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CAP. CXLI.

An Act to amend an Act made in this Session of Parliament to repeal former Acts granting exclusive Privileges of Trade to the *South Sea* Company, and to indemnify the said Company for the Loss of such Privileges. [6th *July* 1815.]

WHEREAS by an Act, passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled *An Act to repeal the Provisions of former Acts granting exclusive Privileges of Trade to the* South Sea *Company, and to indemnify the said Company for the Loss of such Privileges*; it is among other Things provided, that certain Duties shall be raised upon Goods, Wares and Merchandize imported into any Port of the United Kingdom from any Place within the Limits of the sole and exclusive Trade heretofore granted to the said Company, with certain Exceptions: And whereas Provision is made in the said recited Act for raising or recovering Duties upon Exportation, but no Provision is made in relation to Duties of Customs upon Importation granted by the said Act; 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 the Duties of Customs granted by the said recited Act upon, for, or in respect of Importation of any Goods, Wares, or Merchandize, may and shall be respectively managed, ascertained, raised, levied, collected, answered, paid, recovered, and allowed, except where any Alteration is expressly made by the said recited Act or this Act, in such and the like Manner, 55 G. 3. c. 57.

Duties under recited Act on Importation of Goods to be levied as former Duties of Customs.

Manner, and by such and the same Means, Ways, or Methods, as former Duties of Customs upon Goods, Wares, or Merchandize in general, and also by such special Means, Ways or Methods respectively, as former Duties of Customs upon Goods, Wares, or Merchandize of the same Sorts or Kinds were or might be managed, ascertained, raised, levied, collected, answered, paid, recovered, and allowed; and the Goods, Wares, or Merchandize whereon Duties of Customs are by the said recited Act charged upon the Importation thereof into the United Kingdom, shall be and the same are hereby made subject and liable to all and every the Conditions, Regulations, Rules, Restrictions, Seizures, and Forfeitures to which Goods, Wares, or Merchandize in general, and also all and every the special Conditions, Rules, Regulations, Restrictions, Seizures, Sales, and Forfeitures respectively to which the like Goods, Wares, or Merchandize were subject or liable by any Act or Acts of Parliament in force in *Great Britain* or *Ireland* respectively, on and immediately before the passing of this Act, respecting the Revenue of Customs, except where any Alteration is expressly made by the said recited Act or this Act; and all Pains, Penalties, Fines, and Forfeitures of whatever Nature or Kind the same may be, as well Pains of Death as others, for any Offence whatever committed against or in Breach of any Act or Acts of Parliament in force in *Great Britain* or *Ireland* respectively, on and immediately before the passing of this Act, made for securing the Revenue of Customs or for the Regulation or Improvement thereof, and the several Clauses, Powers, Provisions, and Directions contained in any such Act or Acts shall, unless where expressly altered by the said recited Act or this Act, and are hereby directed and declared to extend to and shall be respectively applied, practised, and put into Execution, for and in respect of the several Duties of Customs granted by the said recited Act, in as full and ample Manner, to all Intents and Purposes whatever, as if all and every the said Acts, Clauses, Provisions, Powers, Directions, Fines, Pains, Penalties, or Forfeitures were particularly repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this Act, and made Part thereof.

Goods subject to the Regulations in force, &c.

Former Acts relating to Customs extended to this Act.

II. And be it further enacted, That every Act of Parliament in force in *Great Britain* or *Ireland* respectively on and immediately before the passing of this Act, by which any Rules, Regulations, Conditions, or Restrictions were made, established, or directed for the ascertaining the Value of any Goods, Wares, or Merchandize, or for the remitting or allowing of any Deduction of any Duties on Account of Damage, or for the better securing the Revenue of Customs, or for the regular Importation into *Great Britain* or *Ireland* respectively of any Goods, Wares, or Merchandize whatever, except where any Alteration is expressly made by the said recited Act or this Act, and all Provisions, Clauses, Matters, and Things relating thereto, shall and are hereby declared to be and remain in full Force and Effect, and shall be applied to the Subject of this Act, and for carrying the same into Execution, as fully and effectually as if they had been repeated and re-enacted in this present Act.

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