

1. To the widow of the deceased member ;
2. If he leaves no widow, to his children and the children of his children ;
3. If he leaves neither widow nor children, to his lawful heirs and representatives.

The indemnity payable at death does not form part of the community of property between consorts and does not fall into such community.

The beneficiaries may receive the amount of the said indemnity without accepting the succession of the deceased.

The payment of the said sum, thirty days after the receipt of the notice of death, to any person or persons appearing to have a legal right thereto, shall entirely discharge the society."

Coming into force.

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

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### An Act to incorporate the Quebec Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' Association

[Assented to 28th March, 1901]

Preamble.

**W**HEREAS John Ritchie, Joseph S. Langlois, Onésime Goulet, Vilbon Garon, William A. Marsh, James Muir, Charles E. McKeen, Frédéric Lachance, Elie Jobin, Gaspard Rochette, Louis Joseph Adelard Demers, Alphonse Prudent Déchêne, Alexandre Migner, Thomas Migner, Achille Boucher, Dame Alice Samson, wife of Alfred Poirier, Thomas Duchaine, Joseph Honoré Lachance, Ludger Robitaille, Joseph Poirier, Benjamin Crépault, Jean-Baptiste Drolet, J. Marcell Rochette, François Octave Schryburt, Damase Dion, Jean H. Laroche, Jean Vermette, Eugène Thivierge, Joseph-Etienne Samson, and Louis-Etienne Thi-bandeau, all of Quebec, and Paul Tourigny, of Victoriaville, have by their petition prayed to be incorporated, under the name of "The Quebec Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' Association," for the purpose of promoting the boot and shoe manufacturing industry in Quebec, and assisting and protecting one another ; and whereas it is expedient to grant their prayer ;

Therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

**1.** The persons named in the preamble to this act, all others who are members of such association and all those who may hereafter become members thereof, are hereby incorporated under the name of "The Quebec Boot and Shoe Manufacturers' Association." Persons incorporated. Name.

**2.** The corporation may contract and bind itself, acquire and possess moveable and immoveable property, exchange, sell, alienate and hypothecate its property, loan or borrow, and generally enter into all civil contracts not prohibited by law. Corporate powers.

**3.** There shall be a board of directors to manage and administer the affairs of the corporation, which shall be elected at the first general meeting convened by the persons above named; and such board, composed of not more than seven members, shall have power to make, amend and repeal all statutes, by-laws and regulations which may be deemed necessary to carry out the intentions of this act, provided they be not contrary to law; but such by-laws and all changes made therein shall be adopted by a majority of two thirds of the members present at a general meeting. Board of directors.

**4.** Among other powers, the board of directors may make by-laws respecting the number of directors, the manner of their election, their remuneration; the choice of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and other officers, their remuneration; the general meetings and board meetings, the manner of convening them; the conditions of admission and expulsion of members, their contribution and the penalties for infringements of the by-laws of the association, which by-laws, however, shall be approved by a majority of two thirds of the members present at a general meeting. Powers of board of directors.

**5.** The head office of the corporation shall be in Quebec. Head office.

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