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## BILL.

An Act respecting Local Municipalities in Lower Canada, situated partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Townships.

**W**HEREAS several local municipalities in Lower Canada are situated partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Townships; and whereas the municipal laws now in force in Lower Canada make distinctions, in certain cases, between local municipalities situated in the Seigniories and local municipalities situated in the Townships; and whereas, in consequence of such distinctions having been established by law, difficulties occur in the management of affairs in local municipalities situated partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Townships; and it is expedient to put an end to such difficulties: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, declares and enacts as follows:—

**1.** From and after the passing of this Act every local municipality situated partly in the Seigniories and partly in the Townships, shall, for all municipal and road-law purposes, be considered to be situated wholly in the Seigniories or wholly in the Townships, according as the greater portion of the territory of such local municipality shall be situated in the Seigniories or in the Townships.

Preamble.

Rule for decision as to situation of certain local municipalities.