

ACT NO. 136 OF THE LOUISIANA STATE LEGISLATURE

SENATE BILL NO. 78, INTRODUCED BY SENATOR WM. H. BYRNES.

AN ACT

To authorize and empower Loyola University to confer degrees in the arts and sciences and all the learned professions, and to give diplomas or certificates thereof; and to fix the status of such degrees and diplomas or certificates.

WHEREAS due notice of the intention to apply for the passage of this Act has been published as required by Article 50 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and due evidence thereof has been exhibited in and to the General Assembly.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, That "Loyola University", a corporation organized under the laws of this State and domiciled in the City of New Orleans, be and is hereby authorized and empowered to confer upon its students, or upon any person deemed by it worthy of such distinction, degrees in the arts and sciences and all the learned professions, such as are granted by other universities in the United States, and to give diplomas or certificates thereof.

Provided that the curriculum or course of study in the learned professions shall equal that maintained by other standard universities.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, etc., That said degrees and diplomas or certificates shall be recognized by the courts and all officials of this State, as entitling the graduates receiving said degrees and holding said diplomas or certificates, to the same rights, immunities and privileges in the State of Louisiana as the graduates of any other university or institution of learning whatsoever.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, etc., That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act be and the same are hereby repealed.

L. E. THOMAS,
Speaker of the House of Representatives

THOMAS C. BARRET,
Lieutenant Governor and President of the Senate

ALVIN E. HEBERT,
Secretary of State
Approved July 10th, 1912..

L. E. HALL,
Governor of the State of Louisiana