

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

By His Excellency CHARLES JOSEPH LA TROBE, ESQUIRE, Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria and its Dependencies, with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council.

No. XXVII.

An Act to amend an Act intituled “*An Act to regulate the Licensing of Auctioneers and the collection of Duties on Property sold by Auction.*” [Assented to 18th January, 1853.]

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend the Act of the Governor and Legislative Council of the Colony of New South Wales passed in the eleventh year of the Reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria intituled “*An Act to regulate the Licensing of Auctioneers and the collection of Duties on property sold by Auction*” and to repeal so much of the same as hereinafter mentioned or referred to Be it therefore enacted by His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor of the Colony of Victoria by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

Preamble.

I. The sums required by the said recited Act to be paid for Licences by the persons taking out the same shall be increased from the sum of fifteen pounds to the sum of one hundred pounds and from the sum of two pounds to the sum of twenty five pounds and the said sum of one hundred pounds shall be paid by every person taking out a general License for all parts of the said Colony in lieu and instead of fifteen pounds and the said sum of twenty five pounds shall be paid by every person taking out a district License in lieu and instead of two pounds in the said Act mentioned.

Amount of sum to be paid for License to be increased.

II. So much of the said recited Act as relates to the imposition and payment of a Duty on Sales by Auctioneers and on property sold by them and to the taking entering giving and perfecting sureties and bonds or recognizances by such Auctioneers as required by the said Act shall be and the same is hereby repealed.

Repeal of so much of 11 Vic., No. 16, as relates to Auction Duties and giving security.

III. Nothing in this Act contained shall affect any License duly issued previous to the passing of this Act but all such Licences shall be deemed valid without any further payment.

Existing Licences not affected.

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