

**An Act respecting the incorporation of Live Stock
Record Associations.**

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :—

1. Any five or more persons who desire to associate themselves together for the purpose of keeping a record of pure-bred live stock of any distinct breed or several records each of a distinct breed of the same class of animals, may make application, in the form A in the schedule to this Act, to the Minister of Agriculture for incorporation. Application for Incorporation.
- 10 2. Such application shall be in duplicate, and shall include a copy of the proposed constitution, by-laws and rules of the association. In duplicate.
3. The signatures to the application shall be verified by the affidavit of a subscribing witness thereto, before a notary public, commissioner for taking affidavits or justice of the peace. Attestation of signatures.
- 15 2. If the Minister approves of the application, he shall cause one of the duplicates thereof to be registered in the Department of Agriculture, and the other to be returned to the applicants with a certificate endorsed thereon and signed by him, in the form B in the schedule to this Act. Certificate of Minister's approval.
- 20 3. Thereupon, from the date of such certificate, the applicants and such other persons as become members of the association shall be a body corporate and politic by the name specified in the application, with the constitution, by-laws and rules included therein, and with power to hold such property as is required for the carrying on of the business of the association. Incorporation of association.
- 25 4. Not more than one association for each distinct breed of horses, cattle, sheep and swine shall be incorporated under this Act. Number of associations limited.
- 30 5. The constitution, by-laws and rules of the association shall provide for— Constitution, by-laws and rules.
 - (a) the registration of pedigrees of pure-bred live stock;
 - 35 (b) the suspension and expulsion of members;
 - (c) the election of officers and their duties, and the filling of vacancies;
 - (d) the mode of convening annual, general and special meetings;