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# GEORGII III. REGIS.

## CAP. CXXXII.

An Act to extend the Provisions of an Act, passed in the Forty-fifth Year of His present Majesty, for the Encouragement of Seamen and better manning His Majesty's Navy, to Cases arising in consequence of Hostilities commenced since the passing of the said Act. [30th *June* 1808.]

WHEREAS an Act passed in the Forty-fifth Year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, *An Act for the Encouragement of Seamen, and for the better and more effectually manning His Majesty's Navy during the present War:* And whereas the said Act contains sundry Provisions and Regulations, touching Matters that had arisen or might arise in consequence of the general Reprisals which His Majesty had been pleased to order against the Ships, Goods, and Subjects of the several Powers with whom His Majesty was engaged in War at the Time of the passing of the said Act: And whereas His Majesty hath, since the passing of the said Act, deemed it necessary for the Honour of His Crown and the Safety of His People, to order that general Reprisals should be granted against the Ships, Goods, and Subjects of States then in Amity with His Majesty; 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 45 G. 3. c. 72.

Provisions of the recited Act shall be applied to all Cases arising from Orders of General Reprisal since issued.

That all and every one of the Provisions and Regulations of the said Act of the Forty-fifth Year of His Majesty's Reign shall be applied to all Cases arising from the said Orders of general Reprisal issued since the passing of this Act, in like Manner and to the like Effect as the said Provisions and Regulations are there directed to be applied to all Cases arising from the Orders of general Reprisal recited in the said Act, and shall extend to all Proceedings which have been had or may hereafter be had in consequence of the Orders of Reprisal issued since the passing of the said Act, in as full force and effect as if the same were particularly enacted in this Act.

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