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CHAPTER 121

The Department of the Provincial Secretary and Citizenship Act

1. In this Act,

Interpre-
tation

- (a) "Department" means the Department of the Provincial Secretary and Citizenship;
- (b) "Deputy Minister" means the Deputy Provincial Secretary and Deputy Minister of Citizenship;
- (c) "Minister" means the Provincial Secretary and Minister of Citizenship. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 1.

2.—(1) The department of the public service known as the Department of the Provincial Secretary and Citizenship is continued. Department continued

(2) The Minister shall preside over and have charge of the Department. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 2, *amended*. Minister to have charge

3.—(1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may appoint a Deputy Minister of the Department. Deputy

(2) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may appoint such Staff officers, clerks and servants as are considered necessary from time to time for the proper conduct of the business of the Department. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 3.

4.—(1) The Minister may exercise the powers and shall perform the functions and duties that were conferred or imposed on or assigned to the Secretary and Registrar or the Provincial Secretary on the 27th day of January, 1961. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 4 (1), *amended*. Functions, etc., of Minister

(2) The Minister shall, on his own initiative and through Idem co-operation with the ministers having charge of the departments of the public service of Ontario, with the ministers having charge of the departments of the public service of Canada, with municipal councils, with school boards and boards of education, with other organizations and otherwise, in the cause of human betterment, advance and encourage the concept and ideal of full and equal citizenship among the residents of Ontario in order that all may exercise effectively the rights, powers and privileges and fulfil the obligations, duties and liabilities of citizens of Canada within the Province of Ontario.

Idem

(3) In addition to the powers, functions and duties mentioned in subsections 1 and 2, the Minister shall perform such functions and duties as are assigned to him from time to time by the Lieutenant Governor in Council. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 4 (2, 3).

Assignment
of Acts

5. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other Act, the Lieutenant Governor in Council may assign the administration of any Act to the Minister and the Minister shall be responsible for the administration of any Act so assigned and may exercise the powers and shall perform the duties of the minister named in any Act so assigned. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 5.

Seal

6.—(1) The Lieutenant Governor in Council may authorize a seal for the Minister.

Idem

(2) The seal may be reproduced by engraving, lithographing, printing or any other method of mechanical reproduction and when so reproduced has the same effect as if manually affixed. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 6.

References
in Acts

7.—(1) A reference in any Act, regulation or otherwise to the Secretary and Registrar or to the Provincial Secretary shall be deemed to be a reference to the Minister.

Idem

(2) A reference in any Act, regulation or otherwise to the Deputy Provincial Secretary shall be deemed to be a reference to the Deputy Minister. 1960-61, c. 20, s. 7.
