

Registration and publication thereof.

“**600b.** Commissions issued under the preceding article shall be recorded in the office of the Provincial Registrar, and notice of the appointments shall be inserted in the Quebec Official Gazette by the Provincial Secretary.

List of, to be laid before Legislature.

A list of such commissions issued during the year shall be laid before the Legislature within the first fifteen days of its next ensuing session in each year.”

Commissions now in force not affected.

**2.** Nothing done, however, under the preceding provisions shall affect any commission in force on the day when this act comes into force, and no regulation made under the same shall affect the validity of any commission issued before the said day.

Coming into force.

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

#### C A P. X I V.

An Act to create a Revenue Branch in the Treasury Department.

[Assented to 21st March 1889.]

**H**ER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows:

Sec Va added to R. S. Q., t. 4, c. 5.

**1.** The following provisions shall form section Va of chapter fifth of title fourth of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec:

#### SECTION Va.

##### CONTROL OF THE PROVINCIAL REVENUE.

##### § 1.—*Revenue Branch and its officers.*

Revenue Branch established.

“**775a.** So as to provide more efficiently for the requirements of the public service, there is established in the Treasury Department a special branch called the “Revenue Branch.”

Appointment of Comptroller of Provincial Revenue.

“**775b.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council appoints, by commission, for the management of such branch, an officer called the “Comptroller of Provincial Revenue.”

Appointment of Inspector and other officers.

“**775c.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council appoints an Inspector of outside Revenue Offices and the other

employees necessary for the working of the Revenue Branch.

§ 2.—*Comptroller and his functions.*

“**775d.** Under the immediate direction of the Provincial Treasurer, the comptroller has charge of the following services : Services managed by comptroller.

Municipal Loan Fund ;  
 Quebec Fire Loan ;  
 Stamps ;  
 Percentage on fees of public offices ;  
 Licenses issued under the Quebec License Law ;  
 Direct taxes upon commercial corporations ;  
 Municipal contributions to the Building and Jury Fund ;  
 Municipal and other contributions to the maintenance of the insane in asylums in the Province, the maintenance of Common Gaols, and the maintenance of Industrial Schools ;

And, generally, all sums collected through the collectors of Provincial Revenue.

“**775e.** The Lieutenant-Governor in Council may, from time to time, add to the above mentioned services any other revenue service which he deems expedient to add to the Revenue Branch.” Lieutenant-Governor may add other services.

**2.** Articles 1159, 1161 and 1162 of the said Revised Statutes are amended by replacing the words “assistant treasurer,” wherever found therein by the words “Comptroller of Provincial Revenue.” R. S. Q., art. 1159, 1161 and 1162 amended

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

C A P . X V .

An Act to amend the Quebec License Law.

[Assented to 21st March, 1889.]

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislature of Quebec, enacts as follows :

**1.** The following paragraph is added after paragraph 32 of article 828 of the Revised Statutes of the Province of Quebec : R. S. Q., art. 828 amended.

“**33.** The competent authorities are the officers charged with the duty of confirming or rejecting license certificates for the sale of intoxicating liquors.” “Competent authorities” defined.