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GEORGI II. REGIS.

Cap. 6.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of Two Acts, made in the First and Twenty-second Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, so far as the same relate to the Road leading from the Town of *Stone*, in the County of *Stafford*, to a certain Gate in the Borough of *Stafford* called *Gaol Gate*, and from a certain Gate on the South Side of the said Borough called *Green Gate*, through the Towns of *Dunstun* and *Penkridge*, to a Road called *Streetway*, in the Road to *Wolverhampton*, in the said County of *Stafford*. [24th March 1803.]

WHEREAS an Act was made in the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intituled, *An Act for amending and widening the Road from the Town of Stone, to Wordsley Green Gate, and from the West End of Bilston Street in Wolverhampton, to the High Street opposite the Old Bush in Dudley, and from a Place called Burnt Tree near Dudley to Birmingham, and from the Market Cross in Wolverhampton to Cannock, in the Counties of Stafford, Worcester, and Warwick; whereby the said Roads were divided into Two separate Districts, One of which*
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being the Road which leads from the Town of *Stone*, in the County of *Stafford*, to a certain Gate in the Borough of *Stafford* called *Gool Gate*, and from a certain Gate on the South Side of the said Borough called *Green Gate*, through the Towns of *Dunston* and *Penkridge*, to a Road called *Streetway*, in the Road to *Wolverhampton*, in the said County of *Stafford*, was called, *The First District*, and separate Trustees were appointed for each District: And whereas another Act was made in the Twenty-second Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, for continuing the Term, and altering and enlarging the Powers, of the said recited Act: And whereas the Trustees appointed in or by virtue of the said Acts for the said First District of Road, have proceeded to put the same in Execution within that District, and have for that Purpose borrowed several considerable Sums of Money on the Credit of the Tolls arising within the said First District, which still remain due, and cannot be repaid, and the said District of Road effectually amended and kept in good Repair, unless the Term and Powers of the said recited Acts, so far as the same relate to the said First District, be continued and amended: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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, from and immediately after the Commencement of this Act, the Term granted by the said recited Acts, so far as relate to the said First District of Road, shall be repealed; and that the said recited Acts, and the several Clauses, Tolls, Powers, Provisions, Exemptions, Penalties, Forfeitures, Matters, and Things, therein contained (except such as relate to Exemption from Stamp Duties) so far as the same relate to the said First District, shall be and remain in full Force and Effect, and together with this present Act shall be put in Execution for the several Purposes thereby and hereby intended, for and during the Term herein-after mentioned, as fully and effectually, in all Respects, and to all Intents and Purposes whatsoever, as if the same were herein particularly inserted, repeated, and re-enacted; and that this Act, and the Term hereby granted, shall be subject and liable to the Payment of all Monies now due and owing, or which shall be borrowed on the Credit of the said recited Acts, or either of them; and this Act, with respect to, the said First District, and of all Interest due or to grow due thereon respectively.

Acts further continued.

Additional Trustees.

III. And be it further enacted, That *Thomas Anson, William Anson, George Anson, Stambroke Anson, John Delves Broughton, Henry Broughton Clerk, John Box, Sir John Chetwode, George Chetwynd junior, Edward Clarke junior, James Cramer, John Crockett, John Eld, Richard Eld, Joseph Ellerton Clerk, Thomas Fernyhough, George Godwin, Edward Groves, Sir John Heathcote, John Hodson, William Locker, Edward Monckton, junior, George Monckton, John Monckton, Henry Monckton, Philip Monckton, Claud Monckton, Robert Monckton, Hugh Monckton, Richard Marsb, Thomas Pearson, William Pershouse, Richard Slaney Clerk, John Stevenson Salt, Moreton Walkhouse, John Walkhouse, Edward Whitby Clerk, and George Whitby* (being qualified according to the Directions of the said first recited Act), shall be, and they are hereby added to and joined with the surviving and remaining Trustees appointed in or elected by virtue of the said recited Acts or either of them, with respect to the said First District of Road; and that the said several Persons herein-before named, together with those who were appointed or elected Trustees in or by virtue of the said recited Acts, shall be and they are hereby appointed Trustees to put the said recited Acts and

and this Act, into Execution, with respect to the said First District, as fully and effectually, to all Intents and Purposes, as if they had been appointed by the said recited Acts or either of them.

III. And be it further enacted, That if any Money shall be agreed or awarded to be paid for any Lands, Grounds, or Hereditaments purchased, taken, or used by virtue of the Powers of the said recited Acts and this Act for the Purposes thereof, which shall belong to any Corporation, Feme Covert, Infant, Lunatick, or Person or Persons under any Disability or Incapacity, as in the said first recited Act particularly mentioned, such Money shall, in case the same shall amount to the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, with all convenient Speed, be paid into the Bank of *England*, in the Name and with the Privity of the Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, to be placed to his Account *ex parte* the Trustees for executing the said Acts and this Act, to the Intent that such Money shall be applied under the Direction and with the Approbation of the said Court, to be signified by an Order made upon a Petition, to be preferred in a summary Way, by the Person or Persons who would have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the said Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments, in the Purchase of the Land Tax, or towards the Discharge of any Debt or Debts, or such other Incumbrances, or Part thereof, as the said Court shall authorize to be paid affecting the same Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments, or affecting other Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments standing settled therewith, to the same or the like Uses, Trusts, Intents, or Purposes; or where such Money shall not be so applied, then the same shall be laid out and invested, under the like Direction and Approbation of the said Court, in the Purchase of other Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments, which shall be conveyed and settled to, for, and upon such and the like Uses, Trusts, Intents, and Purposes, and in the same Manner as the Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments, which shall be so purchased, taken, or used as aforesaid, stood settled or limited, or such of them, as at the Time of making such Conveyance and Settlement shall be existing undetermined and capable of taking Effect; and in the mean Time, and until such Purchase shall be made, the said Money shall, by Order of the said Court of Chancery, upon Application thereto, be invested by the said Accountant General, in his Name, in the Purchase of Three Pounds *per Centum* Consolidated or Three Pounds *per Centum* Reduced Bank Annuities; and in the mean Time, and until the said Bank Annuities shall be ordered by the said Court to be sold for the Purposes aforesaid, the Dividends and annual Produce of the said Consolidated or Reduced Bank Annuities shall, from Time to Time, be paid by Order of the said Court to the Person or Persons who would, for the Time being have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments so hereby directed to be purchased in case such Purchase or Settlement were made.

Application of
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IV. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That if any Money so agreed or awarded to be paid for any Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments purchased, taken, or used, for the Purposes aforesaid, and belonging to any Corporation, or to any Person or Persons under Disability or Incapacity, as aforesaid, shall be less than the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, and shall exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds, then and in all such Cases the same shall (at the Option of the Person or Persons for the Time being, entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments

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ments so purchased, taken, or used, or of his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, in case of Infancy or Lunacy, to be signified in Writing, under their respective Hands, be paid into the Bank in the Name and with the Privity of the said Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, and be placed to his Account as aforesaid, in order to be applied in Manner herein-before directed, or otherwise the same shall be paid at the like Option to Two Trustees, to be nominated by the Person or Persons making such Option, and approved of by Five or more of the said Trustees (such Nomination and Approbation to be signified in Writing, under the Hands of the nominating and approving Parties), in order that such Principal Money, and the Dividends arising thereon, may be applied in any Manner herein-before directed, so far as the Case be applicable without obtaining or being required to obtain the Direction or Approbation of the Court of Chancery.

Application where the Money is less than 20 l.

V. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That where such Money so agreed or awarded to be paid as next before mentioned, shall be less than Twenty Pounds, then and in all such Cases the same shall be applied to the Use of the Person or Persons who would for the Time being have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Lands, Grounds, or other Hereditaments so purchased, taken, or used for the Purposes of the said Acts and this Act, in such Manner as the said Trustees, or any Five or more of them, shall think fit; or in case of Infancy or Lunacy, then, to his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, to and for the Use and Benefit of such Person or Persons so entitled respectively.

For paying the Expences of this Act.

VI. And be it further enacted, That all the Costs, Charges, and Expences, incident to and attending the obtaining and passing of this Act, together with lawful Interest for the same, shall be paid and defrayed out of the Monies now remaining in the Hands of the Treasurer to the Trustees, for the Care of the said First District of Road, or out of the first Money which shall be collected or received from the Tolls arising upon the said First District, or which may be borrowed on the Credit thereof by virtue of the said recited Acts or either of them, or of this Act.

Publick Act.

VII. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall be deemed, adjudged, and taken to be a publick Act, and shall be judicially taken Notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and other Persons whomsoever, without specially pleading the same.

Commencement, and Continuance of this Act.

VIII. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall commence and take place upon the Twelfth Day of *April* One thousand eight hundred and three, and shall continue in Force for and during the Term of Twenty-one Years, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

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Cap. 7.

An Act to continue and enlarge the Term and Powers of Two Acts, made in the First and Twenty-second Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, for amending and widening the Roads from the Turnpike Road upon *Gatherly Moor*, in the County of *York*, to *Staindrop*, in the County of *Durham*, and from the said Turnpike Road near *Smallways*, across the River *Tees*, to *Winston*, in the said County of *Durham*.

[24th March 1803.]

WHEREAS by Two Acts made in the First and Twenty-second Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, for amending and widening the Roads from the Turnpike Road upon *Gatherly Moor*, in the County of *York*, to *Staindrop*, in the County of *Durham*, and from the said Turnpike Road near *Smallways*, across the River *Tees*, to *Winston*, in the said County of *Durham*, and for building a Bridge over the said River at or near *Winston Ford*, several Tolls and Duties were granted and made payable, and divers Powers and Authorities were given for amending and widening the said Roads, and for building the said Bridge; which said Acts were to have Continuance for Two successive Terms of Years therein respectively mentioned: And whereas by virtue

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and in pursuance of the said recited Acts, the Trustees appointed to put the same in Execution, have proceeded therein, and borrowed several considerable Sums of Money on the Credit of the Tolls and Duties thereby granted; and the Money so borrowed still remains due, and cannot be repaid, nor can the said Roads be effectually amended, unless the Tolls and Powers granted by the said Acts be enlarged and continued for a further Term: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and be it 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 the said recited Acts, severally passed in the First and Twenty-second Years of the Reign of His present Majesty, and all and every the Powers, Authorities, Penalties, Forfeitures, Clauses, Exemptions, and Provisions therein contained (except such of them as relate to Exemptions from Stamp Duties, and also except so far as the same are hereby altered, varied, or repealed), and also this present Act, shall be and continue in full Force and Effect for and during the further Term herein-after mentioned; which said additional Term hereby granted, shall be and is hereby declared to be subject and liable to the Payment of all Sums of Money now due and owing upon the Credit of the said Acts, or either of them, and of such Sum or Sums of Money as shall be borrowed for the Purposes of this Act, and all Interest due and to grow due for the same respectively.

Powers of former Acts continued.

Tolls to be taken in lieu of the Tolls granted by former Acts.

