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CAP. LX.

An Act to provide for the Care and Preservation of *Trafalgar Square* in the City of *Westminster*.

[6th *August* 1844.]

WHEREAS the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, in right of Her Crown, is seised to Herself, Her Heirs and Successors, of the Place or Square called *Trafalgar Square*, in the Parish of *Saint Martin-in-the-Fields* in the City of *Westminster* and County of *Middlesex*: And whereas such Place or Square has recently been formed, laid out, embellished, and ornamented, at the public Expence: And whereas upwards of Twenty thousand Pounds have been collected by private Subscription, and expended towards the Erection of a Column in the said Square to commemorate the public Services of the late Vice Admiral Lord Viscount *Nelson*; and it is expedient that Provision should be made for the Care and Preservation thereof, and for the ornamental and other Works, Matters, and Things erected upon or around the same, as hereinafter 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 the said Place or Square called *Trafalgar Square*, and all the ornamental and other

Trafalgar Square, and the Works

thereon, vested in Her Majesty.

other Works, Matters, and Things now being or which may hereafter be placed or erected in, upon, about, or around the same, shall be and the same are by this Act vested in the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, as Part and Parcel of the Hereditary Possessions and Revenues of Her Majesty in right of Her Crown, within the ordering and Survey of the Court of Exchequer.

Care and Management of the Square, and of all Works thereon, vested in the Commissioners of Woods, &c.

II. And be it enacted, That the Care, Control, Management, and Regulation of the said Place or Square, and of all ornamental and other Works, Matters, and Things now being or which may hereafter be placed or erected in, upon, or about or around the same, shall be and the same are by this Act vested in the Commissioners for the Time being of Her Majesty's Woods, Forests, Land Revenues, Works, and Buildings; and the said Commissioners shall and they are hereby required, by and out of such Monies as may from Time to Time be placed at Her Majesty's Disposal for that Purpose by Authority of Parliament, to well and sufficiently pave, light, cleanse, water, repair, and keep in good Order and Condition the said Place or Square, and all ornamental and other Works, Matters, and Things now being or which may hereafter be placed or erected in, upon, about, or around the same, any Law, Statute, Custom, or Usage to the contrary in anywise notwithstanding.

Powers of 10 G. 4. c. 44. and 2 & 3 Vict. c. 47. extended to this Act.

III. And be it enacted, That all the Clauses and Provisions of an Act passed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty *George* the Fourth, intituled *An Act for improving the Police in and near the Metropolis*, and of another Act passed in the Second and Third Year of the Reign of Her present Majesty, intituled *An Act for further improving the Police in and near the Metropolis*, shall extend and apply to this Act, and to the said Place or Square, and to the Works, Matters, or Things for the Time being in, upon, about, or around the same, so far as such Clauses and Provisions are not repugnant to or inconsistent with the Provisions of this Act.

Act may be amended this Session.

IV. And be it enacted, That this Act may be amended or repealed by any Act to be passed in this present Session of Parliament.

Public Act.

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 by all Judges, Justices, and others.

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