

An Act to legalize or confirm an Agreement made between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada and the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company.

(Re-printed, as amended by the Railway Committee.)

WHEREAS an Agreement, bearing date the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, has been made between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada and the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company, which said Agreement is set out in the schedule to this Act.

And, whereas the said Companies have petitioned that the said Agreement should be confirmed, and it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said Petition; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. The Agreement, bearing date the seventh day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four and made between the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada of the one part and the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company of the other part, which said agreement forms the Schedule to this Act, is hereby confirmed, and all the powers, provisions, stipulations, covenants, premises, agreements, and all and singular other the matters in the said agreement contained, shall be valid and binding as fully and as effectually, and shall in all respects have the same force and effect as though the same were and every of them was expressly embodied in this Act.

2. For and notwithstanding anything in the tenth, eleventh and twelfth sections or elsewhere in the said Agreement contained to the contrary, the said Agreement set out in the Schedule to this Act, is hereby declared to be, and the same is the "formed agreement" between the said companies therein referred to, and this Act is hereby declared to be, and is the Act of Parliament therein also referred to.

3. The Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, in working the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway, shall have the right to use, exercise and enjoy all the rights, powers, privileges, immunities and other the premises created or conferred upon the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company by all Acts of Parliament relating to the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company or otherwise.

4. Meetings of the Shareholders of the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway Company, whether general or special, may be held in the City of London or elsewhere, in England, and may do all the acts and exercise all the powers that any such meeting could do or exercise if held in Canada.