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CAP. XVIII.

An Act to enable His Majeſty to order out a certain Proportion of the Supplementary Militia, and to provide for the neceſſary Augmentation of Men, in the ſeveral Companies of Militia, by incorporating the Supplementary Militia therewith.

[20th *February* 1798.]

Preamble.

WHEREAS His Majeſty hath been graciouſly pleaſed to communicate to Parliament, His Royal Intention to draw out and embody the Supplementary Militia, raiſed by virtue of Two Acts, paſſed in the Thirty-ſeventh Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, or ſuch Part thereof as He ſhall think neceſſary to be drawn out or embodied; and the Occaſion of embodying the ſame: And whereas it may be expedient, that only a certain Proportion thereof, in each County, Riding, or Place, ſhould be embodied on the preſent Occaſion; and that the Appointment of the Men neceſſary to conſtitute ſuch Proportion ſhould be decided by Ballot, to be taken in each Subdiviſion or Diſtrict, without aſſembling them previouſly out of their Subdiviſion or Diſtrict: May it therefore pleaſe Your Majeſty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the King's moſt Excellent Majeſty, by and with the Advice and Conſent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this preſent Parliament aſſembled, and by the Authority of the ſame, That the Lieutenant of every County, Riding, or Place, or in caſe of Vacancy, or in the Abſence of the Lieutenant from his County, Riding, or Place, any Three or more Deputy Lieutenants, to whom any Order

When His Majeſty ſhall order the Supplementary

Militia to be embodied, the County Lieutenant to order the Clerks of the Subdivision Meetings to make out Lists of the Men enrolled.

Order of His Majesty, for the Purpose of embodying the said Supplementary Militia, or such Part thereof as herein-after is mentioned, shall be directed, shall, as soon after as conveniently may be, issue his or their Order to the Clerks of the several Subdivision Meetings in such County, Riding, or Place, to prepare and make out a full and true List, containing the Names of all the Persons enrolled to serve in the said Supplementary Militia by virtue of the said Acts, within each Subdivision respectively, before a Day to be specified in the Order of the Lieutenant, or Deputy Lieutenants, as aforesaid, and which Day shall not be later than Three Days after the Date thereof; and the said Clerks shall, within the Time fixed by such Order, prepare and make out such Lists accordingly, and also Two Duplicates thereof, One of which Duplicates shall be for the Use of the Deputy Lieutenants at their Subdivision Meetings, and the other Duplicate thereof shall be transmitted to the Lieutenant of the County, Riding, or Place, or the Deputy Lieutenants, who shall have issued such Order as aforesaid.

Clerks to make out such Lists and Duplicates.

County Lieutenant to issue his Order to the Chief Constable, for assembling the Men on a Day not later than *Feb.* 26, 1798, with Directions to issue Precepts accordingly to the Constables within the respective Divisions, who shall cause Notice to be given to the Men.

II. And be it further enacted, That the said Lieutenant or Deputy Lieutenants as aforesaid, to whom His Majesty's Order shall be directed, shall, at the Time of issuing his or their Order herein-before mentioned, also issue his or their Order for assembling all the Men of the said Supplementary Militia, within their respective Subdivisions, or at such Place or Places within their respective Counties or Ridings, and in such Proportion, as to the said Lieutenant, or Deputy Lieutenants, as aforesaid, shall appear most expedient, on the Day or Days to be specified in such his or their Order, and which Day shall not be later than the Twenty-sixth Day of *February* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, to the Chief Constables or other Officers of the several Hundreds, Rapes, Laths, Wapentakes, or other Divisions, within such County, Riding, or Place, with Directions immediately to issue Precepts conformable thereto, to the Constables, Tythingmen, Headboroughs, or other Officers of the several Parishes, Tythings, and Places, within the said Hundreds, Rapes, Laths, Wapentakes, and Divisions respectively; and such Constables, Tythingmen, Headboroughs, or other Officers, are hereby required, upon Receipt thereof, forthwith to cause Notice in Writing to be given to the several Men of the Supplementary Militia, or left at their usual Places of Abode, within their respective Parishes, Tythings, or Places, to attend within their respective Subdivisions or Districts at the Time and Place mentioned in such Order.