II. And be it further enacted, That, from and after the Twenty-third Day of *November* One thousand eight hundred and three, the several Tolls and Duties granted and made payable by the said recited Acts, or either of them, shall cease and be no longer paid; and that in lieu thereof there shall be demanded, received, and taken, from thenceforth during the Continuance of this Act, the several Tolls and Duties herein-after mentioned; that is to say,

For every Coach, Chariot, Landau, Berlin, Chaise, Calash, or Hearse, drawn by Six or more Horses, Mares, Geldings, or Mules, the Sum of Three Shillings; and for every such Carriage, drawn by Four Horses, Mares, Geldings, or Mules, the Sum of Two Shillings and Three-pence; and for every such Carriage, drawn by Two Horses, Mares, Geldings, or Mules, the Sum of One Shilling and Sixpence, and for every Chair or other such Two-wheeled Carriage, drawn by One Horse, Mare, Gelding, or Mule, the Sum of Nine-pence:

For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, (except when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellies of all the Wheels thereof of the Breadth of Nine Inches or more, and so flat or level, as not to deviate more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, and having the interior Diameter of each Wheel not deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly; and drawn by Seven or Eight Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Two Shillings; and drawn by Five or Six Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Four-pence; and drawn by Three, Four, or Five Horses, or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Ten-pence; and drawn by Two Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Sixpence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Four-pence:

For

For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, (except when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellies of all the Wheels thereof of the Breadth of Six Inches or more, and so flat or level as not to deviate more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, and having the interior Diameter of each Wheel not deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly; and drawn by Six Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Two Shillings; and drawn by Five Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Eight-pence; and drawn by Four Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Four-pence; and drawn by Three Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling; and drawn by Two Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Eight-pence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Four-pence:

For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, (except when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellies of any of the Wheels thereof of less Breadth than Six Inches, or deviating more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, or having the interior Diameter of any Wheel deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly; and drawn by Four Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Two Shillings and Eight-pence; and drawn by Three Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Two Shillings; and drawn by Two Horses or Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Four-pence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Eight-pence:

For every Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule, or Ass, laden or unladen, and not drawing, (except when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime), the Sum of Three-pence:

For every Drove of Oxen, Cows, or Neat Cattle, the Sum of One Shilling and Three-pence *per* Score, and in that Proportion for any greater or less Number:

For every Drove of Calves, Hogs, Sheep, or Lambs, the Sum of Seven-pence Halfpenny *per* Score, and in that Proportion for any greater or less Number:

For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, (when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellies of all the Wheels thereof of the Breadth of Nine Inches or more, and so flat or level as not to deviate more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, and having the interior Diameter of each Wheel not deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly; and drawn by Seven or Eight Horses, or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Sixpence; and drawn by Five or Six Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling; and drawn by Three or Four Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Eight-pence; and drawn by Two Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Four-pence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Three-pence:

For every Waggon, Wain, Cart, or other such Carriage, (when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellies of all the Wheels thereof of the Breadth of

of Six Inches or more, and so flat or level as not to deviate more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, and having the interior Diameter of each Wheel not deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly; and drawn by Six Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Sixpence; and drawn by Five Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Three-pence; and drawn by Four Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling; and drawn by Three Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Nine-pence; and drawn by Two Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Sixpence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Three-pence:

For every Waggon or other Four-wheeled Carriage (when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime only), having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellyes of any of the Wheels thereof of less Breadth than Six Inches, or deviating more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface; or having the interior Diameter of any Wheel deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly, drawn by Four Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Two Shillings; and drawn by Three Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and Sixpence; and drawn by Two Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling; and for every Cart or other Two-wheeled Carriage, when employed as last aforesaid, having the Sole or Bottom of the Fellyes of any of the Wheels thereof of less Breadth than Six Inches, or deviating more than Half an Inch from a flat Surface, or having the interior Diameter of any Wheel deviating from the exterior Diameter thereof more than One-Sixth Part of the Breadth of the Sole or Bottom of the Felly, drawn by Three Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of One Shilling and One Penny Halfpenny; and drawn by Two Horses or other Beasts of Draught, the Sum of Nine-pence; and drawn by One Horse or other Beast of Draught, the Sum of Four-pence Halfpenny:

And for every Horse, Mare, Gelding, Mule, or Ass, when employed in carrying or conveying Coals, Cinders, or Lime, and not drawing, the Sum of One Penny.

