

The use of the form of receipt hereinbefore required to be given for passage money :

The licence of passage Brokers :

The return of passage money and compensation, in case the party cannot be forwarded by the appointed Ship, or by some other eligible Vessel, and victualling or the payment of subsistence money in case of detention.

XLV. Provided always, and be it enacted, That, except as hereinbefore is excepted with respect to voyages from the Colonies, the provisions and regulations of this Act shall extend and apply to voyages from the West Indies of less duration, so computed as aforesaid, than three weeks, but being of not less duration, so computed as aforesaid, than three days, save and except so far as relates to the following subjects, (namely,)

Extension of the Act, with further exceptions, to voyages shorter than three weeks in the West Indies.

The construction or thickness of the lower deck or platform :

The Berths :

The Height between Decks :

The Surgeon and Medicine Chest :

The Maintenance of Passengers for Forty-eight Hours after Arrival :

Provided also, that as respects such Voyages from the West Indies of less computed Duration than Three Weeks, the Owner or Charterer of a Ship may, if he think fit, contract with the Passengers engaging Passages therein, that they shall respectively provide themselves with necessary Food (not including Water) for the Voyage ; and in such Case the Regulations of this Act respecting the Issue of Provisions by the Master shall not be applicable to such Passengers on such Voyage.

XLVI. Provided also, and be it enacted, That it shall be lawful for the Governor or Officer administering the Government of any British Colony (other than the West Indies) to which this Act, as respects the Carriage of Passengers by Sea therefrom, has been hereby extended, or shall hereby be extended by Proclamation, as hereinbefore is mentioned, by the same, or by any subsequent Proclamation to be by him issued for that Purpose, to declare that the enactment hereinbefore contained respecting Voyages from the West Indies of shorter Duration than Three Weeks shall extend and apply to Voyages from the Colony in respect of which such Proclamation shall be issued, such Voyage being of less Duration, so computed as aforesaid, than Three Weeks, but not of less Duration, so computed as aforesaid, than Three Days ; and thereupon such Enactment shall extend and apply to such Voyage accordingly.

Power to Governors of other Colonies to adopt the same extension of the Act to voyages shorter than three weeks.

XLVII. And be it enacted, That nothing in this Act contained extends or shall be construed to extend to prevent the enactment by the respective Governors, Councils and Assemblies, or other local Legislatures, in the British West Indies and South America, and in the Bahama Islands, and in Bermuda, or by Her Majesty, with the advice of Her Privy Council, of any such Acts of General Assembly, or Ordinances, or Orders in Council, as may be requisite for making and establishing such several Rules and Regulations as are required by this Act, or any of them, or for carrying the same into full and complete effect : Provided nevertheless, that it shall not be lawful for any such Governor, Council and Assembly, or for any such local Legislature, or for Her Majesty in Council, by any such Acts of Assembly, Ordinances, or Orders in Council as aforesaid, to make or establish any Enactments, Provision, Rule or Order, which shall be in anywise repugnant or contradictory to this Act or any part thereof, but that every such enactment, regulation, provision, rule or order, shall be and is hereby declared to be absolutely null and void and of no effect.

This Act not to prevent the enactment by Colonial Assemblies, or by Her Majesty in Council, of Laws necessary for establishing the Rules and Regulations required by said recited Act and this Act.

XLVIII. Provided always, and be it enacted, That nothing hereinbefore contained shall be construed to apply to any of the territories or places under the Government of the East India Company, or to any of the Governors appointed by the said Company ; nor shall any thing hereinbefore contained affect or be construed to affect the powers now vested in the Governor General of India in Council to make laws and regulations whereby the provisions of this Act, or such of them as to the said Governor General of India in Council shall seem expedient, shall or may be extended to the territories and places under the Government of the said Company, or for or in respect of which the said Governor General in Council has now by Law a power of Legislation ; but it is hereby enacted, that it shall be lawful for the Governor General of India in Council, from time to time, by any Act or Acts to be passed for that purpose, to declare that this Act with such exceptions as are hereinbefore mentioned, shall extend and apply to the carriage of Passengers upon any voyage from any ports or places within the territories of the East India

Power to the Governor General of India in Council to adopt this Act, with certain exceptions, in India.