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An Act to amend the Revised Statutes, 1909, respecting the administration of oaths by justices of the peace

[Assented to, 25th of February, 1921]

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 3351 thereof, the following: R. S., 3351a, enacted.

“**3351a.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may confer upon any justice of the peace, in addition to the powers he may exercise within the boundaries of the territory under his jurisdiction, the power to administer to any person, in any part of the Province mentioned in the order in council appointing him, and in his commission, an oath for the making of any affidavit or declaration in connection with, required or exacted by, or which may be given in virtue of, any law, except in criminal matters.” Justices of the peace may be authorized to administer certain oaths.

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

C H A P. 70

An Act to amend the law respecting jurors in criminal cases

[Assented to, 19th of March, 1921]

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

1. Article 3460 of the Revised Statutes, 1909, is replaced by the following: R. S., 3460, replaced.

“**3460.** If, either previous to or during any term of the Court of King’s Bench or any Court of General Sessions of the Peace, it appears that the number of cases to be tried will require one or more supplementary panels of petit jurors, the court or any judge thereof may, on application of the representative of the Crown, order the sheriff to summon one or more of such panels, as the case Supplementary panels.

