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At the Court at Windsor, the 3d day of  
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PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by 'The Sea Fisheries Act, 1868,' it is (among other things) enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty from time to time by Order in Council to make, alter, and revoke regulations for carrying into execution the said Act and the intent and object thereof, and for the maintenance of good order among sea fishing boats and the persons belonging thereto :

And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted that it shall be lawful for Her Majesty by Order in Council from time to time to do all or any of the following things, viz. :—

- (a.) To make regulations for carrying out, enforcing, and giving effect to both the entry and registry of British sea fishing boats, and also Articles four, five, six, seven, and eight of the Convention then recently concluded between Her Majesty and the Emperor of the French concerning the Fisheries in the seas adjoining the British Islands and France, and set out in the first Schedule to the Act.
- (b.) To adopt in such regulations any existing system of registering or lettering and numbering of boats, and to provide for bringing any such system into conformity with the requirements of the said Convention and the Act, and with the said regulations.
- (c.) To define the boats or classes of boats to

which such regulations, or any of them, are to apply; and to provide for the exemption of any boats or classes of boats from such regulations, or any of them, and from the provisions of Part II. of the Act with respect to entry or registry, and the possession of a certificate of registry and official papers.

- (d.) To apply to the entry and registry respectively of sea fishing boats so defined, and to all matters incidental thereto, such (if any) of the enactments contained in any Act relating to the registry of British Ships, and with such modifications and alterations as may be found desirable.
- (e.) To impose penalties not exceeding twenty pounds for the breach of any regulations made by any Order in Council for the breach of which a punishment cannot be provided, by the application of the enactments contained in any Act relating to the registry of British Ships.
- (f.) To alter and revoke an Order so made, and that every such Order shall be of the same force as if it were enacted in the said recited Act.

And whereas Her Majesty did, in pursuance of the said recited Act, on the 18th day of June 1869, by Order in Council make certain regulations for the lettering, numbering, and registering of British sea fishing boats under Part II. of the Act, and did on the 26th day of February 1880, by a further Order in Council, make certain additional regulations for the same purpose, all of which regulations are now in force :

And whereas by Regulation 6 of the Regulations made by Her Majesty on the 18th June 1869