

# *An Act to incorporate the Canadian Theological Seminary*

*being a Private Act*

Chapter 125 of the *Statutes of Saskatchewan, 1973*  
(effective March 29, 1973) as amended by the *Statutes of  
Saskatchewan, 1982-83, c.25.*

## **NOTE:**

**This consolidation is not official. Amendments have been incorporated for convenience of reference and the original statutes and regulations should be consulted for all purposes of interpretation and application of the law. In order to preserve the integrity of the original statutes and regulations, errors that may have appeared are reproduced in this consolidation.**

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## CHAPTER 125

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(Assented to March 29, 1973)

#### **Preamble**

WHEREAS David L. Rambo, Minister, William R. Goetz, Minister and Victor L. Oliver, Professor, all of the City of Regina in the Province of Saskatchewan, have presented a petition praying for the incorporation of Canadian Theological College, an institution having as its objects the maintaining and conducting of a college or colleges for the purpose of educating and training worthy and competent Christian students in the various branches of theology and in preparatory courses thereto; and

Whereas the said institution is to carry on for and on behalf of the Christian and Missionary Alliance; and

Whereas it is expedient to grant the prayer of the said petition:

Therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan, enacts as follows:

#### **Corporation continued under new name**

1(1) The corporation incorporated as the Canadian Theological College is continued as the Canadian Theological Seminary, hereinafter referred to as "the corporation", for the objects and purposes set forth in this Act.

(2) The change of name does not affect any rights or obligations of the Canadian Theological College or render defective any legal proceedings by or against it, and any legal proceedings that might have been continued or commenced by or against the Canadian Theological College may be continued or commenced by or against the Canadian Theological Seminary.

(3) All real and personal property wherever situated belonging to or held in trust by, for or to the use of the Canadian Theological College is vested in the Canadian Theological Seminary to be held, used and administered as it could have been by the Canadian Theological College.

1982-83, c.25, s.3.

#### **Purposes and objects of corporation**

2 The purposes and objects of the corporation are to maintain and conduct a college or colleges for the purpose of educating and training worthy and competent Christian students in the various branches of theology and in preparatory courses thereto.

1973, c.125, s.2.

**Powers**

**3** In addition to the powers, rights and privileges conferred upon or vested in corporations by the laws of Saskatchewan, the corporation shall have full power and authority:

(a) to purchase, lease, acquire, hold, own, possess and enjoy, and to have, take, accept and receive for itself and its successors lands, tenements, hereditments and real and immovable property within Saskatchewan necessary for the actual use and occupation of the corporation in carrying out the said purposes and objects and inclusive of college buildings and offices and grounds and residences of members of the teaching staff and of officers and of students, and without limiting the generality of the foregoing, such other use as the Board of Directors may from time to time determine;

(b) to from time to time and at all times hereafter purchase, lease, acquire, hold, own, possess and enjoy and to have, take, accept and receive for itself and its successors any and all property, movable or immovable, stocks, shares, debentures, money or security for the payment of money, whether in exchange for valuable consideration or acquired by gift, devise or bequest or otherwise howsoever;

(c) to sell, mortgage, lease, exchange or otherwise deal with or dispose of its real and personal property or any portion of either and with the proceeds thereof to acquire other real and personal property to such extent as may be deemed advisable or desirable, and to make and execute all necessary and proper conveyances, transfers or other instruments for carrying the same into effect;

(d) to acquire, take possession of and hold as the corporation may deem proper all such property, real, personal or mixed, as may at any time be mortgaged, hypothecated or pledged to the corporation by way of security or conveyed to it in satisfaction of obligations or debts due or owing to it from any person, firm or corporation;

(e) to borrow from any person, firm, bank or corporation such sum or sums of money as may be found or deemed to be necessary for the purposes of the corporation and to secure any loan to the lender or lenders by bonds, debentures, bills of exchange, promissory notes, mortgages, or any other instruments that may be required or deemed necessary or desirable by the lender or lenders;

(f) to invest all or any sums of money belonging to the corporation and any property or security whatsoever for the use or purposes or benefit of the corporation;

(g) to draw, accept, make, endorse and negotiate bills of exchange and promissory notes and other negotiable securities as and when required for the purposes of the corporation;

(h) to make and enter into treaties, contracts and arrangements for affiliating with the said corporation any other school, college or institution;

(i) to fix, charge and collect fees for any services rendered by the corporation, including fees for instruction and for the board and lodging of students;

(j) to adopt a corporate seal and to change it at will;

- (k) to grant and confer degrees and diplomas in theology;
- (l) to do any and all other things that are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects for which the corporation is established.

