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An Act to permit Lands in Upper Canada to be conveyed to Trustees for Burial Places.

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WHEREAS in many parts of Upper Canada the inhabitants are desirous of securing the title to land, requisite for a burying-ground which shall not belong exclusively to any of the various denominations of Christians, and that the same should be taken and held by trustees acting in a corporate capacity and having perpetual succession: Be it therefore enacted, &c. Preamble.

That whenever any of the inhabitants of any township or locality in Upper Canada, to the number often or more, shall desire to take a conveyance of land for the purpose mentioned in the preamble to this Act, it shall and may be lawful for them to appoint trustees, to whom and their successors to be appointed in such manner as shall be specified in the deed conveying the same to them, the land requisite for the purposes aforesaid may be conveyed: and such trustees and their successors in perpetual succession, by the name expressed in such deed, shall be capable of taking, holding and possessing such land, in trust to and for the uses and purposes limited in such deed, and of commencing and maintaining any action or proceeding in law or equity for the protection thereof, and of their right in and to the same: Land for such Burying-Ground may be vested in Trustees. Provided there shall not be held in trust under any such conveyance for the purposes aforesaid, more than ten acres of land for the inhabitants of any Proviso.

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