

ANNO PRIMO & SECUNDO

GEORGII IV. REGIS.

CAP. XXXI.

An Act for removing Doubts as to the Continuance of the Hereditary Revenue in *Scotland*.

[28th *May* 1821.]

WHEREAS by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for the Support of His Majesty's Household, and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown of* Great Britain, it is amongst other things provided and enacted, that the several and respective Duties and Revenues which were payable to His late Majesty King *George* the Second, in that Part of *Great Britain* called *Scotland*, for and during His Life, should be continued, raised, levied and paid, from the Demise of His said late Majesty King *George* the Second, during the Life of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, in the same Manner only, and subject to the same or the like Charges thereon, as the same were liable or subject to, during the Life of His said late Majesty King *George* the Second: And whereas an Act was made in the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for granting to His Majesty certain additional Duties of Excise on Tea, Coffee, and Cocoa Nuts, Tobacco and Snuff, Pepper, Malt, and* British *Spirits, and consolidating the same with the former Duties thereon, and for amending certain Laws of Excise relating thereto*: And whereas by an Act made in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act for the Support of His Majesty's Household, and of the Honour and Dignity of the Crown of the United Kingdom of* Great Britain *and* Ireland, it was amongst other things provided and enacted, that the several and respective Duties and Revenues which were payable to His late Majesty King *George* the Third, in that Part of *Great Britain* called *Scotland*, for and during His Life, shall be continued, raised, levied, and paid, from the Demise of His said late Majesty,

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during the Life of His present Majesty, in the same Manner only, and subject to the same or the like Charges thereon, as the same were liable or subject to during His said late Majesty's Life: And whereas Doubts have arisen whether by reason of the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, the Hereditary Revenues of the Crown in that Part of the United Kingdom called *Scotland*, and the other Revenues there reserved to His late Majesty King *George* the Third by the before recited Act of the First Year of His said late Majesty's Reign, were sufficiently reserved to His said late Majesty during His Life, so as by the said recited Act of the First Year of His present Majesty's Reign to be sufficiently reserved to His present Majesty: In order to obviate all such Doubts, be it enacted and declared 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 Hereditary Revenues of the Crown in *Scotland*, and other Revenues granted to His late Majesty King *George* the Second during His Life, and reserved to His late Majesty King *George* the Third during His Life, by the said recited Act of the First Year of His said late Majesty's Reign, did belong and were payable to and at the Disposal of His late Majesty King *George* the Third during His Life, by virtue of the said recited Act made in the First Year of His said late Majesty's Reign, subject and liable to the Provisions by Law directed and established of and concerning the same, any thing in the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of His late Majesty's Reign contained notwithstanding; and that the said Hereditary Revenues so settled upon His said late Majesty King *George* the Third for His Life, by the said recited Act made in the said First Year of His Reign, do belong to and are at the Disposal of His present Majesty, in the same manner as they did belong to and were at the Disposal of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, before and at the Time of passing the said recited Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of His Reign, and that the same, and the Civil Establishment in *Scotland* payable out of the same, shall continue to be paid in like manner as they were before and at the Time of the passing the said Act of the Fifty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, any thing in the said Acts to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend, to prevent the Surplus or Balance which may remain after defraying the Whole of the Charges upon or incident to the said Fund, recited in the said Act made in the said First Year of His present Majesty's Reign, from going and being carried to the Account of the Consolidated Fund of the United Kingdom, as directed by the said Act.

Hereditary Revenue of the Crown in Scotland continued to His present Majesty.

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act may be altered, amended, or repealed, by any Act or Acts to be passed in this Session of Parliament.

Act may be altered in this Session.

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