Any Man not appearing, or not abiding the Order of the Deputy Lieutenants, to be deemed a Deserter, *etc.*

III. And be it further enacted, That if any Person of the said Supplementary Militia (not labouring under any Infirmity incapacitating him to serve as a Supplementary Militia Man) shall not appear in pursuance of such Order, or appearing shall not abide the Orders of the Deputy Lieutenants attending in pursuance of this Act, every such Person shall be deemed a Deserter; and if not taken previous to the Completion of the Ballot at which such Person ought to attend in pursuance of this Act, shall forfeit the Sum of Twenty Pounds, and shall be deemed and taken to be a Person liable to serve within the Intent and Meaning of this Act, and to be embodied according to the Directions herein contained, over and above the Number to be chosen by Ballot as aforesaid.

Constables to cause Notice of the Time

IV. And be it further enacted, That the respective Constables, Tythingmen, Headboroughs, or other Officers, within their respective Parishes,

Tythings, and Places, shall cause Notice of the Time and Place appointed for assembling the Men to be chosen by Ballot as aforesaid, to be affixed on the Doors of the Churches or Chapels belonging to their respective Parishes, Tythings, and Places, or where there is no Church or Chapel, then on the Door of the Church or Chapel of some Parish, Tything, or Place thereunto adjoining; and such Notice shall be deemed a sufficient Notice to every Person enrolled by virtue of the said Acts, of the Time and Place of so assembling for those Parishes, Tythings, and Places respectively; and all such Persons shall attend at the Time and Place mentioned in such Notice, and according to the same.

and Place for assembling the Men to be chosen by Ballot to be affixed on the Church Doors.

V. And be it further enacted, That if any Person enrolled by virtue of the said Acts, and not chosen by Ballot in pursuance of this Act, shall offer himself as a Volunteer to be drawn out and embodied in the Room of any Person so chosen by Ballot, it shall be lawful for the Deputy Lieutenants at any Meeting to accept such Volunteer in the Room of such Person so ballotted as aforesaid; and such Person so accepted shall serve as if he had himself been chosen by Ballot.

Persons not chosen by Ballot may be accepted in the Room of those that are.

VI. And be it further enacted, That whenever the whole Number of Persons enrolled in the said Supplementary Militia for any Subdivision of any County, Riding, or Place, shall have been ordered to be drawn out and embodied in pursuance of this Act, and in case any of the Persons so ordered to be drawn out and embodied shall afterwards make Default, either by not appearing in pursuance of any such Order as aforesaid, or by Desertion or Absence from Duty, and such Person shall not be taken within the Space of Three Months from the Time of such Default, then a Vacancy shall be declared by the Deputy Lieutenants at their next Meeting for the Subdivision for which the Person so making Default was enrolled, on the Certificate of such Default, under the Hands of the Officer appointed to receive the ballotted Men for such Subdivision of such County, Riding, or Place, or commanding the Regiment, Battalion, or Independant Company to which they shall be appointed; and the Vacancy thus occasioned shall be filled up by a fresh Ballot for a Supplementary Militia Man, which Ballot shall be conducted according to the Provisions of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year aforesaid, and in like Manner as if such Vacancy had been occasioned by Discharge from the Service.

When the whole Number enrolled for any Subdivision shall be embodied, if any do not appear, and be not taken within Three Months, the Vacancies to be filled up by a fresh Ballot.

VII. And be it further enacted, That the said Lieutenant or Deputy Lieutenants as aforesaid, of every County, Riding, or Place, or any Three or more of them, shall appoint the First Meeting to be holden by the several Deputy Lieutenants and Justices of the Peace of the same County, Riding, or Division, within their respective Subdivisions, or at such other Place or Places as shall have been appointed as aforesaid, on the Day mentioned in such Order as aforesaid, for assembling the Men of the said Supplementary Militia, in order to their being ballotted to serve as herein is mentioned, and shall also appoint the Time and Place of assembling such of the said Men as shall be so ballotted, within their respective Counties, Ridings, or Places, in order to their being embodied; of which several Appointments the respective Deputy Lieutenants and Justices respectively shall have Notice; and all the Men enrolled on the List of every such Subdivision or District, and appearing in pursuance of such Order on the Day so to be appointed, shall be then mustered by the said Deputy Lieutenants,

County Lieutenant to appoint the First Meeting of the Deputy Lieutenants and Justices on the Day for assembling the Men, and to appoint the Time and Place of assembling the Men ballotted, in order to their being embodied.

