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CAP. XXX.

An Act to exempt from Poor and Church Rates all Churches, Chapels, and other Places of Religious Worship. [24th *July* 1833.]

WHEREAS it is expedient that Churches, Chapels, and other Places exclusively appropriated to public Religious Worship should be exempt from the Payment of Poor and Church Rates: 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, That from and after the First Day of *October* One thousand eight hundred and thirty-three no Person or Persons shall be rated or shall be liable to be rated, or to pay to any Church or Poor Rates or Cesses, for or in respect of any Churches, District Churches, Chapels, Meeting Houses, or Premises, or such Part thereof as shall be exclusively appropriated to public Religious Worship, and which (other than Churches, District Churches, and Episcopal Chapels of the Established Church) shall be duly certified for the Performance of such Religious Worship according to the Provision of any Act or Acts now in force: Provided always, that no Person or Persons shall be hereby exempted from any such Rates or Cesses for or in respect of any Parts of such Churches, District Churches, Chapels, Meeting Houses, or other Premises which are not so exclusively appropriated, and from which Parts not so exclusively appropriated

No Persons liable to be rated for Places exclusively appropriated to public Religious Worship.

Proviso respecting Places not so exclusively appropriated.

priated such Person or Persons shall receive any Rent or Rents, or shall derive Profit or Advantage.

Persons not liable to Rates because Part of Premises may be used for Schools.

II. Provided always, and be it enacted, That no Person or Persons shall be liable to any such Rates or Cesses because the said Churches, District Churches, Chapels, Meeting Houses, or other Premises, or any Vestry Rooms belonging thereto, or any Part thereof, may be used for *Sunday* or Infant Schools, or for the charitable Education of the Poor.

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