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C A P. XXIX.

An Act to enlarge the Powers of the Governors of the Foundling Hospital in *Dublin*.

[30th *June* 1820.]

WHEREAS by an Act made in the Fifty-fourth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act to amend the several Acts for regulating the Foundling Hospital in* Dublin, it was amongst other Things enacted, that it should be lawful for the Governors of the said Hospital, or any Three or more of them, to make Orders for suspending, and to suspend and refuse, in the Cases and under the Restrictions therein mentioned, the Admission of any Children or Child into the said Hospital: And whereas it is expedient to enlarge the Powers of the said Governors in that respect, on the Terms hereinafter provided:

54G.3.c.128.

Governors empowered to make Orders for suspending Admissions in all Cases, and under any Conditions, in their Discretion.

Be it 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 from and after the passing of this Act, it shall and may be lawful to and for the Governors of the said Foundling Hospital, or any Three or more of them, from Time to Time to make Orders for suspending, and to suspend for and during such Time or Times, Period or Periods, as they shall from Time to Time think proper, the Admission of Infants into the said Hospital; and

also to make Orders for refusing and to refuse the Admission into the said Hospital of any Infant, or of any Class or Description of Infants, at their Discretion, or for annexing any Condition or Conditions, which they shall think proper, to the Admission of any particular Infant or of all Infants, or of any Class or Description of Infants, into the said Hospital; any thing in the said recited Act or any other Act or Acts contained, or any Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding.

Such Orders not valid, until approved by Lord Lieutenant.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no such Order as aforesaid, which shall relate to all Infants, or to any Class or Description of Infants, shall be deemed to be good, valid, and effectual, or to be established as a Rule, until the same shall have been approved of by the Lord Lieutenant, or other Chief Governor or Governors of *Ireland* for the Time being.

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