

ANNO QUADRAGESIMO SECUNDO

GEORGII III. REGIS.

CAP. XIX.

An Act to amend so much of an Act made in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Second, intituled, *An Act for explaining, amending, and rendering more effectual, an Act made in the Twenty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign*, intituled, *An Act for making a free Market for the Sale of Fish in the City of* Westminster, *and for preventing the forestalling and monopolizing of Fish; and for allowing the Sale of Fish under the Dimensions mentioned in a Clause contained in an Act of the First Year of His late Majesty's Reign, in case the same are taken with a Hook*, as relates to the Sale of Eels.

[24th *February* 1802.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Second, intituled, *An Act for explaining, amending, and rendering more effectual, an Act made in the Twenty-second Year of His present Majesty's Reign*, intituled, *An Act for making a free Market for the Sale of Fish in the City of* Westminster, *and for preventing the forestalling and monopolizing of Fish, and for allowing the Sale of Fish under the Dimensions mentioned in a Clause contained in an Act of the First Year of His late Majesty's Reign,* 29 Geo. 2, c. 39.

in caſe the ſame are taken with a Hook; it is amongſt other Things enacted, that if any Fiſherman, or any other Perſon or Perſons whatſoever, Maſter or Owner of any Fiſhing Ship, Sloop, Smack, or Fiſhing Veſſel coming from Sea, or other Perſon having the Conduct of ſuch Fiſhing Ship, Sloop, Smack, or Fiſhing Veſſel, Natives or Foreigners, employed either in catching, bringing, or vending of Fiſh for the Supply of the Cities of *London* and *Weſtminſter*, ſhall not enter their Ship, Sloop, Smack, or other Fiſhing Veſſel at ſuch Place or Places, and within ſuch Time as therein mentioned, or ſhall keep any Shell Fiſh, or other Fiſh whatſoever in ſuch their Ship, Sloop, Smack, or other their Fiſhing Veſſel or Veſſels, or in any Well Boat or Store Boat, after their Arrival at the *Nore*, ſo as not to ſell off their whole Cargo of Fiſh within the Space of Eight Days, to be reckoned from the Day of ſuch their Arrival at the *Nore*, every ſuch Perſon or Perſons ſhall forfeit and pay the Penalty in the ſaid Act provided: And whereas the ſaid limited Time of Eight Days for ſelling of the whole Cargo of live Eels is found too ſhort and quite unneceſſary, 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,

Sale of Eels if made by Owners of Veſſels within 28 Days after their Arrival at the *Nore*, ſhall be as good a Sale as if made within Eight Days, the Time limited by the recited Act.

That from and after the paſſing of this Act, in caſe any ſuch Fiſhing Veſſel ſhall be freighted or loaded in Whole or in Part with live Eels, and the Fiſhermen, or other Perſon or Perſons whatſoever, Natives or Foreigners, who ſhall be Owners of ſuch live Eels, or have the Power to ſell or diſpoſe of the ſame, ſhall ſell off the whole Quantity of ſuch live Eels within Twenty-eight Days after the Arrival of ſuch Veſſel at the *Nore*, and ſhall in all other Reſpects comply with the Directions of the ſaid Act, and alſo of an Act paſſed in the Twenty-ſecond Year of His Majeſty King *George* the Second, and mentioned in the ſaid Act, then and in ſuch Caſe the Sale of the whole Cargo, or Quantity of ſuch live Eels, ſhall be and is hereby declared to be as good a Sale thereof as if ſuch Sale had been completed and made within the ſaid limited Time of Eight Days before mentioned.

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