Which said Tolls and Duties in and by this Act granted and made payable as aforesaid, shall be and are hereby vested in the Trustees, for the Time being, for carrying the said recited Acts and this Act into Execution, and shall be received and taken at the Toll Bar or Toll Bars erected or to be erected upon the said Roads, in such Parts and Proportions, or in such other Manner, and shall be paid, levied, applied, disposed of, and assigned, for such Uses and Purposes, and in such Manner, as the Tolls and Duties granted by the said recited Acts, or either of them, are thereby authorized and directed to be received, paid, levied, applied, disposed of, and assigned, except as by this Act is otherwise directed.

Clause in the first Act, for restraining a Toll Gate being erected between *Winston Bridge* and *Staindrop*, repealed.

III. And whereas by the said Act of the First Year of the Reign of His present Majesty, it is provided, that no Turnpike, or Toll Gate, or Side Gate shall be erected by virtue of that Act, in, upon, or on the Side of any Part of the Road between the River *Tees*, where the said Bridge was then intended to be (and which hath been since), built, and the Town of *Staindrop* aforesaid, or at the East End of the same Town, and it is expedient that such Restriction should be repealed; be it therefore enacted, That

That the said recited Proviso and Restriction shall henceforth be, and the same is hereby repealed and made void; and the said Trustees for the Time being, or any Nine or more of them, shall be and are hereby authorized and empowered, at any publick Meeting holden for the Execution of this Act, to order and cause to be erected any Toll Gate or Toll Gates, in, upon, or on the Side or Sides of that Part of the said Roads last mentioned, as to them may seem meet or expedient; provided that no such Toll Gate or Toll Gates shall be erected or placed within One Mile of the Village of *Winston* aforesaid.

IV. And be it further enacted, That no Trustee shall be capable of voting for or acting in the Nomination or Appointment of any Officer or Officers to succeed upon a Vacancy or Place of Trust held under the Trustees of the said Roads, unless such Trustee shall have acted as a Trustee in the Execution of the said recited Acts, or of this Act, within the Space of Two Years next preceding such Vacancy.

No Trustee to vote in the Appointment of any Officer, who hath not acted as such within Two Years.

V. And be it further enacted, That the said Trustees, or any Seven or more of them, or such Person or Persons as they shall for that Purpose appoint, are hereby empowered to contract with any Person or Persons for making, altering, raising, widening, and repairing the said Roads, or any of them, or any Part or Parts thereof respectively, or any Arches or Bridges upon the same, and for doing any other Work by the said Acts or this Act authorized to be done, in such Manner, and for such Sum or Sums of Money, or other Consideration, as the said Trustees, or any Seven or more of them, shall think proper; and all Contracts in Writing for any of the Purposes aforesaid, which shall be entered into pursuant to an Order made at any Meeting by the said Trustees, or any Seven or more of them, shall be binding to all Parties who shall sign the same, his, her, and their Executors and Administrators; and that Actions and Suits may be maintained thereon, and Damages and Costs recovered against the Parties failing in the Execution thereof.

Trustees may make Contracts.

VI. And be it further enacted, That if any Money shall be agreed or assessed to be paid for any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, purchased, taken, or used by virtue of this Act, which shall belong to any Corporation, Feme Covert, Infant, Lunatick, or Person or Persons under any Disability or Incapacity, such Money shall, if the same amount to the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, with all convenient Speed be paid into the Bank of *England*, in the Name and with the Privity of the Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, to be placed to his Account *ex parte* the Trustees for executing this Act, to the Intent that such Money shall be paid, under the Direction and with the Approbation of the said Court, to be signified by an Order, made upon a Petition, to be preferred in a summary Way, by the Person or Persons who would have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the said Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, in the Purchase of the Land Tax, or Discharge of any Debt or Debts, or such other Incumbrance, or Part thereof, as the said Court shall authorize to be paid, affecting the same Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, or affecting other Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments standing letted to the same or the like Uses, Intents, or Purposes; or where such Money shall not be so applied, then the same shall be laid out and invested, under the

