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**BILL.**

**An Act to explain and amend the Clergy Reserves Appropriation Act, as regards the mode of ascertaining the number of Rate-payers in the several Municipalities in Upper Canada.**

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HON. MR. MORRISON.

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**An Act to explain and amend the Clergy Reserves Appropriation Amendment Act of 1856, as regards the mode of ascertaining the number of Rate-payers in the several Municipalities in Upper Canada.**

**F**OR the removal of doubts under the enactment hereinafter mentioned:—  
Preamble.  
ed : Her Majesty &c., enacts as follows :

The word “Ratepayers” in the first and second sections of the Act passed in the Session held in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty’s Reign, and intituled, *An Act to amend the Provincial Act appropriating the moneys arising from the Clergy Reserves*, shall be construed held and taken to mean those persons and those only who shall be residents within the limits of the Municipalities mentioned in the said Acts, and whose names shall appear on the Assessment Rolls of each Municipality as Rate-payers:—And the affidavit to be made and returned to the Receiver General’s Office by the clerks of the several Municipalities, under the second section of the said Act shall be made in the form of the schedule to this Act annexed.

**SCHEDEULE.**

A. B. Clerk of the Municipality of the (*City, Town, Township or village, as the case may be,*) maketh oath and saith, that the above (*within written or annexed*) return (*as the case may be*) contains a true statement of the number of resident Rate-payers appearing on the Assessment Roll of the said City, &c., *as the case may be*, for the year 185

Sworn before me, &c.