

At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Thursday, the Fourteenth Day of February, 1822, in the Third year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Fourth, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith &c. &c. and ended on the Third Day of March, in the Second Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Fourth, being the First Session of the Twelfth General Assembly, convened in the said Province.

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An Act to amend and continue the several acts of the General Assembly, for the further increase of the Revenue, by raising a Duty of Excise on all Goods, Wares and Merchandise, imported into this Province.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, that the act, made in the thirty-second year of His late Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act for the further increase of the Revenue, by raising a Duty of Excise on all Goods, Wares and Merchandise, imported into this Province;" also the act, made in the forty-eighth year of His said Majesty's reign, for repealing so much of the aforesaid act as exempts from such duty certain articles therein enumerated, and for declaring what goods, wares and merchandise, shall hereafter be exempt from such duty of excise; and also the act, made in the sixty-fourth year of His said Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to continue the several Acts of the General Assembly for the further increase of the Revenue, by raising a Duty of Excise on all Goods, Wares and Merchandise, imported into this Province;" and also, an act, made in the fifty-eighth year of His said Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to continue and amend the several Acts of the General Assembly, for the further increase of the Revenue, by raising a Duty of Excise on all Goods, Wares and Merchandise, imported in this Province," and every matter, clause and thing, in the said Acts contained, except so far as the same are hereby altered and amended, shall be continued, and the same are hereby continued, until the twenty-fifth day of March, which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, and no longer.

II. And be it further enacted, that it shall not be lawful hereafter for the commissioners of the revenue, or the treasurer, to grant any certificate for drawback of duties, under, and by virtue of, the several acts of which this is an amendment, unless the sterling cost of the goods exported shall exceed the sum of one hundred pounds: any law, usage or custom, to the contrary thereof, in any wise notwithstanding.