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IN amendment of the Act respecting the Municipal Institutions of Upper Canada; Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:— Preamble.

1. The Municipal Corporation of every Township or Incorporated One half the
 5 Village in Upper Canada, adjacent to any public travelled County Road Statute La-
 not subject to Toll, shall in every year direct that one half of all statute bour within a
 labour for which any person residing within one mile and a half of such mile and a
 Road shall be liable, or for which any person shall be liable in respect of half of a coun-
 lands lying within the said distance of such Road, and one-half of all ty Road to be
 10 money paid in commutation of such Statute Labour, shall be apportioned opened on
 and applied by the several Pathmasters having the ordering of such such Road.
 Statute Labour, to the maintenance and repairs of such County Road,
 under the superintendance of some officer to be appointed by the County
 Council, and in such manner as he shall direct, and it shall be the duty
 15 of every Pathmaster to see that such Statute Labour and money is so
 applied.

2. Any Pathmaster who shall refuse or neglect to cause such Statute Penalty on
 Labour or money as aforesaid to be apportioned and applied as herein Pathmasters
 before prescribed, or shall direct or connive at any other application applying the
 20 thereof, shall for each day on which such refusal or neglect, mis- same other-
 direction, or connivance shall be committed or continue, incur a fine of wise.
twenty dollars, recoverable in a summary manner by complaint before
 one Justice of the Peace; and one half of such fine shall belong to the
 prosecutor, and the other half to the County in which the Road within
 25 respect to which an offence is committed shall be situate.