Moine, Esquire, a Commissioner appointed for that purpose, and took their seats accordingly.

The Clerk laid upon the Table the certificate of the Commissioners setting forth that the Honorable Messieurs Chauveau, Muirhead and Cochrans, Members of the Senate, had made and subscribed the Declaration of Qualification, required by the British North America Act, 1867.