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## *Cap.* lxix.

**An Act to amend the Provisions of an Act passed in the Fourth and Fifth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for more effectually repairing and improving the Road from* Market Harborough *in the County of* Leicester *to* Brampton *in the County of* Huntingdon.**

[18th *June* 1842.]

WHEREAS an Act was passed in the Session of Parliament held in the Fourth and Fifth Years of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for more effectually repair-* 4 & 5 Vict.
*ing and improving the Road from* Market Harborough *in the County* c. 35.
*of* Leicester *to* Brampton *in the County of* Huntingdon: And whereas by the said recited Act a certain other Act passed in the First Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Fourth, intituled *An* 1 G. 4. c. 80.
*Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of several Acts of His Majesty King* George *the Second, and of an Act passed in the Thirty-ninth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty, for repairing the Road leading from* Market Harborough *in the County of* Leicester *to the Pound in*

*the Parish of* Brampton *in the County of* Huntingdon, was altogether repealed; but it has been found that the Repeal of certain of the Provisions of the said Act passed in the First Year of the Reign of His Majesty King *George* the Fourth is injurious to the Public, inasmuch as they are thereby subjected to the Payment of an excessive Toll for travelling on that Part of the said Road which lies between the Town of *Market Harborough* and *Saint Mary's Bridge* in the Parish of *Great Bowden* in the County of *Leicester*, and which is less than Half a Mile, and it is therefore expedient that such Provision should be made in respect thereof as is herein-after mentioned: May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted; and 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 it shall not be lawful for the Trustees for executing the said recited Act to demand or take, or cause to be demanded or taken, at any Time after the passing of this Act, any Toll on that Part of the said Road which lies between the Town of *Market Harborough* and *Saint Mary's Bridge* in the Parish of *Great Bowden* in the County of *Leicester*; any thing in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

No Toll to be taken by the Trustees of the recited Act between Market Harborough and St. Mary's Bridge.

In case they keep that Part of the Road in repair, the Tolls herein mentioned may be taken.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That in case the said Trustees shall keep and continue at all Times in good Repair that Part of the said Road which lies between the Town of *Market Harborough* and *Saint Mary's Bridge* aforesaid, then and in such Case it shall be lawful for the said Trustees, from and after the passing of this Act, to demand or take, or cause to be demanded or taken, for or in respect of Horses, Cattle, Carts, and Carriages passing or travelling on the said Road from *Market Harborough* to *Saint Mary's Bridge* aforesaid,

For every Horse or Beast of Draught, if not more than Two, drawing any Coach, Berlin, Landau, Chariot, Calash, Chaise, or Chair, One Penny Halfpenny; and for any Number of Horses exceeding Two, Sixpence:

For every Horse, if not more than One, drawing any Calash, Chaise, or Chair, Two-pence:

For every Horse or Beast of Draught drawing any other Carriage, One Penny:

For every Horse, Mule, or Ass, laden or unladen, and not drawing, One Halfpenny:

For every Drove of Oxen or Neat Cattle, Two-pence Halfpenny *per* Score, and so in proportion for any greater or less Number;

For every Drove of Calves, Swine, Sheep, or Lambs, One Penny Halfpenny *per* Score, and so in proportion for any greater or less Number;

Any thing in this Act or in the said recited Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Fractional Part of a Halfpenny in Tolls.

III. And be it enacted, That in all Cases in which there shall be a fractional Part of a Halfpenny in the Amount of the Tolls by this Act authorized to be collected the Sum of One Halfpenny shall be payable in lieu of such fractional Part.

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IV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That nothing herein contained shall annul, make void, or in any way interfere with or affect any Lease or Contract which may have been made, since the passing of the said recited Act, by the said Trustees, with any Collector of Tolls, for letting to farm the Tolls to be received upon that Part of the said Road lying between *Market Harborough* and *Saint Mary's Bridge* aforesaid. Existing Leases of Tolls not to be affected.

V. And be it enacted, That this Act shall be deemed to be a Public Act, and shall be judicially taken notice of as such. Public Act.

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