

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS OF CANADA

BILL 7.

An Act to amend the Northwest Territories Act.

R.S., c. 62;
1907, c. 32;
1908, c. 49;
1913, c. 13;
1921, c. 40.

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

1. The *Northwest Territories Act*, chapter sixty-two of the *Revised Statutes of Canada, 1906*, is amended by adding, 5 immediately after section fifty-nine thereof, the following section:—

Jurisdiction and powers of stipendiaries.

“59A. (1) Every stipendiary shall, with respect to any criminal offence committed or charged to have been committed within the Northwest Territories, have and may 10 exercise, not only within the Northwest Territories, but also in any part of Canada not within the Northwest Territories, any or all, the jurisdiction and powers conferred upon him by sections thirty-six to fifty-nine, both inclusive, of this Act, or which he otherwise possesses with relation 15 to the administration of criminal justice; and all statutory and other provisions of the law which would be applicable with respect to criminal proceedings within the Northwest Territories shall in like manner apply with respect to proceedings instituted or to be instituted or prosecuted 20 under the authority of this section at any place not within the Northwest Territories: Provided that a person shall be qualified to serve as a juror although he is not a British subject.

Application of criminal proceedings outside N.W.T.

Enforcement of decisions within or without N.W.T.

(2) Any judgment, conviction, sentence or order of any 25 stipendiary sitting either with or without a jury, and pronounced or made at any place in Canada not within the Northwest Territories, may be enforced and executed at the place where the same is pronounced or made, or elsewhere, either within or without the Northwest Territories 30 as the stipendiary may, in the exercise of the jurisdiction which he possesses, and by the said judgment, conviction, sentence or order, direct; and the proper officers of the Northwest Territories shall have and may exercise all

Powers of proper officers outside N.W.T.