

XIV. And whereas by an Act passed in the Fifty-first Year of the Reign of His said Majesty King *George* the Third, the Governor of the Island of *Newfoundland* is empowered to dispose of certain Places in the Harbour of *Saint John* in the said Island, called "Fishing Ships Rooms," as therein particularly described: And whereas it is expedient that all other Fishing Ships Rooms in *Newfoundland* should be disposed of in like Manner; be it further enacted, That the Governor of *Newfoundland* for the Time being shall have Power, and he is hereby authorized to sell, lease, or dispose of all such Places within the said Island of *Newfoundland*, commonly called "Ships Rooms," as may not be already disposed of under and by virtue of the said last-mentioned Act, to be held in the same Manner as other Property in *Newfoundland*; provided however, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to the Prejudice of any private Right of any Person whatever.

Governor of Newfoundland empowered to dispose of Ships Rooms.

XV. And be it further enacted, That it shall and may be lawful for His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, to grant to any Persons or Person any waste and unoccupied Lands situate and being within the said Colony, and which have not hitherto been granted by His Majesty, or any of His Royal Predecessors, to any Persons or Person; any thing in any Charter granted by any of His Majesty's Royal Predecessors, or in any Act of Parliament, to the contrary contained in anywise notwithstanding.

His Majesty may grant waste Lands, &c.

XVI. And be it further enacted, That all Penalties hereby imposed shall and may be sued for and recovered in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record in the said Colony of *Newfoundland*, or its Dependencies, and shall go and be applied, One Half to the Benefit of any Person who may sue or inform for the same, and the other Half to His Majesty, for and towards the Support of the Government of the said Colony.

Penalties imposed may be sued for in Courts of Record in Newfoundland.

XVII. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall continue and be in force for Five Years, and from thence until the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

Continuance of Act.

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