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CHAPTER 37.

An Act to extend the duration of the present Parliament and to provide for the extension of the duration of the House of Commons of Northern Ireland.

[22nd October 1942.]

BE it 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 :—

Prolongation of present Parliament. 1 Geo. 1. Stat. 2. c. 38.

1. The Septennial Act, 1715 (which relates to the duration of Parliament) shall, in its application to the present Parliament, have effect as if eight years were therein substituted for seven years.

Power to prolong the House of Commons of Northern Ireland. 10 & 11 Geo. 5. c. 67. s. 14.

2. Subsection (4) of section fourteen of the Government of Ireland Act, 1920 (which relates to the duration of the House of Commons of Northern Ireland) shall, in its application to the House of Commons in the present Parliament of Northern Ireland, have effect, if the said House so resolves, as if six years were therein substituted for five years.

Short title.

3. This Act may be cited as the Prolongation of Parliament Act, 1942.

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