

**Legislation of the Fifth Session of the Twenty-first Parliament,  
Oct. 10, 1951, to Dec. 29, 1951—concluded**

Subject, Chapter and Date of Assent	Synopsis
<b>Transportation and Communi- cations—concl.</b>	
8 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Canadian National-Canadian Pacific Act, 1935</i> , sets down specific items to be given in the annual report of the Board of Directors submitted to Parliament.
9 Dec. 21	<i>Canadian National Railways Financing and Guarantee Act, No. 2, 1951</i> , authorizes the provision of moneys to meet certain commitments for new equipment incurred during 1951, and the guarantee of securities to be issued by the Company.
15 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Maritime Freight Rates Act</i> adds west-bound rail-and-lake movements to "preferred movements" as defined in the Act.
22 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Railway Act</i> makes numerous changes concerning the constitution and salaries of the Board of Transport Commissioners, appeals under the Act, freight, passenger and joint tariffs, statistics and returns required, and authorizes payments to certain railways for cost of maintenance.
24 Dec. 21	<i>The St. Lawrence Seaway Authority Act</i> . This Act establishes a corporation for the purpose of acquiring lands and constructing, maintaining and operating the works necessary to provide a deep waterway between Lake Erie and the Port of Montreal. This project may be undertaken either wholly in Canada or in conjunction with a United States authority.
26 Dec. 21	<i>The Toronto Harbour Commissioners Act, 1951</i> . Authority is given for control and regulation of the construction and use of pipes or pipe lines for the transportation of oil or gas and for the imposition of charges therefor.
<b>Miscellaneous—</b>	
4 Dec. 21	<i>The Canada Lands Surveys Act</i> is a revision of the legislation formerly enacted under the Dominion Lands Surveys Act (R.S.C., c. 117) and covers: administration; examination, powers and duties of Dominion Lands Surveyors; surveys of public lands in the Northwest Territories, Yukon Territory, National Parks and of surrendered lands and reserves; and special surveys of territorial lands.
16 Dec. 21	<i>The National Gallery Act</i> is a revision of the National Gallery of Canada Act (1913, c. 33), and covers legislation concerning the Board of Trustees, objects and powers, operating account, staff, etc.
17 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the North Fraser Harbour Commissioners Act</i> increases the membership from three to five and amends provisions regarding their remuneration.
21 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Public Printing and Stationery Act</i> raises the minimum value of purchases that must be made by tender and the amount of advances from the Public Treasury that may be outstanding at any one time.
29 Dec. 21	<i>The Whaling Convention Act</i> . This Act implements the International Convention for the regulation of whaling, the purpose of which is to provide for the proper conservation of whale stocks and thus make possible the orderly development of the whaling industry.
30 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Combine Investigation Act</i> . The amendment concerns resale price maintenance.
33 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to Amend the Public Works Act</i> raises the maximum cost of work that may be performed by a department of government without inviting public tender.