



ANNO DECIMO-TERTIO

## VICTORIÆ REGINÆ,

No. 8.

*By His Excellency SIR WILLIAM THOMAS DENISON, Knight,  
Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Van Diemen's Land  
and its Dependencies, with the Advice of the Legislative  
Council.*

*AN ACT to provide for the Exemption from Wharfage  
Dues of Metallic Ores in certain Cases.*

**W**HEREAS an Act of Council or Ordinance of this Island was PREAMBLE.  
passed in the second year of the reign of Her present Majesty Queen  
VICTORIA intituled *An Act to consolidate and amend the Laws for the* 2 Vict. No. 5.  
*Preservation of the Ports and the Regulation of Shipping within the*  
*same* by the twenty-second section whereof certain rates and charges  
are imposed and made payable for Wharfage on goods entered to be  
landed at any Port in this Colony—AND WHEREAS a certain other  
Act of Council or Ordinance of this Island was passed in the second  
year of the reign of Her said present Majesty intituled *An Act to* 2 Vict. No. 13.  
*amend the Laws for the Regulation of the Customs of Van Diemen's*  
*Land and its Dependencies* by the sixteenth section whereof it is  
amongst other things provided that goods may be unladen from any  
ship or vessel at any place in this Colony at which no Officer of the  
Customs is appointed to attend such unloading by virtue of a sufferance  
granted by the Collector and Controller of Customs for the unloading of  
such goods at such place—AND WHEREAS it is expedient to  
encourage the importation into this Colony of Metallic Ores for the  
purposes of smelting by providing for the remission thereon in certain  
cases of such Wharfage Dues as aforesaid—BE IT THEREFORE  
ENACTED by His Excellency SIR WILLIAM THOMAS DENISON Knight  
Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Van Diemen's Land and its  
Dependencies by and with the advice of the Legislative Council of the  
said Island that from and after the time when this Act shall come into  
operation it shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor or person for  
the time being administering the Government of this Island and he is

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hereby authorised and empowered with the advice of the Executive Council of this Island by writing under his hand from time to time to direct that the Wharfage Dues by the said firstly recited Act imposed upon and made payable in respect of Metallic Ores imported into this Colony which shall be so unladen at any such place as aforesaid by virtue of any such sufferance as aforesaid shall be remitted where such metallic ores shall be so imported for the purposes of smelting and not otherwise and the receipt by the said Collector of Customs of such writing shall be a sufficient warrant and authority for the remission by him of such Wharfage Dues on such Metallic Ores so imported and unladen as aforesaid and such Wharfage Dues on all Metallic Ores which shall be specified in and by any such writing shall accordingly be remitted and no such Dues shall be imposed upon or be payable in respect thereof any thing in the said firstly recited Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding.

W. T. DENISON.

Passed the Legislative Council, the third  
day of November one thousand eight  
hundred and forty-nine,

ADAM TURNBULL, *Clerk of the Council.*