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An Act for amending the Act for regulating the Prison at *Millbank*. [4th *September* 1848.]

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the Seventh Year of the Reign of Her Majesty, intituled *An Act for regulating the Prison at* Millbank, it is enacted, that such of the Inspectors of Prisons as shall be appointed for that Purpose by One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State shall have the same Powers and Duties with respect to the said Prison which the Visiting Justices of any other Prison have with respect to their Prison: And whereas it is expedient that the Persons to whom the said Powers and Duties are intrusted should not in all Cases be Inspectors of Prisons: Be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That from and after the passing of this Act it shall be lawful for One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State to appoint any fit and proper Persons to be Visitors of the said Prison, and from Time to Time to remove any of such Visitors and to appoint another or others in his or their Stead, and that the Persons so appointed Visitors of the said Prison shall during their Appointment have and perform the same Powers and Duties with respect to the said Prison which the Visiting Justices of any

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other Prison have with respect to their Prison, and which under the said Act of the Seventh Year of Her Majesty's Reign are vested in or to be performed by the Inspectors of the *Millbank* Prison, and all other the Powers, Duties, and Functions vested in and to be performed by "The Inspectors of the *Millbank* Prison" under the said Act; and all the Powers, Duties, and Functions which under the said Act may be exercised and performed by One or by Two of such Inspectors respectively may be exercised and performed by One or by Two of such Visitors, as the Case may be; and all the Provisions of the said Act in relation to such Inspectors shall from and after the Appointment of such Visitors as aforesaid be applicable to such Visitors.

Visitors to be a Body Corporate, and have a Common Seal, &c.

II. And be it enacted, That the said Visitors and their Successors shall be a Body Corporate, by the Style of "The Visitors of the *Millbank* Prison," and by that Name shall have perpetual Succession and a Common Seal, and may sue and be sued in all Courts and before all Justices and others.

After Appointment of Visitors Powers of Inspectors to cease.

III. And be it enacted, That from and immediately after the first Appointment of such Visitors as aforesaid the Powers, Duties, and Functions of the Inspectors of the *Millbank* Prison under the said Act shall cease and determine.

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