

whatsoever shall export, or shall load or lay on board any Vessel, with the Intent to export from any Port or Place of Great Britain any of the following Articles, viz. Bulls, Cows, Oxen, Calves, Sheep, Lambs, Swine, Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, or Lamb, whether salted or otherwise, or any Bacon, or Butter, unless Proof shall first be given to the Satisfaction of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs that the Articles so to be exported as aforesaid are not of British Growth, Produce, or Manufacture; But it is His Majesty's Pleasure nevertheless, that nothing contained in this His Majesty's Order shall extend, or be construed to extend, to prevent the Exportation or carrying out of such and so much of any of the said Articles as shall be necessary to be carried in any Ship or Vessel, on its Voyage out and Home, for the Sustainance, Diet, and Support of the Commander, Malters, Mariners, Passengers, and others on board such Ship or Vessel, or for the necessary victualling or providing any of His Majesty's Ships of War, or other Ships and Vessels in His Majesty's Service; or for the necessary victualling or providing any of His Majesty's Forces, Forts, or Garrisons; nor to prohibit, at any Time, the Exportation of such and so much of any of the said Articles as may be necessary for the Supply of the British Forts, Castles, or Factories in Africa, or of British Ships trading upon that Coast, which have usually been supplied with the same from Great Britain; nor to prohibit the Exportation by the East India Company, or any Agent employed by them, of any of the said Articles for the necessary Supply of their Garrisons at St. Helena, Bombay, and Bencoolen, or for the necessary Use of the Ships belonging to the said Company; nor to prohibit the Exportation of any of the said Articles to the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man; or to any of His Majesty's Colonies, Islands, or Plantations in America or the West Indies; or to the Town or Port of Gibraltar, for the necessary Use of the Inhabitants of the same respectively; Provided that the Merchant Exporter, in each Case, shall first make Oath of the true Destination of the same to the Places for which they were entered Outwards before the Entry of the same shall be made, and should give full and sufficient Security, by Bond, in treble the Value of the said Articles, to the Satisfaction of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, to carry the said Articles to the Places for which they were so entered out, and for the Purposes specified and none other; such Bond not to be cancelled or delivered up until Proof shall be made to the Satisfaction of the said Commissioners, by the Production, within a Time to be fixed by the said Commissioners, and specified in the Bond, of a Certificate or Certificates, in such Form and Manner as shall be directed by the said Commissioners, shewing that

the said Articles have been all duly landed at the Places for which they were so entered Outwards:

And His Majesty is hereby further pleased to order, with the Advice aforesaid, That it shall be lawful for and during the said Term beforementioned, to import into any Port or Place of Great Britain any Beans called Kidney or French Beans, Tares, Lentiles, Calavancies, and all other Sorts of Pulse; and also Bulls, Cows, Oxen, Calves, Sheep, Lambs, and Swine; Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, and Lamb, whether salted or otherwise; Bacon, Hams, Tongues, Butter, Cheese, Potatoes, Sago, Sago-Powder, Tapioca, Vermicelli, Millet-Seed, Poultry, Fowls, Eggs, Game, and Sour Crout, in any British Ship or Vessel, or in any other Ship or Vessel belonging to Persons of any Kingdom or State in Amity with His Majesty, and navigated in any Manner whatever, without Payment of any Duty whatsoever; provided that a due Entry shall be made of all such Articles as aforesaid, that shall be so imported, with the proper Officer of the Customs at the Port where the same shall be imported, under the Penalties and Forfeitures in the said Acts mentioned.

And the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary Directions herein accordingly.

*W. Fawkener.*

AT the Court at *Windfor*, the 16th of *June* 1803,

P R E S E N T,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majesty's most anxious Endeavours to preserve Neutrality and Peace between His Majesty and the Batavian Republic have failed, and the Batavian Republic has become engaged in Measures of Hostility against His Majesty and His Subjects; His Majesty, therefore, is pleased, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, to order, and it is hereby ordered, that General Reprisals be granted against the Ships, Goods, and Subjects of the Batavian Republic, so that as well His Majesty's Fleets and Ships, as also all other Ships and Vessels that shall be commissioned, by Letters of Marque, or General Reprisals, or otherwise, by His Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, shall and may lawfully seize all Ships, Vessels, and Goods belonging to the Batavian Republic, or to any Persons being Subjects of the Batavian Republic, or inhabiting within any of the Territories of the Batavian Republic, and bring the same to Judgment in such Courts of Admiralty within His Majesty's Dominions, as shall be duly commissioned to take Cognizance thereof; and, to that End, His Majesty's Advocate-General, with the Advocate of the Admiralty, are forthwith to prepare the Draft of a Commission, and present the same to His Majesty at this Board, authorising the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral, or any Person or Persons by them empowered and appointed, to issue forth and grant Letters of