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THE HOUSE OF COMMONS OF CANADA.

BILL 53.

An Act respecting the Civil Service of Canada.

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

SHORT TITLE.

Short title. 1. This Act may be cited as *The Civil Service Act, 1918.*

DEFINITIONS.

Definitions. 2. In this Act and in all regulations made hereunder, 5
 unless the context otherwise requires,—

(a) "Civil Service" means and includes all classes of officers, clerks and employees in or under the several departments of the Executive Government of Canada and in the office of the Auditor General and in the 10 Northwest Territories and the Yukon Territory, appointed by the Governor in Council or other competent authority before the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two or thereafter appointed or employed in the manner provided by the 15 Civil Service Act for the time being, in force. 1906, s. 2.

(b) "Commission" means the Civil Service Commission.

(c) "Deputy" or "deputy head" means the deputy of the minister of the Crown presiding over the department, 20 the Clerk of the Privy Council, the Clerks of the Senate and House of Commons, the Librarians of Parliament, the Comptroller of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, the Superintendent of Insurance, the Dominion Archivist, the Assistant to the Chairman and Secretary 25 to the Commission of Conservation, and, in all cases in which such meaning is not inconsistent with his powers and duties under the *Consolidated Revenue and Audit Act*, the Auditor General. 1906, s. 2, 1908, s. 2, amended. 30