

CAP. IV.

AN ACT to authorise and empower the Lieutenant Governor and Council to call together the Legislature of this Island during an adjournment thereof.

[*Passed October 7, 1854.*]

WHEREAS it is deemed necessary and expedient that the Lieutenant Governor, or other the Administrator of the Government for the time being, by and with the advice and consent of Her Majesty's Executive Council, should have power and authority to call together the Legislature of this Island during an adjournment thereof.

Preamble.

I. Be it therefore enacted by the Lieutenant Governor, Council and Assembly, that from and after the passing of this Act, when the Legislature of this Island stands adjourned for more than ten days, it shall and may be lawful for the Lieutenant Governor of this Island, or other the Administrator of the Government for the time being, by and with the advice of the Executive Council, to issue a Proclamation declaring that the Legislature shall meet on a certain day to be therein named, not less than ten days from the time of issuing such Proclamation.

Lieut Governor empowered to call Legislature together by proclamation when same stands adjourned for more than 10 days.

II. And be it further enacted, That in the event of such Proclamation being so made as aforesaid by the Lieutenant Governor or other the Administrator of the Government for the time being, all orders which may have been made by either the Legislative Council or House of Assembly of this Island, and appointed for the original day of meeting, or any subsequent day, shall stand appointed for the day named in such Proclamation, any law, usage or custom to the contrary thereof notwithstanding.

In the event of such proclamation, &c, all orders of either branch of the Legislature, made for original day of meeting, shall stand for day named in the proclamation.