

British North America Act 1867

1867 CHAPTER 3 30 and 31 Vict

IX.—

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

General

129 Continuance of existing laws, courts, officers, &c.

Except as otherwise provided by this Act, all laws in force in Canada, Nova Scotia, or New Brunswick at the union, and all courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction, and all legal commissions, powers, and authorities, and all officers, judicial, administrative, and ministerial, existing therein at the union shall continue in Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick respectively, as if the union had not been made; subject nevertheless (except with respect to such as are enacted by or exist under Acts of the Parliament of Great Britain, or of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland,) to be repealed, abolished, or altered by the Parliament of Canada, or by the Legislature of the respective province, according to the authority of the Parliament or of that Legislature under this Act.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the British North America Act 1867, Section 129.