

Order of Court, &c.      judge, after hearing summarily the parties present, shall, in its or his discretion, give or refuse the order.

Production of books, &c., and inspection of same.      Upon such order having been duly served upon said person, the latter shall be bound, subject to all legal penalties in case of default so to do, to produce such books or papers as aforesaid ; and upon the same having been so produced, the Provincial Treasurer or his representative, subject to the orders which the court or judge may give in that behalf, may take communication of such books or papers, and make copies of or extracts therefrom. The costs of such application and of the proceedings thereunder shall be in the discretion of the court or judge."

Costs.

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

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## CHAP. 15

An Act to validate certain deeds of transfer of the property of successions subject to succession duty :

[*Assented to 28th February, 1907*]

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

Certain deeds confirmed.      **1.** All deeds transferring the ownership of the property of successions, made and passed since the twenty-fourth day of June, eighteen hundred and ninety-two, are valid, notwithstanding that the duties imposed under the law relating to duties upon successions, were not paid till after the date on which such deeds were passed, or have not yet been paid, provided, in the latter case, the said duties be paid within the sixty days following the coming into force of this act.

Proviso.

Pending cases, &c., not affected.      **2.** This act shall not affect pending cases, nor the acquired rights of third parties.

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

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