

Anno quarto

Georgii III. Regis.

C A P. IX.

An Act for repealing the Duties now payable upon Bever Skins imported, and for granting other Duties in lieu thereof; and for granting certain Duties upon the Exportation of Bever Skins and Bever Wool; and for taking off the Drawback allowed on the Exportation of such Skins.



Whereas the Duties now payable ^{Preamble.} upon the Importation of Bever Skins, and the Drawback allowed upon the Exportation of such Skins, are great Discouragements to the Manufacture of Hats in this Kingdom; Therefore We, Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Commons of Great Britain, being desirous to promote and encourage the Manufactures of this Kingdom, 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 from and after the Seventh Day of April, which shall be in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and sixty-four, the several Rates, Duties, Subsidies, and Impositions After 7 April, 1764, the former Duties payable upon Bever Skins imported, to cease. payable