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An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act, so as to extend its application to Japanese, and to provide for a more equitable distribution of the revenue derived thereunder.

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An Act to amend the Chinese Immigration Act, so as to extend its application to Japanese, and to provide for a more equitable distribution of the revenue derived thereunder.

**H**ER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

**1.** Section 2 of *The Chinese Immigration Act*, chapter 67 of R.S.C., c. 67, 5 the Revised Statutes, is hereby amended by adding thereto <sup>s. 2 amended.</sup> the following paragraph:—

“(f.) The expression “Japanese immigrant” means any <sup>“Japanese immigrant” defined.</sup> person of Japanese origin entering Canada and not entitled to the privilege of exemption provided for by section 8 of this 10 Act.”

**2.** The said Act and the Acts amending it are hereby <sup>Act to apply to Japanese.</sup> amended by inserting the words “or Japanese” after the word “Chinese” wherever it occurs.

**3.** Section 8 of the said Act is hereby amended by substituting the words “five hundred” for the word “fifty” in the <sup>Section 8 amended.</sup> third line thereof.

**4.** The section substituted for section 15 of the said Act by <sup>Section 15 amended.</sup> section 3 of chapter 35 of the statutes of 1887, is hereby amended by substituting the words “a three-fourths” for the 20 words “one-fourth” in the third line thereof.