



CHAPTER 152

An Act to amend the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 110, incorporating *Les Pères Eudistes de la Province de Québec*

[Assented to, the 20th of March, 1930]

WHEREAS *Les Pères Eudistes de la Province de Québec* Preamble.
have, by their petition, represented:

That since their incorporation by the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 110, their field of action has been considerably extended and now includes several ecclesiastical dioceses of the Province; that in order to attain its object and successfully carry out its work, the corporation requires more extended powers as to its capacity to bind itself, receive, contract and possess property; that the provincial establishment of the petitioners is at Laval-des-Rapides, and, for the proper administration of their affairs, it is expedient to remove the corporate seat of the corporation from Chicoutimi to Laval-des-Rapides;

Whereas they have prayed for an act to amend the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 110, for the above purposes; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. Section 3 of the act 4 Edward VII, chapter 110, is ^{4 Ed. VII, c. 110, s. 3,} replaced by the following:

“3. The corporation may:

(a) Appear before the courts in the same manner as any other person;

(b) Accept, receive, acquire, possess, according to law, moveable and immoveable properties of any kind, for the purpose of its work, provided that the annual revenue from the immoveables possessed

replaced.
Powers of
the congrega-
tion.

- by the corporation, for revenue purposes, in any diocese, shall not exceed fifty thousand dollars;
- (c) Lease, hypothecate, sell, exchange, transfer or otherwise alienate, by any title whatsoever, all its moveable and immoveable property; borrow by means of bonds, obligations or debentures; become a party to bills of exchange, promissory notes or other commercial securities;
 - (d) Adopt by-laws respecting its internal government and administration and the disposal of its property, or repeal the same, when necessary;
 - (e) Appoint officers, procurators and administrators and define their powers."

4 Ed. VII, c.
110, s. 5,
replaced.
Corporate
seat.

2. Section 5 of the said act is replaced by the following:

"**5.** The corporate seat of the corporation, originally fixed in the town of Chicoutimi, shall be transferred to Laval-des-Rapides, but may be changed by by-law of the council of the corporation, provided it be in the Province of Quebec. Such by-law, before coming into force, shall be published twice, during two consecutive weeks, in the *Quebec Official Gazette* and in a French newspaper and in an English newspaper in the locality to which such corporate seat is to be transferred or, if there are no such newspapers, in the newspapers of the nearest locality."

Coming into
force.

3. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction.