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## GEORGE III. REGIS.

C A P. XX.

An Act for raising a further Sum of Money, by Loans or Exchequer Bills, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight.

[9th March 1798.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**W**E, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of *Great Britain* in Parliament assembled, towards raising the necessary Supplies, which we have cheerfully granted to Your Majesty in this Session of Parliament, have resolved to give and grant unto Your Majesty the Sum herein-after mentioned; and do therefore most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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 it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, now or for the Time being, or any Three or more of them, or the High Treasurer for the Time being, at any Time or Times before the First Day of *May* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, to cause or direct any Loans to be taken or received at His Majesty's Exchequer, from any Person or Persons, Natives or Foreigners, Body or Bodies Politick or Corporate, or any Number of Exchequer Bills to be made out there, for any Sum or Sums of Money, not exceeding in Loans and Exchequer Bills together, in the Whole, the Sum of Three Millions, in the same or like Manner, Form, and Order,

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ner as is pre-  
scribed by the  
Malt Act  
of this Session,  
Cap. 4,  
concerning  
Loans, &c.

and according to the same or like Rules and Directions, as in and by an Act of this present Session of Parliament, (intituled, *An Act for continuing and granting to His Majesty certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry; for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight*), are prescribed concerning the Loans or Exchequer Bills to be taken or made in pursuance of the said Act.

The Clauses,  
&c. in the said  
Act relating  
to Loans or  
Exchequer  
Bills,  
(Exception)

II. And be it further enacted, That all and every the Clauses, Provisions, Powers, Privileges, Advantages, Penalties, Forfeitures, and Disabilities, contained in the said last-mentioned Act, relating to the Loans or Exchequer Bills authorized to be made by the same Act (except such Clauses as do charge the same on the Duties granted by the same Act, and except such Clauses as limit the Rate of Interest to be paid for the Forbearance of Money lent on the Credit of the said Act, and also except as is herein-after mentioned), shall be applied and extended to the Loans and Exchequer Bills to be made in pursuance of this Act, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if the same Loans or Exchequer Bills had been originally authorized by the said last-mentioned Act, or as if the said several Clauses or Provisions had been particularly repeated and re-enacted in the Body of this Act.

Exchequer  
Bills so issued  
not to be re-  
ceived again  
in Payment of  
any Taxes;

III. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That no Exchequer Bill or Bills to be made out by virtue of this Act, shall, after the same hath or have been issued at the Exchequer, be afterwards, at any Time before the Fifth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, received or taken, or paid or be current, to any Receiver or Collector in Great Britain, of the Customs, Excise, or any Revenue, Supply, Aid, or Tax whatsoever, due or payable to His Majesty, His Heirs or Successors, or at the Receipt of the Exchequer, from any such Receiver or Collector, or from any other Person or Persons, Bodies Politick or Corporate, otherwise or on any other Account than for the Discharge and cancelling of such Bills, in case the same shall be in due Course or Order of Payment before the said Fifth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight; nor shall any such Receiver or Collector exchange at any Time before the said Fifth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, for any Money of such Revenues, Aids, Taxes, or Supplies, in his Hands, any Exchequer Bill or Bills which shall have been issued as aforesaid by virtue of this Act; nor shall any Action be maintained against any such Receiver or Collector for neglecting or refusing to exchange any such Bill or Bills for ready Money before the said Fifth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight; any Thing in the said Act, made in this present Session of Parliament, intituled, *An Act for continuing and granting to His Majesty certain Duties upon Malt, Mum, Cyder, and Perry, for the Service of the Year One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight*, or this Act, contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

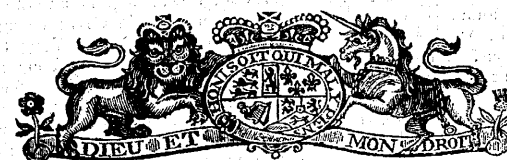
Principal and  
Interest, with  
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IV. And be it further enacted, That all such Loans or Exchequer Bills, together with the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges, incident to or attending the same, shall be, and are hereby charged and chargeable upon, and shall be repaid out of such Instalments, as shall be specified in such Exchequer Bills, not later than in the