Men appearing to be mustered, and a

Number to be chosen by Ballot equal to Half of the Whole that ought to be enrolled, &c.

Lieutenants, or by One Deputy Lieutenant and One such Justice of the Peace, or where no Deputy Lieutenant shall attend, then by any One such Justice of the Peace; and the said Deputy Lieutenants, or One Deputy Lieutenant and One Justice of the Peace, or One such Justice of the Peace as aforesaid, shall at such Meeting proceed to cause such a Number of the Men so appearing to be chosen by Ballot as shall be equal to One Half of the compleat Number that ought to be enrolled by virtue of the said Acts on the List of such Subdivision or District, and to cause the Names of all the Persons so chosen to be marked on the List of such Subdivision or District, and when the Ballot shall be concluded, the said Deputy Lieutenants, or One Deputy Lieutenant and One Justice of the Peace, or such Justices of the Peace as aforesaid, shall cause the List of such Subdivision or District to be publickly called, and as the Name of each Person contained therein shall be read, shall declare whether such Person is or is not (as the Case may be) ballotted out of such List, in the Manner herein-before provided; and the Names of all the Persons so chosen by Ballot shall be returned to the Lieutenant of the County, Riding, or Place, for which such Persons are enrolled, or to the Deputy Lieutenants, who shall have given such Order as aforesaid; and the Persons so chosen by Ballot shall be embodied to serve according to the true Intent of the said Acts; and the said Deputy Lieutenants, or One Deputy Lieutenant and One Justice of the Peace, or such Justice of the Peace as aforesaid, shall openly declare to the Men, who have been so ballotted, the Time and Place of their assembling, in order to their being embodied; and all and every such Person or Persons, who shall be so declared to have been so ballotted, shall immediately proceed and repair to, and shall duly attend at the Time and Place so to be appointed and declared, in order to their being embodied accordingly; and all and every such Person or Persons as shall be so declared to have been not so ballotted as aforesaid, shall be discharged from further Attendance in pursuance of such Order as aforesaid.

Persons chosen by Ballot to be embodied, and to attend at the Time and Place appointed for that Purpose.

Persons not ballotted to be discharged from Attendance.

Meetings may be held notwithstanding the Assizes.

VIII. And whereas, in case any of the Meetings appointed by this Act to be held should fall within the Time appointed for the Assizes in any Town where such Meeting has been appointed to be held, Doubts may arise whether it would not be necessary for the Militia Men so met to remove from the same; be it therefore enacted, That it shall be lawful for them to continue and remain there, notwithstanding the Assizes being then held at such Place.

Where any Men have enlisted previous to the Ballot, pursuant to 38 *Geo.* III, Cap. 17; and the same has been certified to the Clerk of the Subdivision, no more shall be chosen than Half the Number that ought to be enrolled, reckoning as

IX. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That where any of the Supplementary Militia of any such Subdivision or District shall have been enlisted, previous to such Ballot, into any of His Majesty's other Forces, in pursuance of an Act, passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled, *An Act for allowing, during the Continuance of the present War, a certain Proportion of the Men, raised in pursuance of Two Acts of the last Session of Parliament, for augmenting the Militia, to enlist into His Majesty's other Forces, and to serve until Six Months after the Conclusion of a General Peace*, and the same shall have been certified, by the Commanding Officer of any Regiment into which any of such Men shall have been enlisted, to the Clerk of such Subdivision or other Meeting, as aforesaid, which Certificate every such Commanding Officer is hereby required to transmit previous to the Day to be appointed for such Ballot, it shall not

be lawful to choose, out of the Men so appearing in such Subdivision or District, a greater Number than will be necessary to complete One Half of the Number that ought to be enrolled on the List of such Subdivision or District, after reckoning, as Part of such Half, the Men enlisted previous to such Ballot, and who shall be so certified: Provided also, that where the Militia Men of such Subdivision or District cannot be equally divided, it shall be lawful to ballot for One Man more than will be necessary to complete the Quota required to be ballotted for such Subdivision or District.

