ANNO QUARTO

GEORGII IV. REGIS.

C A P. XXVII.

An Act to amend an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, respecting Justices of the Quorum in Cities and Towns Corporate.

[23d *May* 1823.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act to obviate the Inconveniencies that may arise* 7 G.3. c.21. *with respect to the Execution of Acts of Parliament in such Cities, Boroughs, Towns Corporate, Franchises or Liberties, as have only One Justice of the Peace of the Quorum qualified to act within the same;* whereby it was enacted, that in all such Cities, Boroughs, Towns Corporate, Franchises and Liberties, as have only One Justice of the Peace of the Quorum, that all Acts, Orders, Adjudications, Warrants, Indentures of Apprenticeship, or other Instruments, which shall be made, done, or executed by Two or more Justices of the Peace within such Cities, Boroughs, Towns Corporate, Franchises and Liberties, though neither of the said Justices are of the Quorum, shall be valid and effectual in Law: And whereas it is expedient that the Provisions of the said Act should be extended to such Cities and other Jurisdictions as have Two or any other limited Number of Justices of the Quorum qualified to act within the same: 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 from and after the passing of this Act, in all Cases where the Number of Justices of the Peace for any City, Borough, Town Corporate, Franchise, Liberty, or other local Jurisdiction, is limited, and any One, Two, or more of such Justices only are of the Quorum, all Acts, Orders, Adjudications, Warrants, Indentures of Apprenticeship, or other Instruments, which shall be made, done, or executed, either in or out of the General Quarter Sessions or Petty Sessions, or any Adjournment thereof, by virtue of any Charter or Grant, or by virtue of any Act of Parliament made or to be made, by any Two or more Justices of the Peace acting within the same, though neither of the said Justices be of the Quorum, shall be valid in Law, to all Intents and Purposes as if the said Justices had been of the Quorum; any Grant, Charter, Law, or Custom to the contrary thereof in anywise notwithstanding.

In Places having a limited Number of Justices, any of such Justices empowered to act, though not of the Quorum.

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