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C A P. XLIX.

An Act to indemnify Perſons who have omitted to qualify themſelves for Offices or Employments in *Ireland* according to Law. [20th *June* 1801.]

WHEREAS ſeveral Perſons, well affected to His Majeſty's Government and to the United Church of *England* and *Ireland*, have, through Ignorance of the Law neglected, or been, by Sickneſs or other unavoidable Cauſes, prevented from taking and ſubſcribing the Declaration, and from receiving the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, and delivering a Certificate thereof, according to the Directions of an Act paſſed in the Parliament of *Ireland* in the Second Year of the Reign of Her late Majeſty Queen *Anne*, intituled, *An Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery*; therefore, 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 all Perſons, who have incurred any Penalty or Incapacity, in the ſaid recited Act mentioned, by neglecting to qualify themſelves according to the ſaid Act, ſhall be and are hereby indemnified, freed, and diſcharged from all Incapacities, Diſabilities, Penalties, and Forfeitures incurred by Reaſon of ſuch Omiſſion or Neglect as aforeſaid, and that no Act done by any of them, not yet avoided, ſhall be queſtioned or avoided by Reaſon of ſuch Omiſſion

Preamble.

Act of the Parliament of *Ireland*, 2 *Anne*. Cap. 6.

Perſons neglecting to qualify themſelves according to the recited Act, ſhall be indemnified; provided they take the Oaths and ſub-

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ſcribe the Declaration thereby appointed, on or before *March* 25, 1802.

or Neglect; but that all ſuch Acts ſhall be and are hereby declared to be as good and effectual as if ſuch Perſons reſpectively had taken and ſubſcribed the ſaid Oaths, and received the ſaid Sacrament, and delivered the Certificate thereof, and made, repeated, and ſubſcribed the ſaid Declaration at ſuch Time, Place, and Manner as in the ſaid Act is mentioned, any Thing in the ſaid Act to the contrary notwithſtanding: Provided always, That ſuch Perſon or Perſons do and ſhall take and ſubſcribe the ſaid Oaths, and make, repeat, and ſubſcribe the ſaid Declaration in ſuch Manner and Form, and in ſuch Place or Places reſpectively, as are directed and appointed by the ſaid recited Act, on or before the Twenty-fifth Day of *March* One thouſand eight hundred and two.

But this Act not to reſtore any Perſon to any Office already avoided by Judgement, or filled up by any other Perſon.

II. Provided always, That this Act, or any Thing herein contained, ſhall not extend to reſtore or entitle any Perſon or Perſons to any Office or Employment already actually avoided by Judgement in any of His Majeſty's Courts of Record in *Dublin*, or already filled up by any other Perſon or Perſons; but that ſuch Office or Employment ſhall be and remain in the Perſon or Perſons who is or are now entitled by Law to the ſame, as if this Act had not been made.

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