

which have been heretofore registered by the Deputy Registers, or shall hereafter be registered by Virtue of this Act. And if any Deputy Register shall fail to transmit such Extracts to the Register's Office at **Halifax**, as aforesaid, he shall forfeit and pay for the Use and Service of the Government of this Province, the Sum of **five Pounds**, to be recovered on Complaint of the Register of the Province, before any Court of Record within the same, and such Deputy so failing, shall moreover be liable to an Action at Law for all Damages sustained by the Party aggrieved.

Deputy Register failing shall forfeit £. 5. and liable to an Action by party aggrieved.

IV. And be it further Enacted, That all Deeds heretofore registered by the Deputy Registers in the several Towns and Counties in this Province, whereof Certificates of the Registry have been duly returned to the Register's Office at **Halifax** and enter'd there, or which shall on or before the first Day of **November** next be returned and enter'd there as aforesaid, shall be deemed good and valid, as tho' the same had been duly at first enter'd in the Registry at **Halifax** aforesaid. **Provided**, That nothing herein shall extend to affect any Attachment heretofore made, or Judgment which may have been recovered on any Lands or Hereditaments, a Certificate of the Registry whereof has not already been returned as aforesaid.

All deeds heretofore registered by the Deputies, and Certificates returned, or which shall be returned before 1st Nov. next, good and valid.

C A P. VI.

An Act in further Amendment of, and in Addition to an Act made in the Third Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "*An Act to enable the several Townships within this Province to maintain their Poor.*"

3d. Geo. 3d. c. 7.
2d Session.
7. Geo. 3. c. 3.
8. Geo. 3. c. 5.
c. 1.
2d Session.
10. Geo. 3d. c. 2.

WHEREAS the appointing twelve Assessors for assessing the Sums voted for the Support of the Poor, is found inconvenient, at **Halifax**, as well as in the several other Townships in this Province :

Preamble.

I. Be it Enacted, by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, That the Inhabitants in each and every Town or Township in this Province, shall at their Meeting for raising Money for the Support of the Poor, choose Five Freeholders of the said Town or Township, any three of whom to be a Quorum, (and who being first duly sworn) are hereby empowered to assess the Inhabitants of such Township their Proportions of the Sum voted for the Support of the Poor, as near as may be according to their Abilities, and in case the said Assessors shall neglect or refuse

5 Freeholders to be chosen, any 3 of whom to be a Quorum to make assessment,