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By the Lords Justices and Council of Ireland,

A P R O C L A M A T I O N

Requiring Quarantine to be performed by all Ships and Vessels coming from the Island of Sicily, or from or through the Mediterranean.

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WHEREAS upon Information given to this Board, That the Island of Sicily was visited with the Plague, We the Lords Justices and Council, in order to prevent the Infection being brought by Ships or Vessels coming from thence, or other Places in the Mediterranean, into any of the Ports of this Kingdom, did, by our Proclamation, bearing Date the Eighteenth Day of July last, Order, That all Ships or Vessels then arrived and not unladen, and all Ships and Vessels, which should thereafter arrive in any Port of this Kingdom from the said Island of Sicily, should make their Quarantine for forty Days; and that all Ships and Vessels that were then arrived, and not unladen, or should thereafter arrive in any Port of this Kingdom from any other of the Ports in the Mediterranean, should make their Quarantine for fourteen Days. We the Lords Justices and Council judging it necessary (for the further preventing the said Infection from being brought into this Kingdom) to make several Alterations and Additions to our said Proclamation of the Eighteenth of July last, do hereby Order, That all Ships or Vessels already arrived and not yet unladen, and all Ships or Vessels which shall hereafter arrive in any Port of this Kingdom from or through the Mediterranean (except the Island of Sicily) do make their Quarantine for fourteen Days; and all such Ships and Vessels as are arrived and not yet unladen, or that shall hereafter arrive in any Port of this Kingdom from the said Island of Sicily, do make their Quarantine for forty Days; which respective Times are to be reckoned from the Day each Ship or Vessel shall come to Anchor in the

Place appointed for performing such Quarantine, and not before.

That the Places for performing Quarantine by such Ships and Vessels, bound to any Port between Miffen-Head and the Tuskard, be the Bay of Baltimore. And for such Ships and Vessels as shall be bound for any Port between Tuskard and Rathlin, be Lough-Learn and the Bay of Carlingford, near Killowen Point, opposite the Town of Carlingford. And for such Ships and Vessels as shall be bound for any Port between Rathlin and Torry-Island, be Ballymastoker Bay or Red-Castle Road, near Londonderry. And for such Ships and Vessels as shall be bound to any Port between Torry-Island and Black-Sod Bay, be the Harbour of Killybeggs. And for such Ships and Vessels as shall be bound to any Port between Black-Sod Bay and Loop-Head, be Clew-Bay (otherwise called) the Bay of Burrishowle. And for such Ships and Vessels as shall be bound to any Port between Loop-Head and Miffen-Head, be Scatterry Road, in the River of Limerick.

That until and during the Time for making such Quarantine, no Person coming, or Goods imported in any such Ship or Vessel, shall come on Shore, or be landed in any Place within this Kingdom.

That no Pilots shall go on board any Ship or Vessel obliged to perform Quarantine, in order to conduct the same into any Port or Place, but shall perform such Service in some other Boat or Vessel; which Boat or Vessel shall keep as much to the Windward of the Ship or Vessel, so to be conducted, as possible: And if any Pilot or other Person shall go on board such Ship or Vessel, such Pilot or other Person shall perform Quarantine in like Manner as any Person coming in such Ship or Vessel shall be obliged to perform the same.

That if, at the Expiration of the Forty Days Quarantine to be performed by any Ship or Vessel that is or shall be liable thereto, it shall appear to the Officers of the Customs in the Place where such Ship or Vessel shall be, and the Master