

# THE STATUTES AT LARGE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

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At a General Assembly begun and holden at Philadelphia, the fifteenth day of October, A. D. 1759, and continued by adjournments until the twenty-first day of April, 1760, the following acts were passed:

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## CHAPTER CCCCLII.

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AN ACT FOR THE FURTHER CONTINUANCE OF AN ACT OF ASSEMBLY OF THIS PROVINCE, ENTITLED "AN ACT FOR THE CONTINUANCE OF AN ACT OF ASSEMBLY OF THIS PROVINCE, ENTITLED 'A SUPPLEMENTARY ACT TO THE ACT, ENTITLED "AN ACT FOR PREVENTING THE EXPORTATION OF BREAD AND FLOUR NOT MERCHANTABLE," AND FOR THE NEW APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS TO PUT THE SAID LAW IN EXECUTION.'"

Whereas an act of general assembly of this province, entitled "A supplementary act to the act entitled 'An act for preventing the exportation of bread and flour not merchantable,'"<sup>1</sup> was passed in the nineteenth year of the present reign, which being near expiring, was by one other act, entitled "An act for the continuance of an act of assembly of this province, entitled 'A supplementary act to the act, entitled "An act for preventing the exportation of bread and flour not merchantable,"' " &c.,<sup>2</sup> continued for the further term of seven years, which said term being nearly expired, was by one other act passed in the thirty-second

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<sup>1</sup> Passed March 7, 1745, Chapter 368.

<sup>2</sup> Passed August 13, 1750, Chapter 386.

year of the present reign, entitled "An act for the continuance of an act of assembly of this province, entitled "A supplementary act to the act, entitled "An act for preventing the exportation of bread and flour not merchantable and for the new appointment of officers to put the same in execution,"'"<sup>3</sup> continued for the further term of one year from the publication thereof and from thence to the end of the next sitting of assembly and no longer, which said last-mentioned act is also now near expiring. But forasmuch as the regulating the exportation of bread and flour, which are the staple commodities of this province, will require due deliberation and more time than can well be given to the consideration thereof at this time.

[Section I.] Therefore be it enacted by the Honorable William Denny, Esquire, Lieutenant-Governor under the Honorable Thomas Penn and Richard Penn, Esquires, true and absolute Proprietaries of the Province of Pennsylvania and counties of Newcastle, Kent and Sussex upon Delaware, by and with the advice and consent of the representatives of the freemen of the said Province in General Assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That the act hereinbefore mentioned, passed in the thirty-second year of the present reign, entitled "An act for the continuance of an act of assembly of this province, entitled 'A supplementary act to the act, entitled "An act for preventing the exportation of bread and flour not merchantable and for the new appointment of officers to put the same in execution,"'" shall be and continue in full force for the further term of seven years from the publication of this act, and from thence to the end of the next sitting of assembly and no longer; and that the officers in the said act named shall be and continue in their respective offices from the publication of this act for the space of four years and from thence until a new nomination and appointment shall be made by the assembly, anything in the aforesaid act or any other act of this province to the contrary notwithstanding.

Passed October 19, 1759. Confirmed by the King in Council, September 2, 1760. See Appendix XXIV, Section I, and the notes to the Acts of Assembly passed March 7, 1745-46, Chapter 368; and the Act of Assembly of September 27, 1758, Chapter 435.

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<sup>3</sup> Passed September 27, 1758, Chapter 435.