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HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:

1. After the second sub-section of the seventh section of the Act intituled, "An Act containing special Provisions concerning both Houses of the Provincial Parliament," being the section thereof relating to penalties on disqualified persons sitting or voting in the Provincial Parliament, shall be added the following as a third sub-section to the said section, that is to say—

Additional sub-section to sec. 7 of Con. Stat. Can., cap. 3.

3. In case any such action, suit, or information be brought, and judgment therein be recovered against the defendant, no proceedings shall be had in any other such action, suit, or information against the same person, for any such offence committed before the time of notice to him of the recovery of such judgment; and the Court, wherein any such other action, suit, or information is brought and pending, shall and may, upon the defendant's motion, stay the proceedings therein, if such first mentioned action, suit, or information be prosecuted without fraud, and with effect; but no action, suit, or information shall be deemed an action, suit, or information within this Act, unless so prosecuted.

Action, &c., for recovery of penalty not to proceed if previous action, &c., be prosecuted without fraud and with effect.