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A  
 PROVINCIAL STATUTE  
 OF  
 LOWER-CANADA.

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Anno Regni GEORGII III. Quinquagesimo Sexto.

HIS EXCELLENCY

SIR GORDON DRUMMOND, K. C. B.

ADMINISTRATOR IN CHIEF.

“ **A**T the Provincial Parliament, begun and holden at *Quebec*, the Twenty-  
 “ first day of January, *Anno Domini*, one thousand eight hundred and  
 “ fifteen, in the fifty-fifth year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord GEORGE  
 “ the Third, by the Grace of GOD, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain*  
 “ and *Ireland*, KING, Defender of the Faith. And from thence continued by  
 “ several Prorogations to the Twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand eight  
 “ hundred and sixteen.

“ Being the Second Session of the Eighth Provincial Parliament of Lower-  
 “ Canada.

An Act to continue, for a limited time, an Act passed in the Forty-eighth  
 year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled “ *An Act to regulate the Trial*  
 “ *of Controverted Elections or Returns of Members to serve in the*  
 “ *House of Assembly of Lower Canada.*”

(26th. February, 1816.)

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS an Act was passed in the Forty-eighth year of His Majesty's reign  
 intituled “ *An Act to regulate the Trial of Controverted Elections or re-*  
 “ *turns of Members to serve in the House of Assembly of Lower Canada,*”  
 which said Act was continued by an Act passed in the Fifty-fourth year of His  
 Majesty's Reign until the first day of May, One thousand eight hundred and  
 Sixteen.