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At the Court at Windsor, the 18th day of November 1867.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS doubts have arisen respecting the extent to which the law of England is in force in Gibraltar, and it is expedient that such doubts should be set at rest:

It is hereby ordered by Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, as follows:

1. The Ordinances enumerated in the annexed Schedule are hereby repealed.

2. Except in respect of matters which now are or hereafter may be provided for by any Order in Council or Local Ordinance, other than those hereinbefore repealed, or by certain Letters-Patent, bearing date the first day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty, and commonly called the "Charter of Justice," or by any Act of Parliament expressly or by necessary inference extending to Gibraltar, or by any Proclamation or other Instrument issued under authority of such Order in Council, Local Ordinance, "Charter Justice," or Act of Parliament, the law of England, as it existed on the twenty-second day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, shall be hereafter in force in Her Majesty's possessions of Gibraltar and its Dependencies, so far as it may be applicable to the circumstances thereof.

3. No Act or proceeding heretofore done or taken in Gibraltar in conformity with the law which then was or theretofore had been in force in England, and was supposed to be in force in Gibraltar, shall be deemed invalid, on the ground that such law was not really in force in Gibraltar, unless such Act or proceeding has been declared invalid by a competent Court of Justice before the passing of this Order in Council.

And the Most Noble the Duke of Buckingham and Chandos, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

SCHEDULE.

Ordinance No. 2 of 1833.—An Ordinance to put in force within the garrison and territory of Gibraltar a certain Act of the Parliament

of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, made and passed in the second year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for the consolidating and amending the laws against offences relating to the coin."

Ordinance No. 3 of 1835.—An Ordinance to put in force within the garrison and territory of Gibraltar certain Acts of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland relating to the administration of justice in criminal cases, made and passed in the sessions holden in the second, and third, and fourth years of the reign of His present Majesty King William IV.

Ordinance No. 9 of 1835.—An Ordinance to put in force within the garrison and territory of Gibraltar certain provisions relating to the disposal, after execution, of the bodies of persons convicted of murder, contained in a certain Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, made and passed in the session holden in the second and third years of the reign of His present Majesty King William IV., intituled "An Act for regulating Schools of Anatomy," and also in a certain other Act of Parliament of the said United Kingdom, made and passed in the session holden in the fourth and fifth years of the reign of His said Majesty, intituled "An Act to abolish the practice of hanging the bodies of criminals in chains."

Ordinance No. 1 of 1837.—An Ordinance to put in force within the garrison and territory of Gibraltar two certain Acts of Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, made and passed respectively in the sessions holden in the fifth and sixth years, and in the sixth and seventh years, of the reign of His present Majesty King William the IVth, intituled respectively "An Act for abolishing capital punishments in cases of letter stealing and sacrilege," and "An Act to amend an Act of the last session for abolishing capital punishment in cases of letter stealing and sacrilege."

Ordinance No. 2 of 1837.—An Ordinance to put in force within the garrison and territory of Gibraltar a certain Act of the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, made and passed in the session holden in the sixth and seventh years of the reign of His present Majesty King William the IVth,