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At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on the Eighteenth day of November, 1806, and continued by several prorogations to Thursday the Fourteenth day of February, 1811, in the Fifty-first year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith &c. &c. being the Seventh Session of the Ninth General Assembly, convened in the said Province. From Henry H. Cogswell, The Statutes at Large passed in the General Assembly held in His Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia: from the Sixth Session of the Eighth General Assembly, to the Fifty-Sixth year of his Majesty's Reign. John Howe and Son, 1816.

51 George III – Chapter 20

An Act to relieve certain Persons who have now on hand a quantity of Pickled Fish, packed in Barrels under the size appointed by Law.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, that it shall and may be lawful for the collector or collectors of His Majesty's customs, and the naval officer, at any time previous to the fifteenth day of May next, to clear outwards for any foreign port, any pickled fish, without demanding a certificate from the sworn surveyor of pickled fish; provided, the merchant or person exporting the same, shall make oath that such fish was not caught and packed since the thirty-first day of December last.