tent and meaning of this Act, such offender or offenders shall each and every one of them forfeit and pay the sum of *one hundred pounds*, to be recovered and applied in the same manner as is provided in and by the third Section of an Act made and passed in the Forty-seventh year of the Reign of His present Majesty, intitled, "An Act for raising a Revenue in this Province."

VIII. *And be it further enacted*, That in all cases of hardship which may arise in the continuation of and in carrying into execution the provisions of this Act, relief may be had by applying to the Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, who has hereby full power and authority with the advice of His Majesty's Council, to direct the release of any seizure made, or discontinue or stay any prosecutions for penalties which may have been or may be intended to be instituted upon such terms as he may deem equitable.

IX. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall not be in force until similar and corresponding provisions as near as may be in all material respects, shall be made and enacted by some Act of the General Assembly of the Province of Nova-Scotia to be made and passed for that purpose with regard to all Plaister of Paris, or Gypsum which shall be laden on board any Ship or Vessel within the limits of that Province, nor until such provisions shall be published and made known by Proclamation from the Governor or Commander in Chief of this Province for the time being, to be issued by and with the advice and consent of His Majesty's Council for that purpose.

X. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall continue and be in force five years, and thence to the end of the next Session of the General Assembly, and no longer.

XI. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall not be in force until His Majesty's Royal approbation be thereunto had and declared.

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