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WHEREAS Henri Grier Lafleur, barrister of the Inner Temple, London, England, of the city and district of Montreal, has by his petition represented:

That he is a British subject of the full age of majority;

That he received the degree of bachelor of arts from McGill University in 1929;

That on September 23, 1929, he was indentured to Eugène Lafleur, K.C., and following the decease of Mr. Lafleur to Gordon W. MacDougall, K.C.

That he was elected Rhodes Scholar for the Province of Quebec in 1929 and was thus precluded from following the customary procedure of obtaining a law degree in this Province in conjunction with the three years' clerkship;

That he was admitted to St. John's College, Oxford University, where he studied for three years and received the degrees of bachelor of arts with honours in law, and bachelor of civil law;

That he was called to the Bar of England as a barrister of the Inner Temple, London;

That he now desires to practise law in his native Province at the earliest opportunity;

That the General Council of the Bar of the Province of Quebec at a meeting held at Quebec on September 24, 1932, approved and recommended the passing of an act authorizing the bar of the Province of Quebec to admit him to the practice of law, after passing an oral examination upon the law of the Province of Quebec; and

Whereas the said Henri Grier Lafleur has prayed for the passing of an act for the purposes aforesaid, and it is expedient to grant his prayer;

Therefore, His Majesty, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, enacts as follows:

1. The Bar of the Province of Quebec is authorized to admit the said Henri Grier Lafleur to the practice of law after passing an oral examination only, by the Bar examiners, upon the laws of the Province of Quebec.

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