Part the Men enlisted.

X. And be it further enacted, That if any Person of the said Supplementary Militia, ordered to be embodied in pursuance of this Act, (not labouring under any Infirmity incapacitating him to serve as a Supplementary Militia Man), shall not appear and march in pursuance of such Order, every such Militia Man shall be liable to be apprehended and punished as a Deserter, according to the Provisions of any Act which shall be then in force for punishing Mutiny and Desertion, and for the better Payment of the Army and their Quarters; and if any Person shall harbour and conceal any such Militia Man, when ordered to be embodied as aforesaid, knowing him to be such Militia Man, every such Person shall, for every such Offence, forfeit and pay the Sum of One hundred Pounds.

Any Person ordered to be embodied not appearing, to be deemed a Deserter; and any Person harbouring him to forfeit 100 *l.*

XI. And be it further enacted, That every Man of the said Supplementary Militia, who shall appear and attend at the Ballot to be taken in pursuance of this Act on whom the Lot shall not fall, shall be entitled to an Allowance, after the Rate of One Shilling *per Diem*, during the Time he shall be necessarily employed from Home, in going to, continuing at, and returning from the Place to be appointed for such Ballot; to be paid by the Clerk of the Subdivision or other Meeting in which such Men shall be enrolled, on the Certificate of the Number of Men, so appearing, under the Hands of such Clerk, and of such Deputy Lieutenants and Justices of the Peace respectively, or where no Deputy Lieutenant shall there attend, then of any One such Justice of the Peace as aforesaid, and the Receiver General for such County, Riding, or Place, shall, on the like Certificate, reimburse to the said Clerk the Sums so paid, out of any Monies in his Hands of any Aid granted by Parliament by Way of Land Tax; and the Pay of every such Man, who shall be embodied in pursuance of this Act, shall commence on the Day of the Date of His Majesty's Warrant for drawing the said Militia out into actual Service.

Allowance to be made the Men who shall not be chosen by Ballot.

Commencement of the Pay of Men embodied.

XII. And be it further enacted, That the respective Clerks of the Subdivision or other Meetings shall be, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to draw on the Receiver General of the Land Tax for the County, Riding, or Place, for such Sum or Sums of Money as such Deputy Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace respectively, or where no Deputy Lieutenant shall attend, then as one Justice of the Peace shall, by any Order under their or his respective Hands or Hand, direct and appoint, which Sum or Sums of Money shall be applied by such respective Clerks for paying the Allowances herein directed to be made, to the Men of the said Supplementary Militia for their Attendance at the Place of Ballot; and the Receipt of any such Clerk, together with such Order shall be to the said Receiver or Receivers General of the Land Tax a

Clerks of the Meetings may draw on the Receiver General of the Land Tax, by Authority of the Deputy Lieutenants and Justices, for Money for paying Allowances.

ſufficient Diſcharge for the Payment of ſuch Sum or Sums of Money, and be allowed in his or their Account.

Clerks, when required, to make out Accounts of Money received and paid, which, when allowed, ſhall be their Voucher.

XIII. And be it enacted, That the Clerk of each Subdiviſion or other Meeting ſhall, when required by ſuch Deputy Lieutenants and Juſtices of the Peace, or where no Deputy Lieutenant ſhall attend, then by One Juſtice of the Peace, make out an Account of the reſpective Sums of Money by him received and paid, in purſuance of this Act, to be by them examined, allowed, and ſigned, and the Account ſo examined, allowed, and ſigned, ſhall be and is hereby directed to be the proper Voucher and Acquittal of ſuch Clerk for the Application and Diſpoſal of ſuch Money.

When any Militia Man embodied ſhall deſert, and not be taken in, or ſhall be abſent, Three Months, another ſhall be ballotted for out of the Perſons returned in the Liſt for the Subdiviſion.

