

C H A P. 66

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the Mutual Benefit Associations and Charitable Associations.

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

**HIS MAJESTY**, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

**1.** The Revised Statutes, 1909, are amended by inserting therein, after article 6907, the following article: R. S., 6907a, added.

“**6907a.** Notwithstanding any special or general law to the contrary, a mutual benefit association or a charitable association, registered under the provisions of articles 6937 to 6951, shall not, as such, be subject to any license or business tax on the part of the municipalities, except, however, if it should avail itself of the provisions of paragraph 6 of article 6935.” Exemption from taxation of mutual benefit association, etc.

**2.** This act shall come into force on the day of its sanction. Coming into force.

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C H A P. 67

An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the transfer of Cove-Receipts

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

**HIS MAJESTY**, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

**1.** The Revised Statutes, 1909, are amended by replacing subsection second of section seventeenth of chapter first of title twelfth (articles 7461 to 7464) by the following subsection and articles: R. S., 7461 to 7464, replaced.

“§ 2.—*Transfer of Cove-Receipts*

“**7461.** Any cove-receipt or any receipt given by a cove-keeper or by the owner or keeper or other person entitled to the possession, use or occupancy of any wharf, yard, timber limit, harbour, boom, warehouse, storehouse Transfer of cove-receipts, etc., by endorsement, as col-

lateral security.

or other place for logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof there laid up, stored or deposited, or any receipt given by any person in charge of logs, pulpwood or other timber in transit by river or otherwise from timber limits or other lands or by the owner of or any other person entitled to receive the same, or any bill of lading or receipt given by a master of a vessel or by a carrier for logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof shipped in such vessel or delivered to such carrier for carriage from any place to any part of this Province or through the same or on the waters bordering thereon or from the same to any other place may, by endorsement thereon by the owner of or person entitled to receive such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof or his attorney or agent, be transferred as collateral security for the payment of any bill of exchange, note, debt or liability.

Effect of such endorsement.

Such endorsement, notwithstanding any existing law, vests in the endorsee, from the date of such endorsement, all the right and title of the endorser to or in or in respect to such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves, or other lumber or products thereof and to all property into which the same or any thereof may be converted, subject to the right of the endorser to have the same re-transferred to him, if such bill, note, debt or liability be paid when due.

Effect of non-payment.

In the event of the non-payment of such bill, note, debt or liability, when due, such endorsee may sell the said logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof or the property into which the same or any thereof shall have been converted, and retain the proceeds or so much thereof as will be equal to the amount due upon such bill, note, debt or liability, with any interest or costs, returning the overplus, if any, to such endorser.

Cove-keeper, etc., owning or being entitled to timber, etc.

**“7462.** Where any cove-keeper or owner or keeper or other person entitled to the possession, use or occupancy of any wharf, yard, timber limit, harbour, boom, warehouse, storehouse or other place, or person in charge of logs, pulpwood or other timber in transit by river or otherwise from timber limits or other lands, or master of a vessel, or carrier by whom a receipt or bill of lading may be given in such capacity for logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof, is at the same time the owner of or entitled himself (otherwise than in the capacity of cove-keeper or of owner or keeper or other person entitled to the possession, use or occupancy of a wharf, yard, timber limit, harbour, boom, warehouse,

storehouse or other place, or of person in charge of logs, pulpwood or other timber in transit from timber limits or other lands or of master of a vessel or carrier) to receive such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof, any such receipt or bill of lading or any acknowledgement or certificate intended to answer the purpose of such receipt or bill of lading, given and endorsed by such person, shall be as valid and effectual as if the person giving such receipt or bill of lading or acknowledgment or certificate, and endorsing the same, were not one and the same person.

**“7463.** The security created by any such endorsement of any such receipt or bill of lading shall not be effective for any period exceeding twelve months; and no transfer of any such receipt or any bill of lading shall be made to secure the payment of any bill of exchange, note, debt or liability unless the same is negotiated or contracted at the same time with the endorsement of such receipt or bill of lading or unless a written promise or agreement that such security would be given is made at the same time that such bill of exchange, note, debt or liability is negotiated or contracted; provided, however, that such bill, note, debt or liability may be renewed or the time for payment thereof extended without affecting the security so created.

Security effective for a period of twelve months.

When security must be transferred.

Proviso.

No sale of any such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof or property into which the same or any thereof shall have been converted shall, without the consent in writing of the owner thereof, be made unless thirty days' notice of the time and place of such sale shall have been given by registered letter transmitted through the post office to the owner of such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or other lumber or products thereof or property into which the same or any thereof shall have been converted, prior to the sale thereof.

Sale of logs, etc.

Notice.

Every such sale shall be made by public auction after notice thereof by advertisement, stating the time and place thereof, for at least eight days consecutively in at least two daily newspapers, one in French and the other in English, published in or nearest to the place where such sale is to be made.

Sale by public auction. Notice.

A daily newspaper is deemed to be published nearest to a place, if no other daily newspaper be published in the same language in or nearer to such place; and if in any such place where any such sale by auction is to be made, there be not any newspaper published daily in either language, but some newspaper or newspapers be published in such language less often than daily, then such adver-

Daily newspapers.

tisement shall also be published in every issue of such local newspaper, or of at least one such local newspapers, during the time of its being published in daily newspapers.

Endorsement of cover-receipt gives to the endorsee security on logs, etc.

Priority of claim.

**"7464.** Any such endorsement of any such cover-receipt or bill of lading or receipt, acknowledgment or certificate shall give to the endorsee thereof security on the logs, pulpwood and other timber, boards, deals, staves and other lumber therein mentioned and the products thereof and all property into which the same or any thereof may be converted, prior to and by preference over the claim of any unpaid vendor or other creditor, save and except claims for wages of labor performed in making and transporting such logs, pulpwood or other timber, boards, deals, staves or lumber.

Rights of Crown not affected.

**2.** Nothing in this act shall be interpreted as affecting the rights of the Crown.

Coming into force.

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

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## C H A P. 68

### An Act to amend the Workmen's Compensation Act of the Province of Quebec

[Assented to, the 29th of December, 1922]

**H**IS MAJESTY, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

R. S., 7329, am.

**1.** Article 7329 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, as amended by the acts 4 George V, chapter 57, section 1, and 8 George V, chapter 71, section 5, is further amended:

*a.* By replacing the words: "two thousand five hundred", in the fifth and sixth lines of the second paragraph thereof, by the words: "three thousand";

*b.* By replacing the words: "two thousand five hundred", in the second and third lines of the third paragraph thereof, by the words: "three thousand".

Coming into force.

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

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