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GEORGII IV. REGIS.

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CAP. XVI.

An Act to continue the Operation of an Act of the Seventh Year of His present Majesty, for suspending the Provisions of an Act of His late Majesty respecting the Appointment of Writers in the Service of the *East India* Company; and to amend the Provisions of an Act of the Forty-seventh Year of His late Majesty, so far as they relate to the Period of Residence at *Hertford* College as a Qualification for certain Offices.

[14th *May* 1829.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to suspend the Provisions of an Act of His late Majesty respecting the Appointment of Writers in the Service of the* East India *Company, and to authorize the Payment of the Allowances of the Civil and Military Officers of the said Company dying while absent from* India: And whereas it is expedient to continue, for a Time to be limited, the Provisions of the said Act of the Seventh Year of His present Majesty, so far as the same relate to the Appointment of Writers in the Service of the *East India* Company, and to the Establishment of Rules and Regulations respecting their Qualifications: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it enacted by the 7 G. 4. c. 56.

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 Provisions of the above-mentioned Act of the Seventh Year of His present Majesty, so far as the same relate to the Appointment of Writers in the Service of the *East India* Company, and to the Establishment of proper Rules and Regulations respecting the Qualifications of such Writers, shall continue and be in force until the Tenth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

So much of the recited Act as relates to the Appointment of Writers continued.

All the Time, not exceeding Two Years, spent in the College in the Course of Education after 17 Years of Age, shall be accounted as so much Time spent in India, in certain Cases.

II. And whereas, by virtue of an Act passed in the Forty-seventh Year of the Reign of His said late Majesty, all such Time as shall be *bonâ fide* spent in the College established in *England* by the *East India* Company for the Education of their Civil Servants, by any Persons after they shall respectively have attained the Age of Seventeen Years, is accounted, as to certain Offices, Places, and Employments which such Persons are entitled to hold in *India*, as so much Time actually spent in *India*, provided that such Persons shall either before or after Seventeen Years of Age spend Two Years at the least in the said College: And whereas it is expedient that the Privileges so granted should, under certain Circumstances, be extended to young Men who may have spent less Time than Two Years in the regular Course of Education at the said College; be it therefore enacted, That all such Time, not exceeding Two Years, as shall have been or shall be *bonâ fide* spent in the said College in the regular Course of such Education as aforesaid by any Persons after they shall respectively have attained the Age of Seventeen Years, who shall have proceeded or shall hereafter proceed to *India* in the Civil Service of the said Company, shall be accounted, as to all Offices, Places, and Employments to which such Persons are entitled to be appointed and to hold, the Salary, Perquisites, and Emoluments whereof shall not exceed the Sum of One thousand five hundred Pounds *per Annum*, as so much Time actual spent in *India*, any Law or Usage to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

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