

**Legislation of the First Session of the Twenty-Sixth Parliament,  
May 16 to Dec. 21, 1963—concluded**

Subject, Chapter and Date of Assent	Synopsis
<b>Transportation— concluded</b>	
37 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to amend the National Harbours Board Act</i> changes, in the English version of the Act, the words "Three Rivers" wherever they appear to "Trois-Rivières".
39 Dec. 21	<i>An Act to approve an Agreement between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Province of Ontario respecting Public Harbours</i> ; the Agreement defines which harbours in Ontario shall be considered to be the property of Canada and what the limits of these harbours shall be.
<b>Welfare—</b>	
16 Oct. 16	<i>An Act to amend the Old Age Security Act</i> increases the pension paid under the Act from \$65 a month to \$75 a month, effective Oct. 1, 1963, and increases the rate of the Old Age Security tax.
26 Dec. 12	<i>An Act to amend the Old Age Assistance Act, the Disabled Persons Act and the Blind Persons Act</i> increases to \$75 a month the maximum amount of assistance payable under these Acts and increases the permissible income limits.
<b>Miscellaneous—</b>	
4 June 5	<i>An Act to amend the Export and Import Permits Act</i> extends the duration of the Act for a further period of three years to July 31, 1966.
6 July 31	<i>An Act to authorize the Construction and Maintenance of a Bridge and Tunnel across the St. Lawrence River at the Boucherville Islands, in the Province of Quebec.</i>
8 July 31	<i>An Act to amend the Judges Act and the Criminal Code</i> increases the salaries of the Chief Justice of Canada, the puisne judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, the President of the Exchequer Court, the puisne judges of the Exchequer Court, the Chief Justice and other judges of the Supreme Court of Ontario, the Chief Justices and other judges of the superior courts of the provinces, the judges of the Territorial Courts of the Yukon Territory and the Northwest Territories and the judges of the county and district courts of the provinces. Provision is also made for the salaries for fourteen additional judges.
10 Aug. 2	<i>The Dissolution and Annulment of Marriages Act</i> authorizes the Senate of Canada to dissolve or annul marriages.
19 Dec. 5	<i>An Act to amend the Admiralty Act</i> authorizes the payment of salaries to Surrogate Judges and Registrars in lieu of the previous arrangement whereby the holders of these offices were paid from the fees paid in respect of proceedings taken before them.
22 Dec. 5	<i>An Act to amend the Technical and Vocational Training Assistance Act</i> increases the maximum federal contribution to provincial costs incurred in providing training allowances for unemployed persons to 90 p.c.; increases the federal contribution to a province for a training-in-industry program to 75 p.c.; and extends the period during which federal contributions to training-facility expenditures may be made.
24 Dec. 12	<i>An Act to amend the Canadian Overseas Telecommunication Corporation Act</i> extends the co-ordination of Canada's external telecommunication services to include that with nations outside the Commonwealth, provides for the addition to two directors and makes other administrative changes.
25 Dec. 12	<i>An Act to amend the Emergency Gold Mining Assistance Act</i> restricts the application of the Act, in the case of lode gold mines that do not start production until after June 1965, to those mines that provide direct support to existing gold mining communities, and extends the application of the Act to 1967.
30 Dec. 12	<i>An Act to amend the Small Businesses Loans Act</i> extends until Dec. 31, 1966 the time during which guaranteed business improvement loans may be made, and makes other administrative changes.
32 Dec. 21	<i>The Canadian Corporation for the 1967 World Exhibition Act</i> amends the Canadian World Exhibition Corporation Act by changing the name of the Corporation, increasing the number of directors from 12 to 14, and making other administrative revisions.
36 Dec. 21	<i>The Centennial of Canadian Confederation Act</i> amends the National Centennial Act by changing the short title and other names previously designated, by increasing the number of directors from eight to 12 and making other administrative revisions.