Bonds, with sureties, to be

given by per-

sons hereafter appointed to

certain public

offices.

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enter into a bond or bonds, or other security or securities, in such sum and with such sufficient surety or sureties as may be approved of by the Governor, or by the principal officer or person in the office or department to which he has been appointed, for the due performance of the trust reposed in him, and for his duly accounting for all public money intrusted to him, or placed under his control.

2. Every person appointed after the passing of this Act, to any civil office or employment, or commission in any public department of the Government of Canada, or to any office or employment of public trust, or wherein he is concerned in the collection, receipt, disbursement or expenditure of any public money under the Government of Canada, and who by reason thereof is required to give security, with surety or sureties, or otherwise shall, within one month after notice of such appointment, if he is then in Canada, or within three months if he is then absent from Canada, (unless he sooner arrives in Canada, and then within one month after such arrival), give and enter into a bond or bonds, or other security or securities, in such sum and with such sufficient surety or sureties as may be approved of by the Governor, or by the principal officer or person in the office or department to which he is appointed, for the due performance of the trust reposed in him, and for his duly accounting for all public moneys intrusted to him, or placed under his control.

Bonds, &c., how and where to be proved, recorded and deposited.

3. Every person who by reason of his appointment to any civil office or employment, or commission in any public department, or of public trust as aforesaid, or who by reason of being concerned in the collection, receipt, disbursement or expenditure of any public moneys as aforesaid, gives or enters into any bond or other security, for the due performance of the trust reposed in him, or for the due accounting for of public money intrusted to him; and every surety in any bond shall make the affidavit, in the form A, hereto annexed, before a Justice of the Peace, and shall cause every such bond or security to be proved as to the due execution and delivery of the same, by an affidavit of the attesting witness, made before a Justice of the Peace, and shall cause every such bond or security, with the several affidavits thereto annexed, to be recorded at full length at the Office of the Secretary of State of Canada, in manner hereinafter mentioned, and shall forthwith, after such registration, deposit the original bond or security, and the affidavits thereto annexed, at the Office of the Minister of Finance :

Time within which it is to be done. 2. And every such bond or security, and the affidavits thereto annexed, shall be recorded and deposited as aforesaid, within one month after being entered into or given, if the person on whose behalf it is entered into or given resides or is in Canada; and if he is absent from Canada, then within three months after