

on Merchandizes and Goods exported from Great Britain, into the Territories of the said United States of America, or any of them, as are or may be allowed by Law, upon the Exportation of the like Goods or Merchandize to any of the Islands, Plantations, or Colonies, belonging to the Crown of Great Britain in America.

And His Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, that any Tobacco, being the Growth or Production of any of the Territories of the said United States of America, may (until further Order) be imported directly from thence, in Manner above-mentioned, and may be landed in this Kingdom; and, upon the Importer paying down, in ready Money, the Duty commonly called the Old Subsidy (except as hereinafter excepted) such Tobacco may be warehoused under His Majesty's Locks, upon the Importer's own Bond for Payment of all the farther Duties due for such Tobacco, within the Time limited by Law, according to the net Weight and Quantity of such Tobacco, at the Time it shall be so landed, with the same Allowances for the Payment of such farther Duties, and under the like Restrictions and Regulations in all other Respects, not altered by this Order, as such Tobacco is and may be warehoused by virtue of any Act or Acts of Parliament in Force; but it is His Majesty's Pleasure nevertheless, that upon the Importation of any such Tobacco into the Ports of London, Bristol, Liverpool, Cowes, Whitehaven, Greenock, and Port Glasgow, or either of them, in the Manner herein before expressed, shall be at Liberty, until further Order, to enter into Bond for the Payment, as well of the Duty, commonly called the Old Subsidy, as of all the farther Duties due for such Tobacco, but without any Allowance for prompt Payment of the said Duty, commonly called the Old Subsidy, or any other of the Duties which were formerly payable in ready Money; and that if any Tobacco which has been or shall be so imported, during the Continuance of this Order, from the Territories of the said United States, into the said Ports of London, Bristol, Liverpool, Cowes, Whitehaven, Greenock, and Port Glasgow, shall be afterwards taken, within the Time limited, out of the Warehouses wherein the same shall be secured under His Majesty's Locks, in Manner herein before directed, at either of the above Ports, to be exported directly from thence, the Bonds which have been or shall be entered into for Payment of the said Duties, shall be discharged in the Manner directed by the several Acts of Parliament in Force.

And in order to facilitate the carrying on Trade and Commerce between the People and Territories belonging to the Crown of Great Britain in the West Indies, including in that Description the Bahama Islands, and the Bermuda or Somers Islands, and the People and Territories belonging to the said United States of America, His Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, that Pitch, Tar, Turpentine, Hemp and Flax, Masts, Yards and Bowsprits, Staves, Heading Boards, Timber, Shingles, and all other Species of Lumber; Horses, Neat Cattle, Sheep, Hogs, Poultry, and all other Species of Live Stock and Live Provisions; Peas, Beans, Potatoes, Wheat, Flour, Bread, Biscuit, Rice, Oats, Barley, and all other Species of Grain, being the Growth or Production of any of the said United

States of America may (until further Order) be imported by British Subjects, in British Built Ships owned by His Majesty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law, from any Port of the said United States of America, to any of His Majesty's West India Islands, the Bahama Islands, and the Bermuda or Somers Islands; and that Rum, Sugar, Melasses, Coffee, Cocoa Nuts, Ginger and Pimento, may (until further Order) be exported by British Subjects, in British Built Ships, owned by His Majesty's Subjects, and navigated according to Law, from any of the said Islands, to any Port or Place within the said United States, upon Payment of the same Duties on Exportation, and subject to the like Rules, Regulations, Securities and Restrictions, as the same Articles by Law are or may be subject and liable to, if exported to any British Colony or Plantation in America; and the Bonds and Securities heretofore required to be taken for such Ships carrying such Goods, shall and may be cancelled and discharged, upon the like Certificates as are required by the above recited Act to discharge any Bonds given in Great Britain for the due landing any other Goods in the said United States of America.

And His Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, with the Advice aforesaid, that the said several Regulations herein comprized, shall, in all Respects, be extended to such Ships and Goods as shall have been brought and imported from, or may be entered and shipped for Exportation to, any Part of the said United States, since the said 20th Day of this instant December.

And the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, are to give the necessary Directions herein as to them may respectively appertain.

*Steph. Cattrell.*

AT the Court at St. James's, the 26th of December, 1783,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS Day the Right Honorable James Grenville was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's most Honorable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

*St. James's, December 26.*

This Day His Grace the Duke of Dorset had the Honour to kiss the King's Hand on being appointed His Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Most Christian King.

And Daniel H. Esq; had, at the same Time, the Honour to kiss the King's Hand on being appointed His Majesty's Secretary of Embassy to the Most Christian King.

The King has been pleased to appoint His Grace the Duke of Chandos to be Lord Steward of His Majesty's Household.

The King has also been pleased to appoint the Earl of Salisbury to be Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household.

Also to appoint Lloyd Kenyon, Esq; One of His Majesty's Counsel, to be His Attorney-General; and Richard Pepper Arden, Esq; also One of His Majesty's Counsel, to be His Solicitor General.