XIV. And be it further enacted, That whenever any Militia Man ſo embodied as aforeſaid ſhall deſert, or abſent himſelf from his Duty, and ſhall not return or be taken within the Space of Three Months from the Time of his ſo deſerting or abſenting himſelf, then and in every ſuch Caſe the Deputy Lieutenants, or any Two or more of them, at their Firſt Meeting holden for the ſaid Subdiviſion for which ſuch Perſon was enrolled, next after the Receipt of the Certificate of ſuch Deſertion or Abſence from the Officer appointed to receive the ballotted Men, or commanding the Regiment, Battalion, or Independant Company to which they ſhall be appointed, ſhall proceed to ballot for another Perſon in the Place of the Perſon ſo deſerting or abſenting himſelf, out of the Perſons returned in the Liſt before mentioned for ſuch Subdiviſion, who ſhall not then be ſerving in the Supplementary Militia, in purſuance of the ſaid Acts of the Thirty-ſeventh Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, or in ſome of His Majeſty's other Forces, in purſuance of the ſaid Act, paſſed in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament, and ſo from Time to Time as Occaſion ſhall require, ſo long as any of the Perſons returned in ſuch Liſt ſhall not have been choſen by Ballot, nor ſhall be then ſerving as aforeſaid.

His Majeſty may order the Remainder of the Militia to be embodied.

XV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That nothing herein contained ſhall be conſtrued to debar His Majeſty from ordering the Remainder of the ſaid Supplementary Militia, or ſo many of the Remainder of the ſaid Supplementary Militia, of any County, Riding, or Place, as His Majeſty ſhall in His Wiſdom think proper to be drawn out and embodied, whenever the Occaſion ſhall require, according to the Proviſions preſcribed by the ſaid Acts.

When His Majeſty ſhall think fit to embody any further Proportion than the Half before mentioned, the Directions herein-before preſcribed to be purſued.

XVI. And be it further enacted, That whenever His Majeſty ſhall think fit to draw out and embody any further Proportion of the Supplementary Militia of any County, Riding, or Place, than the Proportion of One Half before mentioned, it ſhall be lawful for the Lieutenant of every County, Riding, or Place, or Three or more Deputy Lieutenants as aforeſaid, and he and they is and are hereby reſpectively required to cauſe ſuch further Proportion to be drawn out and embodied as His Majeſty ſhall order, and in ſo doing ſuch Lieutenant and Deputy Lieutenants reſpectively, and alſo all and every the Deputy Lieutenants, and all other Officers aforeſaid reſpectively, ſhall purſue the Rules and Directions herein-before preſcribed for drawing out and embodying the Proportion thereof herein-before particularly mentioned.

XVII. And

XVII. And be it further enacted, That if during such Time as any Part of the Supplementary Militia which shall have been drawn out and embodied for Service, pursuant to the Provisions of the said recited Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, shall continue embodied, His Majesty shall deem it expedient that the Supplementary Militia of any County, Riding, or District, or any Part thereof which shall not, at such Time, be actually embodied for Service, should be drawn out in order to be mustered, trained, and exercised, for a limited Time, instead of being so embodied for Service, according to the Provisions of the said Acts and of this Act, it shall be lawful for His Majesty to direct the Lieutenants, or Deputy Lieutenants, of all or any of the said Counties, Ridings, or Districts, to cause the said Supplementary Militia not actually embodied, or any Part thereof, of each or any of the said Counties, Ridings, or Districts respectively, to be drawn out in order to be mustered, trained, or exercised, in such Proportion, and for such Time, and at such Place or Places, as His Majesty shall think fit; and the same shall be mustered, trained, and exercised accordingly, for such Time, and in such Manner, as His Majesty may direct.

His Majesty may order any Supplementary Militia not embodied, to be drawn out in order to be mustered or exercised.

