

CHAP. 101

An Act to incorporate Congregation Kehal Jeshurin.

[Assented to 4th June, 1910]

WHEREAS Louis Presner, D. Stark, J. Stober, David Aronovitch, M. H. Axelrad, David Sperber, B. Solinger, T. Goodman, A. Finkelstein, M. Manis, Charles Schacher, all merchants, Charles L. Rosenberg, book-keeper, Myer Reichenbaum, cutter, Wolf Leitr, teacher, all of the city and district of Montreal, have by petition represented that they are persons professing the Jewish religion and have prayed to be incorporated as a religious congregation for the purposes of divine worship in the city of Montreal under the name of "Congregation Kehal Jeshurin"; 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. Louis Presner, D. Stark, J. Stober, David Aronovitch, M. H. Axelrad, David Sperber, B. Solinger, T. Goodman, A. Finkelstein, M. Manis, Charles Schacher, all merchants, Charles L. Rosenberg, book-keeper, Myer Reichenbaum, cutter, Wolf Leitr, teacher, all of the city and district of Montreal, and all other persons who now are and may hereafter become members of the said congregation, are hereby constituted a corporation under the name of "Congregation Kehal Jeshurin." Persons incorporated. Name.

2. All property moveable and immoveable now possessed and held in trust for the said congregation shall be and is transferred to and vested in the said congregation. Property transferred, &c., to corporation.

3. The said corporation may at all times acquire, sell, lease, exchange, hypothecate and alienate its immoveable property or any part thereof and acquire in its place and stead other immoveable property and the said corporation shall have the power to make, draw, accept, endorse and transfer bills of exchange, promissory notes, cheques, bons and other negotiable documents and instruments under the signature of its officers and others in its corporate name as shall be determined by the by-laws of the said congregation. Acquisition, &c., of property, &c.

4. The said corporation may have, hold and possess, and may acquire by purchase, gift, will or otherwise, any immoveable property in and near the city of Montreal that may be held. Immoveable property that may be held.

required for a synagogue or place of worship, or for a house for the residence of the rabbi or officiating minister, or for a cemetery or burial ground, or for any other purpose of the said corporation; provided always that the use of any land for a cemetery shall be subject to the laws respecting cemeteries; and provided further that the immoveable property held by the said corporation shall not exceed on the whole, the quantity of ten arpents in superficial extent, and the value thereof shall not exceed the sum of two hundred thousand dollars.

Excess of im-
moveables
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of.

5. In the event of the said corporation receiving by gift or will, an immoveable property in excess of that which it is hereby authorized to possess, the said gift or legacy shall not on that account be void, but the said corporation shall be bound, within three years from the date of its entering into peaceable possession of the said gift or legacy, to sell and dispose of the said immoveable property in such manner that the immoveable property of the said corporation shall not exceed in value the sum of two hundred thousand dollars.

Appointment
of rabbi.
Registers of
civil status,
&c.

6. The said corporation shall keep registers for acts of civil status according to law, and may from time to time appoint a rabbi or officiating minister, and may remove him and appoint another or others in his place, and the rabbi or officiating minister of the said congregation is hereby authorized and empowered to keep registers for acts of civil status and in connection therewith to exercise all other powers appertaining to ministers of religious congregations.

By-laws, &c.

7. The said corporation is authorized to make by-laws for its internal government and for the government and discipline of its members, and to amend or repeal the said by-laws or any part of them as may be expedient, provided always that none of such by-laws be inconsistent with this act or with the laws of this Province.

Proviso.

Charter, &c.,
of Montreal
not affected.

8. Nothing in this act shall prevent the provisions of the charter of the city of Montreal, or of the by-laws passed by the said city in accordance with its charter, from applying to this corporation, nor the provisions of the law governing public health.

Certain
statement to
be transmit-
ted

9. The said corporation shall, whenever thereunto required by the Provincial Secretary, transmit to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council a statement of its moveable and immoveable property, the names of its officers and a certified copy of its rules and by-laws.

10. The act of the late Province of Lower Canada 9-10 Geo. IV, George IV, chapter 75 shall not apply to the members and officiating minister of the said congregation. c. 75 not to apply.

11. This act shall come into force on the day of its sanc-Coming into
tion. force.

CHAP. 102

An Act to incorporate the Jewish Congregation Beth Israel, of
Lachine

[Assented to 4th June, 1910]

WHEREAS Samuel Freedman, Abraham Goldwater, Joseph Preamble.

Mandelstan, Max Miller and Kohath Lerner, all of the city of Lachine, merchants, have by petition represented that they belong to the Jewish religion, and are adherents thereof, and that for the purpose of divine worship according to the tenets of the Jewish religion, it is expedient, and in the interest of the petitioners, that they should be incorporated, in order that the corporation to be formed may in its own name acquire and possess property moveable and immoveable, and do all acts that may be required for the purpose of its formation; 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. Samuel Freedman, Abraham Goldwater, Joseph Man- Persons in-
delstan, Max Miller and Kohath Lerner, and all other per- corporated.
sons who may become members, are hereby constituted a cor-
poration under the name of "Congregation Beth Israel of Name.
Lachine" with its principal place of affairs in the city of Corporate
Lachine. seat.

2. All property, moveable and immoveable, which may be Certain pro-
held in trust for the said corporation, shall be, and the same erty
is hereby transferred and vested in the said corporation, and vested in
the said corporation shall have and exercise all rights belong- corporation.
ing to the said congregation and shall be subject to all the obli-
gations contracted by it.

3. The said corporation shall have and exercise all the rights Rights of
belonging to ecclesiastical corporations, with the right to corporation.
render mutual assistance to the members of such corporation.