



CHAPTER 156

An Act to allow Samuel Hiram Rasminsky to change his surname from Rasminsky to Rost

[Assented to, the 4th of April, 1929]

WHEREAS Samuel Hiram Rasminsky, merchant, of the city and district of Montreal, has, by petition, set forth his desire to change his surname from Rasminsky to Rost, on account of the difficulty of spelling and pronouncing his surname and on account of his having been known under the name of Rost for many years, and has prayed for the passing of an act for that purpose, and that it is expedient to grant the said prayer: Preamble.

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

1. The said Samuel Hiram Rasminsky shall hereafter be called and known by the name of Samuel Hiram Rost, and by the latter name shall hereafter claim, exercise and enjoy all advantages, benefits, rights and titles which, without such change of name, he would have been entitled to claim, exercise or enjoy; and all contracts, covenants and agreements made and entered into by him, by and under the name of Samuel Hiram Rasminsky, shall avail and be binding on him and be deemed to be entered into by him under the name of Samuel Hiram Rost, and all legacies or bequests contained in any will made in his favour by the name of Samuel Hiram Rasminsky shall avail to him as if the name of Samuel Hiram Rost had been mentioned therein, and also by the latter name he shall recover, have, hold and possess and be capable of inheriting all real or personal property and rights of any nature or kind whatsoever, which he may at present have, hold or possess, or which hereafter he may be capable of

Change of name of Rasminsky to Rost.
Effect of such change.

inheriting, recovering, holding or possessing, as fully and for the same extent as if the change had not hereby been made.

Suits, etc.,
not affected.

2. If any suit or legal or equitable proceeding has been commenced by or against the said Samuel Hiram Rost, by his former name, such suit or proceedings shall not be affected, nor any relief or recovery sought thereby prevented, by reason of any such change of name, but the same may be continued and carried on to judgment and execution, and until satisfaction and discharge be had, as if this act had not been passed.

Rights, etc.,
to apply to
descen-
dants.

3. All rights and privileges generally of whatever nature and kind soever that may be hereby acquired by the said Samuel Hiram Rost, and which hereafter may be acquired under this act, shall apply to his children and descendants.

Coming into
force.

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