

I, Sir Gilbert John Elliott Murray-Kynnmound, Earl of Minto, Governor General of Canada, do hereby certify that the Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia on the 20th day of May, 1898, chaptered 28, and intituled: "An Act relating to the employment of Chinese or Japanese persons on works carried on under Franchises granted by Private Acts," was received by His Excellency the Governor General of Canada on the 8th day of June, 1898.

Given under my hand and seal this 5th day of June, 1899.

MINTO.

AT THE GOVERNMENT HOUSE AT OTTAWA,

MONDAY, the 5th day of June, 1899.

Present: His Excellency in Council.

Whereas the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of British Columbia, with the Legislative Assembly of that province, did on the 20th day of May, 1898, pass an Act which has been transmitted, chaptered 44, and intituled: "An Act to amend the Tramway Incorporation Act";

And whereas the said Act has been laid before His Excellency the Governor General in Council, together with a report from the Minister of Justice, recommending that the said Act should be disallowed;

Therefore, His Excellency, by and with the advice of the Queen's Privy Council for Canada, has this day been pleased to declare his disallowance of the said Act, and the same is hereby disallowed accordingly.

Whereof the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of British Columbia and all other persons whom it may concern are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

JOHN J. MCGEE,

*Clerk of the Privy Council.*

I, Sir Gilbert John Elliott Murray-Kynnmound, Earl of Minto, Governor General of Canada, do hereby certify that the Act passed by the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia on the 20th day of May, 1898, chaptered 44, and intituled: "An Act to amend the Tramway Incorporation Act," was received by His Excellency the Governor General of Canada on the 8th day of June, 1898.

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NOTE.—Mr. Chamberlain's despatch of April, 1899, had not been referred to the Minister of Justice and was not before him when the foregoing Report of 29th May, 1899, was written.