XVIII. And be it further enacted, That every Person not possessed of an Estate in Land, Goods, or Money, of the clear Value of Five hundred Pounds, who shall be, at any Time after the passing of this Act, chosen by Ballot to serve in the said Supplementary Militia, and shall be sworn and enrolled, or shall provide a fit Person to serve as his Substitute, who shall be sworn and enrolled, shall be entitled to be paid a Sum of Money not exceeding the Sum allowed to be paid by Overseers of the Poor to any Volunteer enrolled in the said Supplementary Militia, nor such Sum of Money as shall be adjudged to be as near as may be One Half of the current Price which shall be at that Time paid for a Volunteer to serve in the said Supplementary Militia, which Payment shall be ordered, raised, and made, upon the like Oath of the Party, in like Manner, and with the like Remedies, for the raising and paying the same, as by an Act, passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, is provided with respect to the ordering, raising, and paying the Allowances to be made to Persons chosen by Ballot to serve in the Militia raised by virtue of the said Act of the Twenty-sixth Year of His Majesty's Reign, if so chosen when such Militia happens to be drawn or ordered out for actual Service: Provided always, that nothing in this Act, or in the said Act of the Twenty-sixth Year of His present Majesty's Reign, or in any Act relating to the said Supplementary Militia, shall be construed to extend to entitle any Person who has been chosen by Ballot to serve in the said Supplementary Militia before the passing of this Act, to demand the Allowance aforesaid.

Every Person not possessed of 500*l.* who shall be balloted and serve, or provide a Substitute, to be entitled to an Allowance, but not to extend to Persons chosen before passing this Act.

XIX. And whereas, by an Act passed in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending, and reducing into One Act of Parliament, the Laws relating to the Militia in that Part of* Great Britain *called* England, it is enacted, that no Company of the Militia, to be raised by virtue of the said Act, shall consist of more than Eighty Men at the most: And whereas it may be necessary, in Cases where the said Supplementary Militia shall be incorporated with the said other Militia, according to the Provisions of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, or where the said Supplementary Militia shall be formed into Regiments, Battalions,

26 *Geo.* III. Cap. 107.

lions; or Independant Companies, in pursuance of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year aforesaid, to form certain Companies of Militia, consisting of more than Eighty Men in a Company; be it further enacted,

His Majesty may form the Militia into Companies of any Number of Men, &c.;

That, from and after the passing of this Act, it shall be lawful, during the Continuance of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year aforesaid, to form the Number of Men composing the Militia of any County, Riding, or Place, or the said Supplementary Militia, into Companies, consisting of any Number of Private Men in a Company; and that where the Number of Militia Men of any County, Riding, or Place, now formed into a Battalion, as amounting to the Number of Three Companies, and under Eight Companies, shall, by incorporating the Supplementary Militia therewith, be advanced to the Number of Eight Companies, and not more than Twelve, it shall be lawful for His Majesty, whenever He shall think proper, to cause the same to be formed into a Regiment, and such Number of Officers of such Rank respectively to be appointed, as by the said Act of the Twenty-sixth Year aforesaid are allowed for a Regiment of Militia; and where the Number of Militia Men of any County, Riding, or Place, now formed into an Independant Company or Companies, as consisting of less than Three Companies, shall, by incorporating the Supplementary Militia therewith, be advanced to the Number of Three Companies or more, it shall be lawful for His Majesty, whenever He shall think proper, to cause the same to be formed into a Battalion, if the Number of such Companies shall not amount to Eight, or into a Regiment, if the Number of such Companies shall amount to Eight or more, during the Continuance of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year aforesaid, and such Number of Officers of such Rank respectively to be appointed, as by the said Act of the Twenty-sixth Year aforesaid are allowed for a Battalion of Militia, consisting of the like Number of Companies, or for a Regiment of Militia, as the Case shall require, any Thing in the said Acts to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided always, that upon the Determination of the said Acts of the Thirty-seventh Year aforesaid, the Regiments, Battalions, and Companies, formed in pursuance of this Act, shall be reduced to their present Establishment as if this Act had not been made.

but upon Determination of the Two Acts of 37 *Geo.* III, the present Establishment to take place.

All Acts relating to the Militia to extend to this Act.

XX. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That all Powers, Provisions, Rules, Regulations, Penalties, and Forfeitures, Clauses, Matters, and Things, contained in the aforesaid Acts of the Twenty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, or in any other Act relative to the training, raising, embodying, and calling out the Militia, or the Supplementary Militia, (and not hereby altered), shall be applied, practised, and put in Execution, with relation to the Provisions of this Act, in as full and ample a Manner as if the said Powers, Provisions, Rules, Regulations, Penalties, and Forfeitures, Clauses, Matters, and Things, were repeated and re-enacted in this Act.

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