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WHEREAS the duty imposed on Secretary-Treasurers by the seven-^{Preamble.}
ty-first section of chapter fifteen of the Consolidated Statutes for
Lower Canada, respecting Education, of making an annual census of
the children in each School Municipality, interferes considerably with
5 the performance of their other duties; and it is expedient to remedy
this inconvenience: Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice
and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada,
enacts as follows:

1. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the seventy-first
10 section of the Act above cited, the census of children in each School
Municipality shall hereafter be made by any person who may be ap-
pointed for that purpose, and paid by the School Commissioners or
the Trustees of Dissident Schools, if they think proper, and not ne-
cessarily by their Secretary-Treasurer as heretofore. <sup>Annual cen-
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2. The half-yearly examinations made by the Commissioners or
15 Trustees of Schools shall be public. <sup>Examination
to be public.</sup>