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## THE SENATE OF CANADA.

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## BILL.

1906.

An Act respecting the sale and marking of manufactures of Gold and Silver.

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

1. This Act may be cited as "The Gold and Silver Marking 5 Act, 1906."

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires;—

(a) The expression "article" means an article of merchandise and includes any portion of such article, whether a distinct part thereof or not.

10 (b) The expression "Mark" includes any mark, sign, device, imprint, stamp, brand, label, ticket, letter, word, figure, or other means whatsoever of indicating, or of purporting to indicate, the quality, quantity or weight of gold, or of silver, or of any alloy of gold or of silver, in an article of merchandise.

- alloy of gold or of silver, in an article of merchandise.
  (c) The expressions "apply" and "applied" include any method or means of application or attachment to, or of use on, or in connection with, or in relation to, an article of merchandise, whether such application, attachment or use is to, on, or with—

  (i) the article itself; or—
- 20 (ii) anything attached to the article; or-

(iii) anything to which the article is attached; or-

(iv) anything in or on which the raticle is; or-

(v) anything so used or placed as to lead to a reasonable belief that the mark on that thing is meant to be taken as a 25 mark on the article itself.

(d) The expression "dealer" includes any person, corporation, association, or firm, being a manufacturer of, or a wholesale or retail seller of or dealer in gold or silver jewellery, or of or in gold ware, gold-plated ware, silver ware, or silver

30 plated ware, or the like, and any director, manager, officer, or agent of such corporation, association or firm.

(e) "To sell" includes "to dispose of," "to offer to sell," "to offer to dispose of," and "to have in possession with intent to sell or dispose of."