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An Act to amend an Act of the last Session, to consolidate and amend the Laws for the Regulation of Charitable Loan Societies in *Ireland*.

[19th *July* 1844.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled *An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws for the Regulation of Charitable Loan Societies in* Ireland: 6 & 7 Vict. c. 91.
And whereas the Provisions of the said recited Act relative to the Recovery of Loans in a summary Manner before a Justice or Justices of the Peace do not extend to Loans secured by Notes or Securities taken by Loan Societies, in conformity with the Laws applicable thereto, previous to the Rules of such Societies being certified under the said recited Act; and it is expedient that the said Provisions of the said recited Act should be extended to all such Notes and Securities: 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 it shall and may be lawful for the Treasurer, Secretary, or Clerk of any Loan Society in *Ireland*, whose Rules have been duly certified under the said recited Act, to recover in a summary Way, before One or more of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace in *Ireland*, in the Manner prescribed by the said

Recovery of Amounts due to Loan Societies on Notes or Securities.

said recited Act, the Amount due upon any Note or Security made or entered into prior to the Date of the Certificate of the Secretary of the Loan Fund Board entitling such Society to the Benefit of the said recited Act, and in conformity with the Laws applicable to such Note or Security at the Time of making the same, although such Note or Security be not in the Form or on the Paper provided by the Loan Fund Board; and all and every the Remedies and Provisions in the said recited Act contained for or relating to the Recovery and enforcing Payment of Notes and Securities made under the Authority of the said Act, and of Fines and Costs incurred in relation to the same, shall extend to and be applied to the Recovery and enforcing Payment of all and every such Notes and Securities so made and entered into in conformity to the Laws in force, and applicable thereto as aforesaid, prior to the Date of such Certificate, and of all Fines and Costs incurred or to be incurred in relation thereto.

Application of the Enactments, &c. of the recited Act to the Irish Reproductive Loan Fund Institution.

II. And whereas by the said recited Act it was provided, that nothing therein contained should extend or be construed or taken to authorize any Interference on the Part of the said Loan Fund Board, or the Secretary or Officers thereof, in the Affairs of the *London* Charitable Association, commonly called "The *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution," or of any Trustees or Agents thereof, or of any Institution or Society in *Ireland* which was or should be established in connection with the said *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution; and various Provisions were in the said Act contained in reference to the said *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution: And whereas subsequently to the passing of the said Act the said Institution has been incorporated by Her Majesty's Letters Patent, under the Name of "The *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution," and it may be doubted whether the Provisions in the said Act contained apply to the said incorporated Society; be it enacted, That all and singular the Enactments, Provisions, Stipulations, and Exemptions in the said recited Act contained in reference to the said Charitable Association, and the Secretary, Trustees, Agents, or Officers thereof, and the Institutions or Societies of Persons instituted or associated together in *Ireland* by or in connection therewith, and the Monies, Implements, Goods, and Effects of the said Association, shall extend and be applicable to the said Corporation of the *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution, and the Secretary, Trustees, Agents, and Officers thereof, and the Institutions or Societies of Persons which now are or hereafter may be instituted or associated together in *Ireland* by or in connection therewith, and the Monies, Implements, Goods, and Effects of the said Corporation, and that as fully and effectually to all Intents and Purposes as if the same were here fully and at length repeated, and the Name of the said incorporated Society were substituted for the Name of the said Charitable Association: Provided always, that in lieu of the Lists, Descriptions, Specifications, Notices, and Certificates, required by the said Act to be under the Hand and Seal of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Secretary or Manager of the said Charitable Association, it shall be sufficient that such Lists, Descriptions, Specifications, Notices, and Certificates shall be sealed with the Corporate Seal of the said incorporated Society; and all such Lists, Descriptions, Specifications, Notices, and Certificates,

so sealed with such Corporate Seal, shall have the same Force and Effect in all respects as is by the said Act given to Lists, Descriptions, Specifications, Notices, and Certificates under the Hand and Seal of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Secretary or Manager of the said Charitable Association; and such Certificate, so sealed with the said Corporate Seal, shall be Evidence, before all Judges and Justices, and in all Courts, of the Facts therein certified, without further Proof thereof, and it shall not be necessary to prove the sealing of such Certificates: Provided also, that in all Cases where Lists, Descriptions, or Specifications shall have been sent by the said *Irish* Reproductive Loan Fund Institution, under the Provisions of the said recited Act, to the Secretary of the Loan Fund Board in *Dublin*, of any Trustees or Agents of the said Society, authorized to act in relation to the Affairs of the said Institution in *Ireland*, or of any Loan Societies in connection therewith, it shall not be necessary for the said incorporated Society to send any further or additional Lists, Descriptions, or Specifications thereof.

III. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended or repealed by any Act to be passed in this present Session of Parliament.

Act may be amended this Session.

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