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CAP. XLII.

An Act to facilitate the taking of Affidavits and Affirmations in the Court of the Vice-Warden of the Stannaries of *Cornwall*.

[30th *July* 1834.]

WHEREAS Suitors and others having Business in the Courts of the Stannaries, held by the Vice-Warden of the said Stannaries, can make Affidavits or Affirmations relating thereto before the Vice-Warden only; and it is expedient, and will be for the Benefit of such Suitors and others, that other Persons as well as the said Vice-Warden have Authority to take such Affidavits or Affirmations: 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 any Commissioner of any of the Superior Courts of Common Law at *Westminster*, having by Commission from such Courts or any of them Authority to take Affidavits in Matters relating to such Courts or any of them, may, without Fee or Reward, apply for and have, by Commission from the said Vice-Warden, under the Seal of the Stannaries kept by him, Authority to take Affidavits or Affirmations in all Suits and Matters relating thereto brought into the Court of the said Vice-Warden by way of Appeal from the Courts of the Stewards of the said Stannaries; and that any Master Extraordinary of His Majesty's High Court of Chancery may

Commissioners of Superior Courts of Common Law at Westminster, having Commissions from Vice-Warden of the Stannaries, empowered to

take Affidavits in the Court of the Vice-Warden.

may, without Fee or Reward, apply for and have, by like Commission from the said Vice-Warden, Authority to take Affidavits or Affirmations in all other Suits, Petitions, or Matters to be commenced or being in the Court of the said Vice-Warden; and that all and every Person and Persons wilfully swearing or affirming falsely in any Affidavit to be made before any Person so authorized to take Affidavits or Affirmations as aforesaid shall be deemed guilty of Perjury, and be liable to the Penalties of Perjury, and be therefore prosecuted in any Court of competent Jurisdiction.

Persons swearing falsely before them guilty of Perjury.

Commencement of Act.

II. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall commence and take effect on the First Day of *October* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

Public Act.

III. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and others.

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