Months of April, May, and June, on any Loan which may hereafter be granted by virtue of any Act to be passed in the present Session of Parliament; or on such Instalments as shall be specified in such Exchequer Bills, of any Monies payable by virtue of an Act of this present Session of Parliament, intituled, *An Act for granting to His Majesty an Aid and Contribution for the Prosecution of the War*; and in case there shall not be sufficient Sums of Money paid on any such Instalments as aforesaid, before the Twentieth Day of November One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, then all the said Loans, or Exchequer Bills, with the Interest, Premium, Rate, and Charges, incident to or attending the same, shall be, and are hereby charged and chargeable upon such Monies as, at any Time or Times at or after the Fifth Day of January One thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, shall be or remain in the Receipt of the Exchequer, of the Surplus of the Consolidated Fund, (except such Monies of the said Consolidated Fund as are appropriated to any particular Use or Uses by any Act or Acts of Parliament in that Behalf); and such Monies of the said Consolidated Fund shall and may be issued and applied as soon as the same can be regularly stated and ascertained, for and towards paying off, cancelling, and discharging, such Loans or Exchequer Bills, Interest, Premium, Rate, or Charges, until the Whole of them shall be paid off, cancelled, and discharged, or Money sufficient for that Purpose be kept and reserved in the Exchequer, to be payable on Demand to the respective Proprietors thereof.

V. Provided always, and be it enacted, That whatever Monies shall be so issued out of the said Consolidated Fund, shall, from Time to Time, be replaced by and out of the first Supplies to be then after granted in Parliament; any Thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

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C A P. XXI.

An Act for settling and securing a certain Annuity on *John Earl Saint Vincent*, and the Two next Persons to whom the Title of *Earl Saint Vincent* shall descend, in Consideration of the eminent Service performed by the said *John Earl Saint Vincent* to His Majesty and the Publick. [9th March 1798.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

**W**HEREAS Your Majesty, by Your most Gracious Message to Your most faithful Commons, has been pleased to declare, Preamble.  
That Your Majesty having taken into Your Royal Consideration the eminent and signal Service performed by *John Jervis Earl Saint Vincent*, One of the Admirals of the Blue, off *Cape Saint Vincent*, on the Coast of *Portugal*, in an Engagement in the Month of *February* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, with a *Spanish Fleet*, under the Command of *Don Josef de Cordova*, not only highly honourable to himself, but greatly beneficial to Your Majesty's Kingdoms; Your Majesty was desirous to bestow some considerable and lasting Mark of Your Royal Favour, as a Testimony of Your Majesty's Approbation of the said Service; and for this Purpose to give and grant unto the said *John Jervis Earl Saint Vincent*, and to the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis Earl Saint Vincent*, to whom the Title of *Earl Saint Vincent* shall descend, for and during their Lives, a nett Annuity of Two thousand Pounds *per Annum*;

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but Your Majesty, not having it in Your Power to grant an Annuity to that Amount, or to extend the Effect of the said Grant beyond the Term of Your Majesty's own Life, recommended it to Your faithful Commons, to consider of a proper Method of enabling Your Majesty to grant the same, and of extending, securing, and settling, such Annuity to the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and to the Two next Persons on whom the Title of Earl *Saint Vincent* shall descend, in such Manner as should be thought most effectual for the Benefit of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and his Family: We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament assembled, duly considering Your Majesty's most Gracious Intention, do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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 One Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum of Two thousand Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain, shall be issuing and payable out of, and charged and chargeable upon, the Consolidated Fund, (after paying, or reserving sufficient to pay, all such Sum and Sums of Money as have been directed by any former Act or Acts of Parliament to be paid out of the same, but with Preference to all other Payments which shall or may hereafter be charged upon, or payable out of, the said Fund); and the same shall from Time to Time be paid quarterly, free and clear of all Taxes and Deductions whatsoever, in Manner and Form following; (that is to say), To *John Jervis* now Earl *Saint Vincent*, for and during the natural Life of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and from and after his Decese, unto the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, on whom the said Title, Honour, and Dignity of Earl *Saint Vincent* shall descend, for and during their natural Lives; which said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, shall commence and take Effect from the Fourteenth Day of February, which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven; the First Payment to be computed from the said Fourteenth Day of February, which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, until the Fifth Day of April, in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight; and from thenceforth shall be paid and payable at the Four usual Days of Payment in the Year; that is to say, the Fifth Day of July, the Tenth Day of October, the Fifth Day of January, and the Fifth Day of April, in each and every Year, by even and equal Portions.

