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# PETITION.

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*To the Honourable the Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, in Parliament assembled:*

The petition of the Vancouver Bar Association, humbly sheweth:—

That whereas section 20 of the "Supreme Court Act" was repealed by section 4 of the "Supreme Court Act Amendment Act, 1899," and in the opinion of your petitioners one of the Judges assigned to the Mainland should reside in the City of Vancouver, and it is expedient that a section to so provide be re-inserted in the "Supreme Court Act."

And whereas the said Vancouver Bar Association, at a meeting recently held, resolved to petition your Honourable Assembly to so amend the "Supreme Court Act," and that such petition should be signed, on behalf of the Association, by the President and Secretary thereof.

Therefore, your petitioners pray that legislation necessary to amend the "Supreme Court Act" and provide that one of the Judges of the Supreme Court reside and usually discharge his duties in the City of Vancouver, be introduced at the present session of your Honourable Assembly.

And your petitioners will ever pray.

Dated the first day of March, A. D. 1901.

THE VANCOUVER BAR ASSOCIATION,

L. G. McPHILLIPS,

*President;*

FRED. W. TIFFIN,

*Secretary.*

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