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An Act to allow, until the First Day of *August* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, a Drawback of the Whole of the Duties of Customs on Brimstone used and consumed in the making and preparing Oil of Vitriol or Sulphuric Acid.

[5th *August* 1822.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Fiftieth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for discontinuing the Bounty on Exportation of Oil of Vitriol, and allowing a Drawback of a Proportion of the Duties paid on the Importation of Foreign Brimstone used in making Oil of Vitriol,* it is enacted, that Nine-tenth Parts of the Duties of Customs paid on the Importation into *Great Britain* of Brimstone shall be allowed in respect of such Brimstone used and consumed in making and preparing Oil of Vitriol, and the Amount of such Drawback shall be paid and allowed to the Manufacturer of such Oil in *Great Britain,* under certain Regulations therein mentioned: And whereas it is expedient to make Alteration in respect of such Drawback: 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, in lieu and instead of the said Nine-tenth Parts of the Duties of Customs allowed in respect of Brimstone used and consumed in making and preparing Oil

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Instead of the Nine-tenths of the Duty, the

Whole Duty on the Importation shall be allowed in respect of Brimstone used in preparing Oil of Vitriol, or Sulphuric Acid.

Oil of Vitriol, the Whole of the Duties paid on the Importation into *Great Britain* of Brimstone shall be allowed in respect of such Brimstone used and consumed in making and preparing Oil of Vitriol, or Sulphuric Acid, and the Amount of such Drawback shall be paid and allowed to the Manufacturer of such Sulphuric Acid in *Great Britain*, under the like Regulations, Penalties, and Forfeitures, as are provided by the aforesaid recited Act in respect of Oil of Vitriol: Provided always, that it shall and may be lawful for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland* for the Time being, or any Three or more of them, and they are hereby authorized and empowered, by any Writing under their Hands, to make and issue such Orders, Directions, and Regulations, as they from Time to Time shall deem necessary or expedient, for taking, keeping, or causing to be kept or taken, an Account or Accounts of any such Brimstone so to be used in the Manufacture of Oil of Vitriol as aforesaid, or for more effectually preventing the Allowance of any Drawback whatever for or upon a greater or larger Quantity of Brimstone than shall be *bonâ fide* used and consumed in the Manufacture aforesaid; any thing in this Act, or in any other Act or Acts of Parliament to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

Treasury to make Regulations for taking an Account of the Brimstone so used.

Continuance of Act.

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue in force until the First Day of *August* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-three.

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