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CAP. LXXVII.

An Act to amend an Act of the present Seffion of Parliament, intituled, *An Act to continue, until the Firft Day of* Auguft *One thoufand eight hundred, and until the End of the then next Seffion of Parliament, and amend an Act made in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His prefent Majefty, intituled, 'An Act for eftablifhing Regulations refpecting Aliens arriving in this Kingdom, or refident therein, in certain Cafes.'* [28th *June* 1798.]

WHEREAS by an Act paffed on the Firft Day of *June* One thoufand feven hundred and ninety-eight, intituled, *An Act to continue, until the Firft Day of* Auguft *One thoufand eight hundred, and until the End of the then next Seffion of Parliament, and amend an Act made in the Thirty-third Year of the Reign of His prefent Majefty, intituled, 'An Act for eftablifhing Regulations refpecting Aliens arriving in this Kingdom, or refident therein, in certain Cafes,'* divers Provifions have been made concerning Aliens, and certain Things are by the faid Act required to be done within certain Spaces of Time therein limited; and it is expedient that His Majefty fhould be authorized to extend the Times fo limited for doing fuch Things refpectively, in fuch

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38 Geo. III, Cap. 50; recited.

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Manner as to His Majeſty ſhall ſeem expedient; be it therefore 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 it ſhall be lawful for His Majeſty, from Time to Time, by His Royal Proclamation, or by Order in Council, to extend the Time and Times for doing all and every or any of the Things by the ſaid Act required to be done, within any certain Space or Spaces of Time, in ſuch Manner as to His Majeſty ſhall ſeem fit, and to appoint any longer Time or Times for doing all and every or any of ſuch Things reſpectively; and to command and require all and every or any ſuch Things reſpectively to be done, within ſuch Time or Times as in and by any ſuch Proclamation or Order in Council reſpectively ſhall be limited and appointed for ſuch Purpoſe.

His Majeſty by Proclamation or Order in Council may extend the Time for doing certain Things required by the recited Act to be done in a limited Time.

II. And be it further enacted, That no Perſon ſhall be liable to any Pain or Penalty for refuſing, omitting, or neglecting to do any Thing by the ſaid Act required to be done, within any certain Space of Time as aforeſaid, if ſuch Thing ſhall be done within ſuch Space of Time as in ſuch Proclamation or Order in Council ſhall be limited and appointed for doing thereof, any Thing in the ſaid Act contained to the contrary notwithſtanding; and that all and every the Pains and Penalties by the ſaid Act provided and impoſed for neglecting or omitting to do any ſuch Thing as aforeſaid, within the Space of Time by the ſaid Act limited for doing thereof, ſhall be ſuffered and incurred in caſe ſuch Thing ſhall not be done within the Space of Time which by any ſuch Proclamation or Order in Council ſhall be appointed for the doing thereof.

No Perſon liable to Penalty for not doing any Thing within ſuch limited Time, if done within the Time appointed by Proclamation or Order in Council;

III. And be it further enacted, That no Perſon ſhall be liable to any Pain or Penalty for having, before the paſſing of this Act, refuſed, omitted, or neglected to do any Thing by the ſaid Act required to be done, and that all Proceedings whatſoever for any ſuch Offence committed before the paſſing of this Act, ſhall be and the ſame are hereby ſtayed and diſcharged.

Nor for having, before paſſing this Act, omitted to do any Thing required by recited Act.

IV. And whereas by the ſaid Act Perſons receiving Aliens to lodge or reſide in their Houſes or Apartments, are required to do certain Things in the ſaid Act mentioned under certain Penalties; be it enacted, That ſo much of the ſaid Act ſhall not extend, or be conſtrued to extend, to any Perſon who ſhall ſo receive any Alien being the Domeſtic Servant of any of His Majeſty's natural-born Subjects, or of any of His Majeſty's Subjects naturalized or made Denizens, ſuch Servant being actually attendant on his or her Maſter or Miſtreſs.

So much of recited Act as relates to Perſons receiving Aliens to lodge, not to extend to Domeſtic Servants of His Majeſty's Subjects attendant on their Maſters.

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