

**Revised Statutes of 1846 (EXCERPT)  
OF THE LEGISLATURE.**

**4.85 Oath of witnesses.**

Sec. 5. Any senator or representative while acting as a member of a committee of the legislature, or either branch thereof, shall have authority to administer oaths to such persons as shall be examined before the committee of which he is a member.

**History:** R.S. 1846, Ch. 2;—CL 1857, 21;—CL 1871, 24;—How. 41;—CL 1897, 38;—CL 1915, 51;—CL 1929, 18;—CL 1948, 4.85.