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An Act to continue for the Term of Six Calendar Months all such Commissions, Appointments, Grants, or Patents of Offices or Employments, Civil or Military, as were in force at the Time of the Demise of His late Majesty King *George* the Fourth, and as have not been superseded, determined, or made void during the Reign of His present Majesty. [23d *December* 1830.]

WHEREAS by the Law as it now stands it is enacted and provided no Patent or Grant of any Office or Employment, either Civil or Military, shall cease, determine, or be void by reason of the Death or Demise of any King or Queen of this Realm, but that every such Patent or Grant shall be, continue, and remain in full force and virtue for the Space of Six Months next after any such Death or Demise, unless in the meantime superseded, determined, or made void by the next and immediate Successor to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm is limited and appointed to go, remain, or descend: And whereas divers Commissions, Appointments, Grants, and Patents of Offices and Employments, Civil and Military, which were in force at the Time of the Decease of our late most Gracious Sovereign King *George* the Fourth, in the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, the

the Town of *Berwick-upon-Tweed*, the Islands of *Jersey*, *Guernsey*, *Alderney*, *Sark*, and *Man*, have not been superseded, determined, or made void by His present Majesty King *William* the Fourth; and it is expedient that such Commissions, Appointments, Grants, and Patents should be continued in force for the Time and in manner herein-after mentioned: 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,

All Grants, Patents, &c. existing at the Demise of His late Majesty shall remain in force for Six Months after this Act, unless previously superseded.

That all and every Commissions, Appointments, Patents, and Grants, and Commission, Appointment, Patent, and Grant, of any Office or Employment, Civil or Military, which at the Time of the Death or Demise of His late Majesty King *George* the Fourth were or was in force and effect, and which have not been or shall not be superseded, determined, or made void by His present Majesty at any Time before the passing of this Act, shall be and continue and remain in full force and virtue for the Space of Six Calendar Months next after the passing of this Act, unless the same shall be respectively in the meantime superseded, determined, or made void by His present Majesty, (whom God long preserve,) or by any Successor of His said present Majesty to whom the Imperial Crown of this Realm is by Law limited or appointed to go, remain, or descend.

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