The Annuity to be paid at the Exchequer, without Fees.

II. And it is hereby further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury now being, and the High Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer, and Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being, and they are hereby authorized and required, by Warrant under their Hands, to direct the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer, now and for the Time being, to make forth and pass Debentures, from Time to Time, for paying the said Annuity or yearly Rent or Sum of Two thousand Pounds, in Manner as aforesaid, and as the same shall, from Time to Time, become due and payable, without any Fees or Charges to be demanded or taken for paying the same, or any Part thereof; which said Warrant, and

A Life Annuity of 2000l. for Ann. settled on Earl Saint Vincent, and the Two next succeeding Heirs to his Title,

to commence from Feb. 14, 1797, and to be paid quarterly.

and the Debentures to be made forth, and passed thereupon, shall be a sufficient Authority to the several and respective Officers of the Receipt of the Exchequer, now and for the Time being, for the Payment of the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, to the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, at the respective quarterly Feast Days in this Act before appointed for Payment thereof, without any further or other Warrant to be sued for, had, or obtained, in that Behalf.

III. And it is hereby further enacted, That after signing of such Warrant, the same shall be good, valid, and effectual in Law, according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof, and of this Act, and shall not be determinable or revocable by or upon the Demise of His Majesty, (whom God long preserve!) or of any of His Heirs or Successors, on by or upon the Death or Removal of any of the said Commissioners of the Treasury, or the Lord High Treasurer, or by or upon the Determination of the Power, Office or Offices of them, or any of them.

IV. And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the Commissioners of the Treasury now being, and the High Treasurer of the Treasury for the Time being, Chancellor and Under Treasurer, Chamberlains and Barons of the Exchequer, and all other the Officers and Ministers of the Court of Exchequer, and of the Receipt thereof, now and for the Time being, shall, and they are hereby authorized and strictly enjoined and required to do, without Fee or Reward, all such Acts, Matters, and Things, as are herein-before directed and required, or shall be necessary to be done and performed by them, or any or either of them, in order to render this Act, and the several Payments hereby directed, effectual.

V. And be it enacted, That the Acquittance or Acquittances, Receipt or Receipts, of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, on whom the said Title shall descend, shall be a good and sufficient Discharge for the Payment of the said Annuity or yearly Sum, without any further or other Warrant to be sued for or obtained in that Behalf; and that the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, and every Part thereof, shall be free and clear from all Taxes, Impositions, and other Charges whatsoever: And in case any of the Officers of the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer shall refuse or neglect to pay the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, or to do any Act necessary to enable the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, on whom the said Title shall descend, to receive the same, then the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, on whom the said Title shall descend, may, from Time to Time, sue, prosecute, and implead such Officers, or any of them, their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, by Bill, Complaint, or Action of Debt, and shall and may recover Judgements, and sue out Executions thereupon, against such

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Commissioners of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, &c. are to do all Things necessary for the Execution of this Act, without Fees.

The Receipt of Earl Saint Vincent, and his Successors, shall be a sufficient Discharge.

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such Officers respectively, their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, for so much of such Sum or Sums of Money, then due and owing upon the said Annuity, yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof, as shall have been in the Hands of the Officer or Officers of the Receipt of the Exchequer, at the Time or Times when Demands shall have been legally made of the Payment of the said Annuity, yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof as aforesaid, or for the Refusal or Neglect to do any Act necessary to be done by such Officer or Officers respectively.

Annuity not to be aliened or incumbered for a longer Term than during the Life of the Possessor.

