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An Act to amend and consolidate "The Railway Act, 1868," and the Acts amending it.

NOTE.—The dates in the margin opposite any provision is the year in which it was made by this Act (1879) or by *An Act amending that of 1868*, and repealed by s. 102 of this Act.

[Assented to 15th May, 1879.]

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

1. In citing this Act, it shall be sufficient to use the expression "*The Consolidated Railway Act, 1879.*" Short title, 1879.

APPLICATION OF ACT.

2. The provisions of this Act from section five to section thirty-four, both inclusive, being Part First of this Act, shall apply to the Intercolonial Railway constructed under the authority of the Act of the Parliament of Canada, passed in the thirty-first year of Her Majesty's reign, and intituled "*An Act respecting the construction of the Intercolonial Railway,*" so far as they are applicable to the undertaking and in so far as they are not inconsistent with or contrary to the provisions of the said Act or any other Act respecting it : Application of the several parts of this Act. 31 V., c. 13.

2. The said sections shall also apply to every railway constructed or to be constructed under the authority of any Act passed by the Parliament of Canada, and shall, so far as they are applicable to the undertaking, and unless they are expressly varied or excepted by the Special Act, be incorporated with the Special Act, form part thereof, and be construed therewith as forming one Act. The same.

3. For the purpose of excepting from incorporation with the Special Act any of the sections forming Part First of this Act, it shall be sufficient in the Special Act to enact, that the sections of this Act proposed to be excepted, referring to them by the words forming the headings of such sections respectively, shall not be incorporated with such Act, and the Special Act shall thereupon be construed accordingly. How any section may be excepted from incorporation with any Special Act.

4. The provisions of this Act from section thirty-four to section ninety-eight both inclusive, being Part Second, shall apply to the Intercolonial Railway, in so far as they are not varied by, or inconsistent with the Special Act respecting it, to all railways constructed by the Government of Canada, To what Railways the other provisions of this Act shall apply.