

*Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Upper Canada*, passed in the year 1850. Toronto: Stewart  
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**An Act to amend the Act imposing Duties of Customs. 10th August, 1850.**

Whereas it is expedient to make the following amendments to the Act passed in the twelfth year of Her Majesty's Reign, and intituled, *An Act to amend the Law relative to Duties of Customs*: Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's Most Excellency Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, intituled, *An Act to re-unite the Provinces of Upper and Lower Canada, and for the Government of Canada*, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, from time to time, to order any article not enumerated in the Schedule to the Act cited in the Preamble to this Act, and thereby made subject to a duty of twelve and a half *per centum, ad valorem*, to be placed among the articles subjected to a duty of two and a half *per centum, ad valorem*, which last mentioned duty, and no other, shall be payable on such article so long as such order shall be in force.

II. And be it enacted, That for and notwithstanding any thing in the said Act, no duty shall be payable on Military Clothing imported into this Province for the use of Her Majesty's Troops, nor upon Wines so imported for the use of any Officers' Mess, nor upon Salt imported into the District of Gaspé for the use of the Fisheries in that District, provided such Regulations as the Governor in Council shall make for the purpose of preventing fraud or abuse under pretext of such exemption from duty, be duly complied with, and not otherwise.