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AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 22nd day of November, 1866.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Mr. Corry.
Sir Stafford Northcote, Bart.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the 19th day of July, 1825, under the authority of an Act of Parliament of the sixth year of King George the Fourth, chapter seventy-eight, it was, amongst other things, provided, that the medical attendant and superintendent, or his assistant, or any other person duly authorised by an Order in Council, may go on board any vessel under quarantine without such medical attendant or superintendent, or his assistant, being in any way subject to the restraint of quarantine;

And whereas by an Act of Parliament, duly made and passed in the twenty-ninth and thirtieth years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, chapter ninety, it was, amongst other things, provided, that every vessel having on board any person affected with a dangerous or infectious disorder, should be deemed to be within the provisions of the said Act of the sixth year of King George the Fourth, chapter seventy-eight, although such vessel had not commenced her voyage, or had come from or was bound for some place in the United Kingdom; and the Lords and others of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, or any three or more of them (the Lord President of the Council or one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State being one), might, by Order or Orders to be by them from time to time made, make such rules, orders, and regulations as to them should seem fit, as therein mentioned; and such Orders should be binding and be carried into effect as soon as the same shall have been published, as therein mentioned, or at such other time as shall be fixed by such Orders;

And whereas the mail steam packet or vessel Parana is now under quarantine at the Motherbank, off the Isle of Wight, and it is considered by the said Lords expedient that the Collector of Customs at Southampton, and a Solicitor from the

said town, or other person competent to take evidence upon oath, should be permitted to go on board the said vessel without being in any way subject to the restraint of quarantine: Now, therefore, the said Lords have ordered, and do hereby order, that the said Collector of Customs at Southampton, and a Solicitor from the said town or other person competent to take evidence on oath shall be at liberty to go on board, and they are respectively hereby authorized and permitted to go on board the said packet or vessel now under quarantine as aforesaid, without being in any way subject to the restraint of quarantine. And this Order shall be binding, and have immediate effect from the date thereof, and shall be carried, or permitted to be carried, into execution immediately by all whom it may concern.

Edmund Harrison.

AT the Council Chamber, Whitehall, the 22nd day of November, 1866.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Lord President.
Mr. Corry.

WHEREAS by an Order bearing date the 24th day of March, 1866, duly issued under the authority of an Act passed in the session of the eleventh and twelfth years of Her present Majesty's reign, chapter one hundred and seven, intituled "An Act to prevent, until the first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and the end of the then session of Parliament, the spreading of contagious or infectious disorders among sheep, cattle, and other animals," and from time to time continued by divers subsequent Acts, and lastly by an Act of the last session, which Order recited that a contagious or infectious disorder, generally designated as the "Cattle Plague," prevailed amongst cattle in England and Wales, the Lords of the Council made various regulations for preventing the spread of the said cattle plague, and among others, for dealing with infected places:

And whereas it is provided in the said regulations that any Local Authority as to any place