VI. And be it further enacted, That the said Annuity, yearly Rent or Sum of Two thousand Pounds, shall be, and the same is by this Act vested in the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, to whom the said Title, Honour, and Dignity of Earl *Saint Vincent* shall descend; and the same, or any Part thereof, shall not at any Time or Times hereafter be aliened, conveyed, disposed, charged, or incumbered, by the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, or by either of the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, on whom the said Title shall descend, for any greater or larger Estate, or Time, than during the natural Life of the Person so aliening, conveying, disposing, charging, or incumbering the same, or so as to prevent the same from descending to the next or succeeding Heir Male of the Body of the said *John Jervis* Earl *Saint Vincent*, to whom the said Title of Earl *Saint Vincent* shall descend, according to the Limitation aforesaid.

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C A P. XXII.

An Act for settling and securing a certain Annuity on *Adam* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next Persons to whom the Title of Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, in Consideration of the eminent Service performed by the said *Adam* Lord Viscount *Duncan* to His Majesty and the Publick.

[9th March 1798.]

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WHEREAS Your Majesty, by Your most Gracious Message to Preamble. Your most faithful Commons, has been pleased to declare, That Your Majesty having taken into Your Royal Consideration the eminent and signal Service performed by *Adam* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, One of the Admirals of the Blue, on the Coast of *Holland*, in an Engagement in the Month of *October* One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, with a *Dutch* Fleet, under the Command of Admiral *De Winter*, not only highly honourable to himself, but greatly beneficial to Your Majesty's Kingdoms; Your Majesty was desirous to bestow some considerable and lasting Mark of Your Royal Favour, as a Testimony of Your Majesty's Approbation of the said Service; and for this Purpose to give and grant unto the said *Adam* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and to the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, to whom the Title of Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, for and during their Lives, a nett Annuity of Two thousand Pounds *per Annum*; but Your Majesty, not having

A Life Annuity of 2000*l.* settled on Lord Viscount Duncan, and the Two next succeeding Heirs to his Title,

to commence from 07. 12. 1797, and to be paid quarterly.

The Annuity to be paid at the Exchequer, without Fees.

having it in Your Power to grant an Annuity to that Amount, or to extend the Effect of the said Grant beyond the Term of Your Majesty's own Life, recommended it to Your faithful Commons, to consider of a proper Method of enabling Your Majesty to grant the same, and of extending, securing, and settling, such Annuity to the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and to the Two next Persons on whom the Title of Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, in such Manner as should be thought most effectual for the Benefit of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and his Family: We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament assembled, duly considering Your Majesty's most Gracious Intention, do most humbly beseech Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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 One Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum of Two thousand Pounds of lawful Money of Great Britain, shall be issuing and payable out of, and charged and chargeable upon, the Consolidated Fund, (after paying, or reserving sufficient to pay, all such Sum and Sums of Money as have been directed by any former Act or Acts of Parliament to be paid out of the same, but with Preference to all other Payments which shall or may hereafter be charged upon, or payable out of, the said Fund); and the same shall from Time to Time be paid quarterly, free and clear of all Taxes and Deductions whatsoever, in Manner and Form following; (that is to say), To *Adam Duncan* now Lord Viscount *Duncan*, for and during the natural Life of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and from and after his Decease, unto the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, on whom the said Title, Honour, and Dignity of Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, for and during their natural Lives; which said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, shall commence and take Effect from the Eleventh Day of *October*, which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, the First Payment to be computed from the said Eleventh Day of *October*, which was in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven, until the Fifth Day of *April*, in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight; and from thenceforth shall be paid and payable at the Four usual Days of Payment in the Year; that is to say, the Fifth Day of *July*, the Tenth Day of *October*, the Fifth Day of *January*, and the Fifth Day of *April*, in each and every Year, by even and equal Portions.

