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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1859.

22 Victoria – Chapter 12

An Act to amend an Act passed in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled "An Act to provide for the performance of Contracts between Masters and Servants in this Colony." (Passed 20th April, 1859.)

Whereas it is expedient to amend an Act passed in the Twenty- first Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, entitled "An Act for the performance of Contracts between Masters and Servants in this Colony."

Be it therefore Enacted, by the Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, in Session convened, That so much of the First Section of the said Act which requires that there shall be two parts of Agreement between Masters and Servants, one to be in the possession of the Employer, and the other in possession of the Servant, shall not apply to Sealing Crews; and it shall be a sufficient compliance with the said Act, that in all Agreements with Sealing Crews aforesaid, there shall be two parts, respectively signed by the Master and the Crew; and one part shall remain with the Master or Owner, and the other part shall be left with any one of the Crew who shall be selected by them or a majority of them for that purpose.