1973, c.125, s.3.

**Use of revenue**

4 The revenues, issues and profits of all property held by the corporation shall be applied to the maintenance of the institutions carried on by it, to the construction and repair of buildings and the acquisition of property requisite for its purposes and to promotion of charity and benevolence.

1973, c.125, s.4.

**Head office**

5 The head office of the corporation shall be at the City of Regina in the Province of Saskatchewan or at such other place as may be determined by bylaw.

1973, c.125, s.5.

**Board of directors**

6 The corporation shall be under the management and administration of a board of directors called "The Board of Directors of the Canadian Theological Seminary".

1973, c.125, s.6; 1982-83, c.25, s.4.

**First board**

7 The following persons shall constitute the first board of directors under this Act and shall hold office until their successors are appointed as hereinafter provided:

Gordon Fowler, Roy McIntyre, William J. Newell, Alfred H. Orthner, David L. Rambo, T.A. Reeve, Melvin P. Sylvester, T.M.Y. Wilson, William R. Goetz, Arnold Downey, Peter W. Dyck, Milton R. Johnson, F.L.C. Reed, George Ross, George Bell and John A. Robb.

1973, c.125, s.7.

**Powers of the board of directors**

8(1) The board of directors shall have full power from time to time to adopt or make and alter or vary bylaws, rules and regulations touching and concerning:

- (a) the admission of persons as members of the corporation other than directors of the corporation;
- (b) the number, manner of appointment and term of office of members of the board of directors;
- (c) the time and place of the holding of board of director meetings, notices thereof and procedure thereat;
- (d) the number, residence, duties, salary and other emoluments of the President, professors, teaching staff, officers, agents and servants of the corporation respectively and the provisions for pensions, disability insurance and other benefits for all or any of the foregoing personnel;

- (e) all other matters and things which to them may seem good, fit and useful for the good order, government and advancement of the corporation;
  - (f) the repeal of any such bylaws, rules and regulations.
- (2) All bylaws, rules and regulations made under subsection (1), when reduced into writing and after the common seal of the corporation has been affixed thereto shall be binding upon all members of the corporation.

1973, c.125, s.8.

**Appointment and removal of staff**

**9** The board of directors shall also have full power subject to and in accordance with the bylaws, rules and regulations of the corporation in effect from time to time to appoint and to remove the President, professors, members of the teaching staff, officers, agents and servants of the corporation.

1973, c.125, s.9.

**Executive committee**

**10(1)** The board of directors may, at any time, appoint an executive committee and such other committees as to them may seem fit and useful for the good government and advancement of the corporation and delegate any of their powers to such committees which shall consist of such of the directors and of such other persons as the board of directors shall deem advisable.

(2) Any committee formed under subsection (1) shall, in the exercise of the powers so delegated, conform and be subject to such directions, restrictions and regulations, if any, as are from time to time imposed upon it by the board of directors.

1973, c.125, s.10.

**Execution of documents**

**11** All grants, conveyances, deeds, transfers, leases, assignments, releases, discharges and all other instruments shall be made and executed on behalf of the corporation under its corporate seal attested by the signatures of such directors, officers or other persons as are authorized to do so by bylaw.

1973, c.125, s.11.

**Exemption from taxation**

**12** All property, real and personal, of the corporation now or hereafter acquired shall, while used for college purposes, be exempt from all taxes, rates, levies and assessments of every nature and kind save and except assessments for local improvements.

1973, c.125, s.12.