

AN ACT

RESPECTING THE HARBOR OF NORTH SYDNEY,

IN NOVA SCOTIA.

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate Preamble.
and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows:—

1. In the construction and for the purposes of this Act, (if not in- Interpretation
consistent with the context or subject matter.) the following terms clause.
shall have respective meanings hereinafter assigned to them, that is
to say: "Ship" shall include every description of vessel used in navigation,
not propelled by oars; "Master" shall include every person "Ship."
(except a pilot) having command or charge of a ship "Master."
2. The Governor may, from time to time, appoint three commis- Appointment
sioners under this Act to have superintendence of the harbor and of Commission
harbor master of the Port of North Sydney, in the Province of Nova ers
Scotia.
3. The Commissioners shall, from time to time, appoint a fit and Harbour Mas-
proper person to be Harbor Master for the said Port of North Sydney ter.
4. The commissioners appointed under this Act shall be under the Control of, and
control of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, to whom they shall report to, Min-
respectively furnish a report in writing, and on oath, on or as soon as later of Marine
possible after the thirty-first day of December of each year, of their and Fisheries.
doings in office and of the moneys received and expended by them
in such form as the said Minister may direct.
5. The said Commissioners shall have power, from time to time, Powers of Com-
with the consent of the Governor in Council, to make, repeal or missioners.
amend rules and regulations defining the rights, powers and duties Regulations
of the harbor master of the said port, and the use, management and for Harbor.
government of the said harbor, and providing for the erection and
location of ballast and other wharves, and the rates of wharfage to be
paid for the use of such wharves; and by such rules and regulations Penalties;
to impose reasonable penalties, not in any case exceeding one hundred amount limit-
dollars for any breach of such rules and regulations, with, in the case ed.
of continuing breach thereof, a further penalty not exceeding ten
dollars for every twelve hours during which such breach continues,—
but so that no such rule or regulation shall impose a minimum
penalty, and every breach of any such rule or regulation shall be
an offence against this Act, and every such penalty shall be
said to be a penalty imposed by this Act.