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An Act to amend an Act passed in the Forty-eighth Year of His present Majesty, to enable His Majesty's Postmaster General of *Ireland* to purchase Premises for the Enlargement of the General Post Office in the City of *Dublin*. [3d *June* 1809.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Forty-eighth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, *An Act to enable His Majesty's Post Master General of* Ireland *to purchase Premises for the Enlargement of the General Post Office in the City of* Dublin, it was enacted, that it should and might be lawful to and for His Majesty's Post Master General of *Ireland* for the Time being, from Time to Time to contract with the Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors of any House or Houses, Building or Buildings, Parcel or Parcels, Plot or Plots of Ground adjoining or contiguous to the General Post Office in the City of *Dublin*, and with the Lessee or Lessees of any such Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors; or in case any such Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors, Lessee or Lessees, should be an Infant or Infants, with the Guardian or Guardians of any such Infant or Infants; for the Purchase of any such House or Houses, Building or Buildings, Plot or Plots, Parcel or Parcels of Ground, under and subject to the several Clauses, Powers, Provisoes, and Conditions in said recited Act mentioned: And whereas it is now found expedient and necessary, to enable the said Post Master General to purchase the Ground and Premises whereon the said Post Office has been erected and now stands, and also to extend the Clauses, Powers, Provisoes, and Conditions of the said recited Act to the

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the Committees of Idiots and Lunatics, and Aſſignees of Bankrupts; 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,

Poſtmaſter General of Ireland may contract for the Premiſes on which the Poſt Office in Dublin ſtands, &c.

That it ſhall and may be lawful to and for His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General of *Ireland* for the Time being, to contract with the Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors of the Ground or Premiſes whereon the Poſt Office in the City of *Dublin*, and its Appendances and Appurtenances, and all Buildings belonging thereunto had been erected and now ſtand, and with the Leſſee or Leſſees of ſuch Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors; or in caſe any ſuch Owner or Owners, Proprietor or Proprietors, Leſſee or Leſſees, ſhall be an Infant or Infants, Idiot or Idiots, Lunatic or Lunatics, Bankrupt or Bankrupts, with the Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, Aſſignee or Aſſignees of every ſuch Infant or Infants, Idiot or Idiots, Lunatic or Lunatics, Bankrupt or Bankrupts reſpectively; for the Purchaſe of ſaid Ground or Premiſes, and for the reſpective Intereſts of ſuch Perſons, to and for the Uſe of His Majeſty and His Succeſſors, under and ſubject, in caſe of any Diſagreement, Doubt, Claim, or Difficulty, to all and ſingular the Clauſes, Powers, Proviſoes, Reſtrictions, Limitations, and Conditions, in ſaid recited Act, as fully and effectually as if ſuch Clauſes, Powers, Proviſoes, Reſtrictions, Limitations, and Conditions, were repeated and re-enacted in this Act; and that all Sales, Grants, and Conveyances of ſaid Ground or Premiſes to the ſaid Poſtmaſter General, ſhall have the ſame force and effect, to all Intents and Purpoſes, as any Sale, Grant, or Conveyance, made or executed under and by virtue of the ſaid recited Act.

Powers of recited Act to extend to this Act.

II. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That all and ſingular the ſeveral Clauſes, Proviſoes, Conditions, Powers, and Reſtrictions in ſaid recited Act mentioned, ſhall extend to all and every the Committee and Committees of every Idiot or Lunatic, and the Aſſignee and Aſſignees of every Bankrupt, as fully and effectually as the ſaid ſeveral Clauſes, Proviſions, Conditions, Powers, and Reſtrictions, extend to and bind the Guardian or Guardians of any Infant or Infants, and as if ſuch Committee and Committees, Aſſignee and Aſſignees were expreſsly mentioned in ſaid Act, or as if ſaid ſeveral Clauſes, Proviſoes, Conditions, Powers, and Reſtrictions, were repeated and re-enacted herein as to ſaid Committee and Committees, Aſſignee and Aſſignees.

Money neceſſary for the Purpoſes of this and recited Act to be paid out of the Duty on Poſtage.

III. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforeſaid, That it ſhall and may be lawful to and for the Poſtmaſter General of *Ireland* for the Time being, to pay all ſuch Sums of Money as ſhall be neceſſary for the Purpoſes of this Act and of ſaid recited Act, out of any Money in his Hands ariſing from the Duty on the Poſtage of Letters in *Ireland*.

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