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CAP. LXXVI.

An Act to restrain the Alienation of Corporate Property in certain Towns in *Ireland* until the First Day of *September* One thousand eight hundred and forty. [24th *August* 1839.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Sixth and Seventh Years of the Reign of His late Majesty, intituled *An Act to restrain the Alienation of Corporate Property in certain Towns in* Ireland, whereby temporary Provision was made to the end that the Estates and Effects of the Bodies Corporate constituted in sundry Towns in *Ireland* might be preserved and maintained for the Use and Benefit of the Inhabitants of the said Towns, and upon and for the several Trusts and Purposes to which the same ought to be applied: And whereas by Two Acts passed respectively in the last and in the previous Sessions of Parliament further temporary Provision was made to the like end: And whereas it is fitting that such Provision should be continued: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen'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 no Conveyance, Alienation, Settlement, Charge, or Incumbrance whatsoever of, out of, or upon any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments to which any Body Corporate or late or reputed Body Corporate named in the Schedule

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tember 1840, unless bonâ fide agreed upon previous to 16th February 1836.

Schedule to the said first-recited Act annexed, or any One or more of the Members of any of the said Bodies Corporate in his or their Corporate Capacity, or any Person or Persons in Trust for them or any of them, now have or may hereafter acquire, or on or before the Sixteenth Day of *February* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six had or have since then acquired any Right or Title, unless in pursuance of some Covenant or Contract or Agreement *bonâ fide* made or entered into on or before the said Sixteenth Day of *February* by or on behalf of such Body Corporate, or of some Resolution duly entered in the Corporate Books of such Body Corporate on or before the said Sixteenth Day of *February*, shall (except as herein-after provided) be made or executed by or on behalf of such Body Corporate before the First Day of *September* One thousand eight hundred and forty; and that no Contract, Covenant, or Agreement to convey or to charge such Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, entered into after the passing of this Act, and before the said First Day of *September*, shall, except as herein-after provided, be valid; and no Assignment, Grant, or Disposition of or Covenant or Agreement to affect any Personal Estate or Estates of any such Body Corporate, which may be hereafter made before the said First Day of *September*, shall, except as herein-after provided, be valid and effectual:

Proviso.

Provided always, that nothing herein contained shall extend to such Dispositions as may be made before the said First Day of *September* of any Part of the Real or Personal Estate of any such Body Corporate for paying any just and lawful Debt contracted by them before the said Sixteenth Day of *February* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, or for paying any Debt which any such Body Corporate shall have been or may be directed to pay by any Order, Judgment, or Decree of any Court of Law or Equity, or for defraying the legal Salaries of necessary Officers, and other legal and necessary Disbursements of such Body Corporate.

Persons appointed to Offices of Profit since 16th February 1836 not entitled to Compensation on Removal by Parliament.

II. And be it enacted, That no Person who shall have been appointed to any Office or Place of Profit in or by any of the said Bodies Corporate since the said Sixteenth Day of *February* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-six shall be entitled, by reason of such Appointment, to have any Compensation for the Loss of such Office or Place of Profit, or of the Fees and Emoluments thereof, in case Provision shall be hereafter made by Parliament for removing him or authorizing his Removal from such Office or Place of Profit, or for amending or abolishing the same.

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