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VII. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that nothing in this Act contained shall weaken, diminish, extinquish or affect, or be construed to weaken, diminish, extinguish or affect, in any manner or way whatsoever, the rights or privileges of His Majesty, His Heirs or Successors, or of any Seignior or Seigniors, or of any person or persons, body politic or corporate whatsoever, save and except such rights as are in this Act expressly altered and affected, but that His Majesty and all and every Seigneur or Seigneurs, and other persons, bodies politic and corporate, shall have and exercise the same rights, (except as aforesaid) as they and each of them had before the passing of this Act, to every effect and purpose whatsoever, in as ample a manner as if this Act had never been passed.