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An Act to permit Foreign Corn, Meal, and Flour, warehoused, to be taken out for Home Consumption, until the Sixteenth Day of *August* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

[31st *May* 1826.]

WHEREAS under the Provisions of an Act passed in the Third Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled *An Act to amend the Laws relating to the Importation of Corn*, Foreign Corn is not admissible for Home Consumption in the United Kingdom, except in certain Cases therein mentioned; and it is expedient to admit certain Corn warehoused, or reported inwards to be warehoused, to Entry for Home Consumption, although the same may not at the Time of such Entry be admissible under the Provisions of the said Act: 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 after the passing of this Act, and until the Sixteenth Day of *August* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, it shall be lawful for the Importers or Proprietors, Importer or Proprietor of any Quantity of Foreign Corn, Grain, Meal, or Flour, which had either been warehoused or reported inwards to be warehoused on or before the Second Day of *May* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, to enter the same for Home

Corn (although not admissible under Act 3 G. 4. c. 60.) warehoused, &c. on or before 2d *May*, may be entered for Home Consumption until 16th August 1826;

but not more than One Half may be entered before 1st *July* 1826.

Consumption, at the Times and in the Proportions herein-after mentioned; that is to say, any Quantity not exceeding One Half of the whole Quantity warehoused, in Possession of any such Importer or Proprietor respectively, at any Time before the First Day of *July* next; and the Remainder of such Corn, Grain, Meal, or Flour, or so much thereof as shall not exceed the Proportion herein-after mentioned, on or at any Time after the said First Day of *July* and before the Sixteenth Day of *August* next following; and on Payment of the following Duties; (that is to say),

For every Quarter of Wheat, Twelve Shillings:
For every Quarter of Rye, Pease, or Beans, Eight Shillings:
For every Quarter of Barley, Bear, or Bigg, Six Shillings:
For every Quarter of Oats, Four Shillings:
For every Hundred Weight of Wheat Meal or of Wheat Flour, Three Shillings and Three-pence.

And not more may be entered after 1st *July* than was entered before that Day.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no greater Proportion of the Total Quantity of any Parcel or Number of Parcels of such Corn, Grain, Meal, or Flour, which on the said Second Day of *May* was in the Possession of any such Importer or Proprietor in the same Port, shall be entered for Home Consumption under the Authority of this Act after the First Day of *July* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, by such Importer or Proprietor, or by any other Person who may then be in Possession of the same, than shall be equal to the Proportion of such Total Quantity which had been so entered on or before the said First Day of *July* under the Authority of this Act.

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