



CHAPTER 35.

An Act to remove doubts as to the validity of certain marriages. [13th July 1939.]

WHEREAS by reason of the omission of any reference to the Marriages Validity Act, 1899, in the Schedule to the Irish Free State (Consequential Adaptation of Enactments) Order, 1923, doubts have been expressed as to the validity of marriages solemnized, and to be solemnized, in England in cases where banns have been, or may be, published in a church in the Irish Free State or Eire, and it is expedient to remove such doubts:

Be it therefore enacted by the King'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, as follows:—

Application of s. 1 of 62 & 63 Vict. c. 27.

1. The Irish Free State (Consequential Adaptation of Enactments) Order, 1923, shall have effect, and shall be deemed always to have had effect, as if the Schedule thereto contained a reference to section one of the Marriages Validity Act, 1899.

Short title.

2. This Act may be cited as the Marriages Validity Act, 1939.

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