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like Direction and Approbation of the said Court, in the Purchase of other Messuages, Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, which shall be conveyed and settled to, for, and upon such and the like Uses, Trusts, Intents, and Purposes, and in the same Manner, as the Hereditaments which shall be so purchased, taken, or used as aforesaid, stood settled or limited, or such of them as at the Time of making such Conveyance and Settlement shall be existing undetermined and capable of taking Effect; and in the mean Time and until such Purchase shall be made, the said Money shall, by Order of the Court of Chancery, upon Application thereto, be invested by the said Accountant General, in his Name, in the Purchase of Three Pounds *per Centum* Consolidated or Three Pounds *per Centum* Reduced Bank Annuities; and in the mean Time and until the said Bank Annuities shall be ordered by the said Court to be sold for the Purposes aforesaid, the Dividends and annual Produce of the said Consolidated or Reduced Bank Annuities shall from Time to Time be paid, by Order of the said Court, to the Person or Persons who would, for the Time being, have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the said Lands, Tenements, and Hereditaments so hereby directed to be purchased, in case such Purchase or Settlement were made.

Application when Compensation is less than 20*l.* and exceeds 20*l.*

VII. Provided always, and be it further enacted, That if any Money so agreed or assessed to be paid for any Lands, Tenements, or Hereditaments, purchased, taken, or used for the Purposes aforesaid, and belonging to any Corporation, or to any Person or Persons under Disability or Incapacity as aforesaid, shall be less than the Sum of Two hundred Pounds, and shall exceed the Sum of Twenty Pounds, then and in all such Cases, the same shall (at the Option of the Person or Persons for the Time being entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Hereditaments so purchased, taken, or used, or of his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians, Committee or Committees, in case of Infancy or Lunacy, to be signified in Writing under their respective Hands), be paid into the Bank, in the Name and with the Privity of the said Accountant General of the High Court of Chancery, and be placed to his Account as aforesaid, in order to be applied in Manner herein-before directed; or otherwise the same shall be paid (at the like Option) to Two Trustees, to be nominated by the Person or Persons making such Option, and approved of by Three or more of the Trustees for executing this Act, (such Nomination and Approbation to be signified in Writing under the Hands of the nominating and approving Parties), in order that such Principal Money, and the Dividends arising thereon, may be applied in any Manner herein-before directed, so far as the Case be applicable, without obtaining or being required to obtain, the Direction or Approbation of the Court of Chancery.

Application when the Money is less than 20*l.*

VIII. Provided also, and be it further enacted, That when such Money so agreed or assessed to be paid as herein-before mentioned, shall be less than Twenty Pounds, then and in all such Cases, the same shall be applied to the Use of the Person or Persons who would for the Time being have been entitled to the Rents and Profits of the Hereditaments so purchased, taken, or used, for the Purposes of this Act, in such Manner as the said Trustees, or any Three or more of them, shall think fit; or in case of Infancy or Lunacy, then to his, her, or their Guardian or Guardians,

dians, Committee or Committees, to and for the Use and Benefit of such Person or Persons so entitled respectively.

IX. And be it further enacted, That the Expences of obtaining and passing this Act, shall be paid out of the first Money to be raised by virtue of the said recited Acts and of this Act, or any of them. Expences of this Act.

X. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall commence upon the First Day of *May* One thousand eight hundred and three, and shall continue in force until the First Day of *May* One thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, and from thence until the End of the then next Session of Parliament; and the same shall be adjudged, deemed, and taken to be a publick Act, and shall be judicially taken Notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and other Persons whomsoever, without the same being specially pleaded. Commencement and Continuance of the Act.
Publick Act.

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