

from, and having been cleared of the Custom House at such Port after the

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and such rate or duty shall be

currency for every such Passenger or Emigrant who shall have embarked from any Port in the United Kingdom under the sanction of Her Majesty's Government ascertained by a certificate from one of the officers of Her Majesty's Customs at the Port at which such vessel shall have cleared, and

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currency for every such Passenger or Emigrant who shall have embarked without such sanction; and such rate or duty shall be paid by the master or person in command of such vessel or by some person on his behalf, to the Collector or other Chief Officer of the Customs at the Port at which such vessel shall be first entered, and at the time of making such first entry, which shall contain on the face of it the number of passengers actually on board the vessel; and no such entry shall be deemed to have been validly made, or to have any legal effect whatsoever, unless such rates or duties be so paid as

Proviso: children under 12 months exempted.

Proviso: Drafts drawn by order of the Government to be taken in payment of the duty.

aforsaid: Provided always, that no child under the age of twelve months shall be reckoned among the number of Passengers; and provided also, that any draft, order or other document made or signed by any person in the United Kingdom aforsaid duly empowered to that effect by Her Majesty's Government, and directed to Her Majesty's Commissary General or other officer having charge of the Military Chest in this Province, and authorising the payment to the Collector or Chief Officer of the Customs aforsaid, of the rate or duty which would otherwise be payable by the master of any vessel for any Emigrant or any number of Emigrants on board such vessel, shall be taken and accepted by the Collector or Chief Officer as payment of the rate or duty payable on such Emigrant or Emigrants, and the sum mentioned in such order shall thereafter be received by such Collector or Chief Officer and paid over and applied in the same manner as