

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Second Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King William IV., intituled *An Act to regulate the Practice and the Fees in the Vice-Admiralty Courts abroad and to obviate Doubts as to their Jurisdiction*, Her Majesty is empowered to make such Rules and Regulations, and to establish such Fees, and to alter them from time to time, as may be found expedient for the said Vice-Admiralty Courts; and whereas by an Order in Council, bearing date the 27th day of June 1832, Rules, Regulations, and Tables of Fees were made and established for the several Vice-Admiralty Courts then existing; and whereas by an Order in Council, bearing date the 25th day of June 1851, the 25th Section of the said Rules and Regulations which relates to Prosecutions for a Breach of the Laws for the Abolition of the Slave Trade was expunged, and in lieu thereof other Rules and Regulations were established, We, therefore, send you herewith a copy of the aforesaid Order in Council of the 25th day of June 1851, and the Rules and Regulations relative to Prosecutions for a breach of the Laws for the Abolition of the Slave Trade thereby established; and We hereby desire and direct you, so far as the same affect or concern your Court, to act in accordance with and to be guided by such Order in Council, Rules, and Regulations in all matters to which they relate.

(Signed) F. T. BARING.  
 J. W. D. DUNDAS.  
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 W. COWPER.

*To the Vice-Admiral, the Judge, and  
 the respective Officers and Practi-  
 tioners of the Vice-Admiralty Court  
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By Command of their Lordships,  
 (Signed) J. PARKER.