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An Act to amend the Act respecting the Coasting Trade of Canada.

HER Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows :-

1. Section 2 of the Act respecting the Coasting Trade of R.S.C., c. 83, new s. 2. 5 Canada, being chapter 83 of the Revised Statutes, is hereby

repealed and the following is substituted therefor:-

"2. No goods or passengers shall be carried by water, from Coasting one port of Canada to another port of Canada, either for the trade to be in British ships. 10 ships; and if any goods or passengers are so carried contrary to this Act, the master of the ship or vessel so carrying them

shall incur a penalty of four hundred dollars, and any goods Penalty for so carried shall be forfeited, as smuggled, and such ship or contravention. vessel may be detained by the collector of customs, at any port 15 or place to which such goods or passengers are brought, until such penalty is paid, or security for the payment thereof is given to his satisfaction, and until such goods are delivered

up to him, to be dealt with as goods forfeited under the provisions of The Customs Act.

"2. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit Exception as the carrying from one port of Canada to another port of to goods not transhipped. Canada, in a ship other than a British ship, of goods which have been imported in such ship from a foreign port and have not been unladen at a port of Canada."