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CAP. LVII.

An Act to explain and amend an Act of the Fifty-fifth Year of King *George* the Third, for the Payment of Costs and Charges to Prosecutors and Witnesses in Cases of Felony in *Ireland*.

[16th *July* 1830.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Fifty-fifth Year of King *George* the Third, intituled *An Act for the Payment of Costs and Charges to Prosecutors and Witnesses in Cases of Felony, in* Ireland, Provision is made for the Payment to Persons appearing on Recognizance or Subpœna to give Evidence as to any Felony in *Ireland* of such Sum of Money as to the Court before which such Person shall appear shall seem reasonable, not exceeding the Expences *bonâ fide* incurred by such Person, and also for the Payment, under certain Circumstances, of Compensation to such Persons for Trouble and Loss of Time: And whereas Doubts have been entertained whether the said Act extends to Prosecutions directed or conducted by or under the Direction of His Majesty's Attorney General in *Ireland*, or other Law Officers of His Majesty; be it therefore declared and 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

55 G. 3. c. 91.

Provisions of recited Act extended to all Crown Prosecutions.

and by the Authority of the same, That the Provisions of the said Act shall extend and shall be deemed and construed to extend to all Cases, as well of Prosecutions commenced or carried on by or under the Direction of His Majesty's Attorney General in *Ireland*, or any other Law Officer of His Majesty, as of any other Prosecution whatsoever.

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