II. And it is hereby further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury now being, and the High Treasurer and Under Treasurer of the Exchequer, and Commissioners of the Treasury for the Time being, and they are hereby authorized and required, by Warrant under their Hands, to direct the Auditor of the Receipt of the Exchequer, now and for the Time being, to make forth and pass Debentures, from Time to Time for paying the said Annuity or yearly Rent or Sum of Two thousand Pounds, in Manner as aforesaid, and as the same shall, from Time to Time, become due and payable, without any Fees or Charges to be demanded or taken for paying the same, or any Part thereof; which said Warrant, and the Debentures to be made forth, and passed thereupon,

upon, shall be a sufficient Authority to the several and respective Officers of the Receipt of the Exchequer, now and for the Time being, for the Payment of the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, to the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, at the respective quarterly Feast Days in this Act before appointed for Payment thereof, without any further or other Warrant to be sued for, had, or obtained, in that Behalf.

III. And it is hereby further enacted, That after signing of such Warrant, the same shall be good, valid, and effectual in Law, according to the Purport and true Meaning thereof, and of this Act, and shall not be determinable or revocable by or upon the Demise of His Majesty, (whom God long preserve!) or of any of His Heirs or Successors, or by or upon the Death or Removal of any of the said Commissioners of the Treasury, or the Lord High Treasurer, or by or upon the Determination of the Power, Office or Offices of them, or any of them.

IV. And be it further enacted, That the Commissioners of the Treasury now being, and the High Treasurer of the Treasury for the Time being, Chancellor and Under Treasurer, Chamberlains and Barons of the Exchequer, and all other the Officers and Ministers of the Court of Exchequer, and of the Receipt thereof, now and for the Time being, shall, and they are hereby authorized and strictly enjoined and required to do, without Fee or Reward, all such Acts, Matters, and Things, as are herein-before directed and required, or shall be necessary to be done and performed by them, or any or either of them, in order to render this Act, and the several Payments hereby directed, effectual.

V. And be it enacted, That the Acquittance or Acquittances, Receipt or Receipts, of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, on whom the said Title shall descend, shall be a good and sufficient Discharge for the Payment of the said Annuity or yearly Sum, without any further or other Warrant to be sued for or obtained in that Behalf; and that the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, and every Part thereof, shall be free and clear from all Taxes, Impositions, and other Charges whatsoever: And in case any of the Officers of the Receipt of His Majesty's Exchequer shall refuse or neglect to pay the said Annuity, or yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof, according to the true Intent and Meaning of this Act, or to do any Act necessary to enable the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, on whom the said Title, Honour, and Dignity of Lord Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, to receive the same, then the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, on whom the said Title shall descend, may, from Time to Time, sue, prosecute, and implead such Officers, or any of them, their Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, by Bill, Plaint, or Action of Debt, and shall and may recover Judgement, and sue out Executions thereupon, against such Officers respectively, their Heirs,

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Commissioners of the Treasury, Chancellor of the Exchequer, etc. are to do all Things necessary for the Execution of this Act, without Fees.

The Receipt of Lord Viscount Duncan, and his Successors, shall be a sufficient Discharge.

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Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, for so much of such Sum or Sums of Money, then due and owing upon the said Annuity, yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof, as shall have been in the Hands of the Officer or Officers of the Receipt of the Exchequer, at the Time or Times when Demands shall have been legally made of the Payment of the said Annuity, yearly Rent or Sum, or any Part thereof as aforesaid, or for the Refusal or Neglect to do any Act necessary to be done by such Officer or Officers respectively.

Annuity not to be aliened or incumbered for a longer Term than the Life of the Possessor.

VI. And be it further enacted, That the said Annuity, yearly Rent, or Sum of Two thousand Pounds, shall be, and the same is by this Act conveyed in the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, and the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, to whom the said Title, Honour, and Dignity of Lord Viscount *Duncan* shall descend; and the same, or any Part thereof, shall not at any Time or Times hereafter be aliened, conveyed, disposed, charged, or incumbered, by the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, or by either of the Two next succeeding Heirs Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, or whom the said Title shall descend, for any greater or larger Estate, or Time, than during the natural Life of the Person so aliening, conveying, disposing, charging, or incumbering the same, or so as to prevent the same from descending to the next or succeeding Heir Male of the Body of the said *Adam Duncan* Lord Viscount *Duncan*, to whom the said Title of Lord Viscount *Duncan* shall descend, according to the Limitation aforesaid.

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