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GEORGII III. REGIS.

Cap. 33.

An Act for raising a further Sum of Money for the Improvement of the Harbour of Leith and Works therewith connected. [15th April 1813.]

HEREAS by an Act passed in the Twenty-eighth Year of His present Majesty, intituled An Act for enlarging and improving 28 G. 3. c.58. the Harbour of Leith; for making a new Basin, Quays, Wharfs, or Docks; for building Warehouses; for making new Roads, and widening others leading to and from the said Harbour; and for empowering the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the City of Edinburgh to purchase Lands, Houses, and Areas, and to borrow Money for these Purposes, Power was given to the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the said City of Edinburgh to levy and collect the several Rates and Duties therein mentioned on all Ships and Vessels brought into or using the said Bason and Docks, and Power was also given to borrow a Sum of Money not exceeding Thirty thousand Pounds Sterling: And whereas by another Act passed in the Thirty-eighth Year of His present Majesty, intituled An Act to amend an Act made in the Twenty-eighth Year of the Reign 38G.3.c.91. of His present Majesty for enlarging and improving the Harbour of Leith, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the said City of Edinburgh were authorized and empowered, as soon as the Wet Dock should be completed, to levy certain Rates and Duties therein mentioned; and Power was also given to borrow any Sum of Money not exceeding [Loc. & Per.] Forty

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And whereas by another Act passed in the Forty-fifth Year of His pre-

the Improvement of the Harbour of Leith, Power was given to borrow a

further Sum of Money for the Improvement of the Harbour of Leith,

not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds Sterling, in addition to the like

Sum allowed to be borrowed by the said recited Act of the Thirty-ninth

Year of His present Majesty: And whereas by another Act passed in

the Forty-seventh Year of His present Majesty, intituled An Act for en-

larging the Powers of an Act made in the Thirty-ninth Year of His present

Majesty, to amend Two Acts made in the Twenty-eighth and Thirty-eighth

Years of His present Majesty, for enlarging and improving the Harbour

of Leith, for making certain new Streets and Roads, and widening others

adjacent to and connected with the said Harbour of Leith, further and

other Powers were given to the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council

of the said City of Edinburgh, to enable them to complete the Improve-

ments on the said Harbour of Leith and Works therewith connected:

And whereas the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the said

City of Edinburgh have made great Progress in carrying on the said Im-

provements in the said Harbour of Leith, and other Works by the said

recited Acts directed to be made; but in addition to the Sums of Money

which by the said recited Acts they are empowered to borrow, it is

necessary that the said Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council should be

empowered to borrow a further Sum of Money to enable them to complete

the same: 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 it shall and may be lawful to and for the Lord Provost,

Magistrates, and Council of the said City of Edinburgh, and their Suc-

cessors in Office, and they are hereby authorized and empowered (in

addition to the Sum of One hundred and sixty thousand Pounds by

Sum of Money not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds Sterling, to be

applied to the Improvement of the said Harbour of Leith and Works

the said recited Acts authorized to be borrowed) to borrow a further

Forty thousand Pounds Sterling in the whole: And whereas by another 39 G. 3. c.44. Act passed in the Thirty-ninth Year of His present Majesty, intituled An Act to amend Two Acts made in the Twenty-eighth and Thirty-eighth Years of the Reign of His present Majesty for enlarging and improving the Harbour of Leith, the Lord Provost, Magistrates, and Council of the said City of Edinburgh, in order to complete and execute the Docks and other Works thereby directed to be made, were empowered to borrow any Sum of Money not exceeding Eighty thousand Pounds Sterling in the whole:

45 G. 3. c. 32. sent Majesty, intituled An Act for raising a further Sum of Money for

47 G. 3. Sess. 2. c.3.

Power to borrow

Money.

Powers of

this Act.

therewith connected.

II. And be it enacted, That all and every the Powers, Authorities, 39 G. 3.c.44. Rules, Regulations, Matters, and Things in the said recited Act of the extended to Thirty-ninth Year of His present Majesty contained, in regard to the Sum of Eighty thousand Pounds thereby authorized to be borrowed, shall be and the same are hereby re-enacted and continued in regard to the said further Sum of Eighty thousand Pounds Sterling by this present Act authorized to be borrowed, in so far as the same are subsisting and

capable of taking effect.

III. And

III. And be it enacted, That the Expences of applying for and obtain. Expences of ing this Act shall be paid, in the first place, out of the first and readiest of the Rates and Duties by the said recited Acts or any of them authorized to be levied, or out of the said Sum of Eighty thousand Pounds by this Act authorized to be borrowed in manner before-mentioned,

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be deemed and taken to be a Public Act. Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such by all Judges, Justices, and others, without being specially pleaded.

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