

Rules and Orders for the Registry of Deeds, &c.

to make any general Rules and Orders of Court for maintaining Order and Regularity in the Mode of taking such Acknowledgments, and registering such Deeds, Wills, Conveyances, and other Assurances as aforesaid, and for executing the Duties of said Office of Registrar of Deeds; provided that such Rules and Orders be not in anywise repugnant to the Provisions of this present Act in that Behalf.

Governor may establish Ordinances for the granting of Licences for the Retail of Ale and Spirits, and as to the Sums to be paid and the Appropriation.

XXXIV. And whereas the Justices of the Peace in *Newfoundland* have been used to grant Licences for the Retail of Ale and Spirituous Liquors, and it is proper to regulate the Sums to be demanded upon such Licences, and to make Provision for the Appropriation thereof, and for preventing Abuses in the granting of such Licences, and in the Sale of Spirits by unlicensed Persons in the said Colony; be it therefore enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor or acting Governor of *Newfoundland* to make, establish, and ordain such Rules and Ordinances as to him may seem meet, respecting the granting of such Licences, and the recalling the same, and the Amount of the Sums to be demanded and taken for every such Licence, and the Appropriation of such Sums to His Majesty's Service in the said Colony, and for preventing the Retail of Ale and Spirituous Liquors by Persons not duly licensed, and to impose such pecuniary Fines or other Penalties as may be necessary for enforcing Obedience to any such Rules or Ordinances as aforesaid.

His Majesty may grant Charters for establishing Corporations for the Government of Towns.

XXXV. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for His Majesty, by Charter or Letters Patent under the Great Seal, to constitute and erect such Persons as to His Majesty shall seem meet a Body or Bodies Corporate and Politic, for the Government of any Town or Towns situate within the said Colony of *Newfoundland* or its Dependancies, and to grant to such Body or Bodies Politic and Corporate, Power to make Bye-Laws for regulating the Police of any such Town or Towns, and for the Prevention or Abatement of Nuisances therein, and for the Prevention of Accidents by Fire; and also to grant to any such Body or Bodies Politic and Corporate as aforesaid, the Power to impose and levy such reasonable and moderate Rates and Assessments upon the Inhabitants and Householders in such Town or Towns, as may be necessary for carrying into Effect the several Purposes aforesaid, or any of them; and it shall also be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, by any Order or Orders to be made by or with the Advice of His or Their Privy Council, to dissolve any such Corporation or Corporations as aforesaid, upon and subject to such Conditions and Regulations as may be made in and by any such Order or Orders in that Behalf.

Continuance of Act.

XXXVI. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force for Five Years from the passing thereof, and no longer.

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