

ANNO TRICESIMO NONO

GEORGII III. REGIS.

CAP. IX.

An Act to continue, until the First Day of *February* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, an Act, made in the last Session of Parliament, Chapter Seven, on the Second Day of *December* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, intituled, *An Act to continue, until the Expiration of Six Weeks after the Commencement of the next Session of Parliament, Two several Acts, passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Years of His present Majesty, the One, Chapter Thirty-two, on the Tenth Day of* March, *and the other, Chapter Sixty-one, on the Twenty-fifth Day of* May, *One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, for suspending, for a limited Time, the Operation of certain Acts, made in the Fifteenth and Seventeenth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, for restraining the Negociation of Promissory Notes and Bills of Exchange, under a limited Sum, within that Part of* Great Britain *called* England; and also to

amend the ſaid Act, and further to continue the ſame, ſo amended, until the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine. [4th *January* 1799.]

Preamble. 37 *Geo.* III, Cap. 32, and

WHEREAS an Act was paſſed in the Thirty-ſeventh Year of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, intituled, *An Act to ſuſpend, for a limited Time, the Operation of Two Acts of the Fifteenth and Seventeenth Years of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, for reſtraining the Negociation of Promiſſory Notes and Inland Bills of Exchange, under a limited Sum, within that Part of* Great Britain *called* England: And whereas another Act was paſſed in the ſame Seſſion of Parliament, intituled, *An Act to revive, amend, and continue, for a limited Time, an Act paſſed in the preſent Seſſion of Parliament, intituled,* '*An Act to ſuſpend, for a limited Time, the Operation of Two Acts of the Fifteenth and Seventeenth Years of the Reign of His preſent Majeſty, for reſtraining the Negociation of Promiſſory Notes and Inland Bills of Exchange, under a limited Sum, within that Part of* Great Britain *called* England:' And whereas the ſaid firſt recited Act, as revived, amended, and continued, by the ſaid ſecond recited Act, has, by Two other Acts, One paſſed in the ſame Seſſion of Parliament, and the other in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, been further continued until the Expiration of Six Weeks after the Commencement of this preſent Seſſion: And whereas it is expedient that the ſaid Two firſt recited Acts ſhould be further continued and amended; 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 firſt herein-before recited Act, as revived, amended, and continued, by the ſaid ſecond herein-before recited Act, and alſo the ſaid ſecond herein-before recited Act, ſhall have further Continuance, and be in force, from the Expiration of the preſent Term thereof, until the Firſt Day of *February* One thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine; and that, from and after the ſaid Firſt Day of *February* One thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine, the ſaid recited Acts ſhall have further Continuance and be in force, until the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand ſeven hundred and ninety-nine, but ſhall only extend to and have Effect upon Promiſſory Notes or Draughts, or Undertakings in Writing, payable on Demand to the Bearer thereof, for any Sum of Money leſs than the Sum of Five Pounds, and not leſs than the Sum of Twenty Shillings in the Whole; any Thing in the ſaid Acts, or any other Law or Statute to the contrary thereof in anywiſe notwithſtanding; and that this Act may be altered, varied, or repealed, by any Act or Acts to be paſſed in this preſent Seſſion of Parliament.

37 *Geo.* III, Cap. 61, recited,

and further continued to *March* 25, 1799; but after *Feb.* 1, 1799, ſhall only extend to certain Notes payable on Demand to Bearer.

Act may be altered or repealed this Seſſion.

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