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5th Session, 8th Parliament, 29th Victoria, 1866.

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An Act to amend the Act "respecting abuses  
"prejudicial to Agriculture," Chapter 26  
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**W**HEREAS it has become necessary to provide for the preservation Preamble.  
of the Woods and Forests in Lower Canada; Her Majesty, by  
and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assem-  
bly of Canada, enacts as follows :

5 **1.** The third sub-section of the seventeenth section of the twenty- Proviso added  
sixth Chapter of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada, is hereby to sub-section:  
amended, by adding at the end thereof the following proviso :— 3 of sec. 17 of  
"Provided always that it shall be the duty of the Inspector, when- cap. 26 of the  
ever it shall appear to him to be evident that the *découvert* demanded O. S. L. C.  
10 is not necessary, to give his decision to that effect, and to declare that Proviso.  
such *découvert* is not necessary, and thereupon to discharge the com-  
plainant's neighbour from the obligation to grant him *découvert*.

**2.** This Act shall be a Public Act, and shall be deemed to form part Public Act:  
of Chapter 26 of the Consolidated Statutes for Lower Canada.