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Regulating the carrying of Passengers to and from the Island of *Newfoundland* and Coast of *Labrador*.

Note.—The Figures in the Margin denote the Number of the Folios in the written Copy.

1 **W**H E R E A S an Act was passed in the Forty-third year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, " An Act for regulating the " Vessels carrying Passengers from the United Kingdom to His Majesty's " Plantations and Settlements abroad, or to Foreign parts, with respect " to the Number of such Passengers : " Preamble.

And whereas an Act was passed in the Forty-fourth year of His said Majesty's Reign, to exempt Vessels in the *Newfoundland* Trade from the Provisions of the above recited Act of the Forty-third year of His present Majesty's reign, whereby the Conveyance of Passengers from the United Kingdom to *Newfoundland* and *Labrador*, to be employed in the Trade or Fishery thereof, is no longer subject to any legal provisions :

2 And whereas it is expedient to make special Regulations for the Intercourse between the United Kingdom and the Island of *Newfoundland* and Coast of *Labrador*, so far as regards the Conveyance of Passengers to be employed in the Trade or Fishery thereof, and the providing them with proper Accommodation, and an adequate Supply of Water and Provisions ;

BE it therefore 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 before the sailing of any Ship or Vessel from any Port or Place in the United Kingdom, to *Newfoundland* or the Coast of *Labrador*, with Passengers to be employed in the Trade or Fishery thereof, the Master or other Person having or taking the charge or command of every

Master of Vessels to enter into Bond not to take more Passengers than by this Act allowed.