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CAP. V.

An Act to continue, until the Expiration of One Month after the Commencement of the next Seſſion of Parliament, an Act, paſſed in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, Chapter Sixty-ſix, *videlicet*, on the Twenty-firſt Day of *June* One thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-eight, intituled, *An Act for empowering His Majeſty for a Time and to an Extent to be limited, to accept the Services of ſuch Parts of His Militia Forces in this Kingdom as may voluntarily offer themſelves to be employed in* Ireland. [20th *December* 1798.]

WHEREAS an Act was made in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, *An Act for empowering His Majeſty for a Time and to an Extent to be limited, to accept the Services of ſuch Parts of His Militia Forces in this Kingdom as may voluntarily offer themſelves to be employed in* Ireland, which was to continue in Force until the Expiration of One Calendar Month after the Day of the Commencement of the then next Seſſion of Parliament: And whereas, for the Purpoſe of effectually repreſſing the traiterous Deſigns which have been proſecuted in *Ireland* in Concert with a Foreign Enemy, and for protecting the

Preamble. 38 Geo. III, Cap. 66.

Lives, Liberties, and Property, of His Majeſty's faithful Subjects, it may be expedient that the Proviſions of the ſaid Act ſhould be further extended for a limited Time: 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 ſaid Act ſhall be, and the ſame is hereby continued, until the Expiration of One Month after the Commencement of the next Seſſion of Parliament.

Continuance of recited Act.

II. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That nothing herein contained ſhall be conſtrued to enable His Majeſty to employ the Services of any Part of the Militia Forces now in *Ireland*, or which may be ſent thither during the Continuance of this Act, for any longer Time than that for which the Perſons ſo ſerving have already voluntarily engaged, or ſhall voluntarily engage, to continue ſuch Service.

Services of the Militia not to continue longer in *Ireland*, than the Time for which they voluntarily engage to ſerve.

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