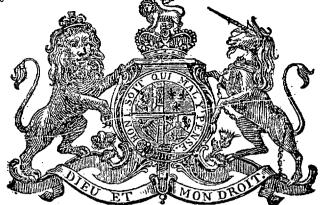
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A^T the Court at St. James's, the 28th of December, 1796,

Ρ E S E R N Т, 'The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council. 7HEREAS by an Act passed in the present Seffion of Parliament, intituled, " An Act * to authorize His Majesty, for a limited Time, to - make Regulations respecting the Trade and Com-* merce to and from the Cape of Good Hope," it is enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for His Majelty, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, by any Order or Orders, to be iffued from Time to Time, to give fuch Directions, and make fuch Regulations, touching the Trade and Commerce to and from the Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope, and the Territories and Dependencies thereof, as to His Majesty in Council shall appear most expedient and falutary, any of the Acts of Parliament therein referred to, or any Ufage, Law or Cultom, to the contrary notwithstanding.

And whereas during the Time the faid Settlement, with the Territories and Dependencies thereof, were in the Poffeffion and under the Government of the States General of the United Provinces, or of the Honorable the General Eaft India Company in the Netherlands, it was ufual to admit the Ships and Veffels belonging to the Subjects of Countries in Amity with the faid United Provinces into the Ports of the faid Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, for Repair and Refrefhment, and, with that View, to permit the faid Ships and Veffels to carry on Trade with the Inhabitants of

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the faid Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof. -- His Majesty is hereby pleased to order, by and with the Advice of his Privy Council, in purfuance of the Powers vefted in His Majefty by the above recited Act, and it is hereby ordered, that it shall be lawful, until further Order, for all Ships and Veffels belonging to His Majefty's Subjects, as well as for all Ships and Vessels belonging to the Subjects of any Country or State in Amity with His Majesty, to enter into the Ports of the faid Settlement of the Cape of Good Hope, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, and to carry on Trade and Traffick with the Inhabitants of the faid Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, and to import and export to and from the Ports of the faid Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, any Goods, Wares or Merchandize whatfoever, fubject to the following Exceptions, and fubject alfo to fuch Duties, Rules, Regulations and Reftrictions as shall be established by His Majefty, or by the Governor of the faid Settlement, and of the Territories and Dependencies thereof, by virtue of Authority derived from His Majesty; and in the mean Time fubject to fuch Duties, Rules, Regulations and Reftrictions as fubfilted and were in Force before and at the Time of the Conquest of the faid Settlement by the Arms of His Majefty, with fuch Alterations as have been fince made under the Authority of the Commander in Chief of His Majesty's Forces at the faid Settlement: But it is His Majefty's Pleafure that no Goods Wares or Merchandize, which shall be imported into the faid Settlement,