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At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 11th day of *August*, 1903.

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by the Sugar Convention Act, 1903, after reciting that by Article VII of the Convention, signed on the fifth day of March, nineteen hundred and two, in relation to sugar, provision was made for the establishment of a Permanent Commission (in the Act referred to as the Permanent Commission) charged with watching the execution of the provisions of the Convention, it is enacted that where it is reported by the Permanent Commission that any direct or indirect bounty is granted in any foreign country on the production or export of sugars His Majesty may, by Order in Council, make a prohibition Order, that is to say, an Order prohibiting sugar, from that foreign country to be imported or brought into the United Kingdom, subject to any provision which might be made by Parliament in lieu of such prohibition to impose a special duty on such sugar in accordance with the Convention; and that while a prohibition Order is in force the laws relating to the Customs shall apply as if the sugar in respect of which the Order is made were specified, with exception as to transit, in the table of prohibitions and restrictions inwards contained in section forty-two of the Customs Consolidation Act, 1876. And it was also enacted that His Majesty might, similarly, make such regulations as should appear to Him necessary in relation to any such Order, and in particular require the origin of all sugar imported or brought into the United Kingdom, whether in transit or otherwise, to be proved by such certificate or other

evidence as might be provided in the Order; but no Order made was to apply to molasses.

And whereas it appears from the findings of the Permanent Commission, as contained in Command Paper 1632, presented to Parliament, that the said Permanent Commission has reported that a bounty on the exportation of Sugars is granted in Denmark, Russia, and the Argentine Republic.

Now, therefore, His Majesty, in exercise of the powers vested in Him by the said first recited Act, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, is pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered:—

That, from and after the first day of September next, and subject to any such provision by Parliament as hereinbefore treated, all sugar from Denmark, Russia, and the Argentine Republic (not including molasses and sugar-sweetened products) shall (except in transit) be prohibited to be imported or brought into the United Kingdom; and that in relation to this Order the regulations in the Schedule hereto annexed are to be deemed as made and prescribed.

A. W. FitzRoy.

SCHEDULE to which the foregoing Order refers.

REGULATION I.

All sugar (other than molasses and sugar-sweetened products) imported or brought into the United Kingdom from any place outside the same, shall be accompanied by such evidence of origin as hereinafter required; and all such sugar imported or brought into the United Kingdom not accompanied by such evidence shall be deemed to be so imported or brought in contrary to a restriction contained in section forty-two of the Customs Consolidation Act 1876, and subject as