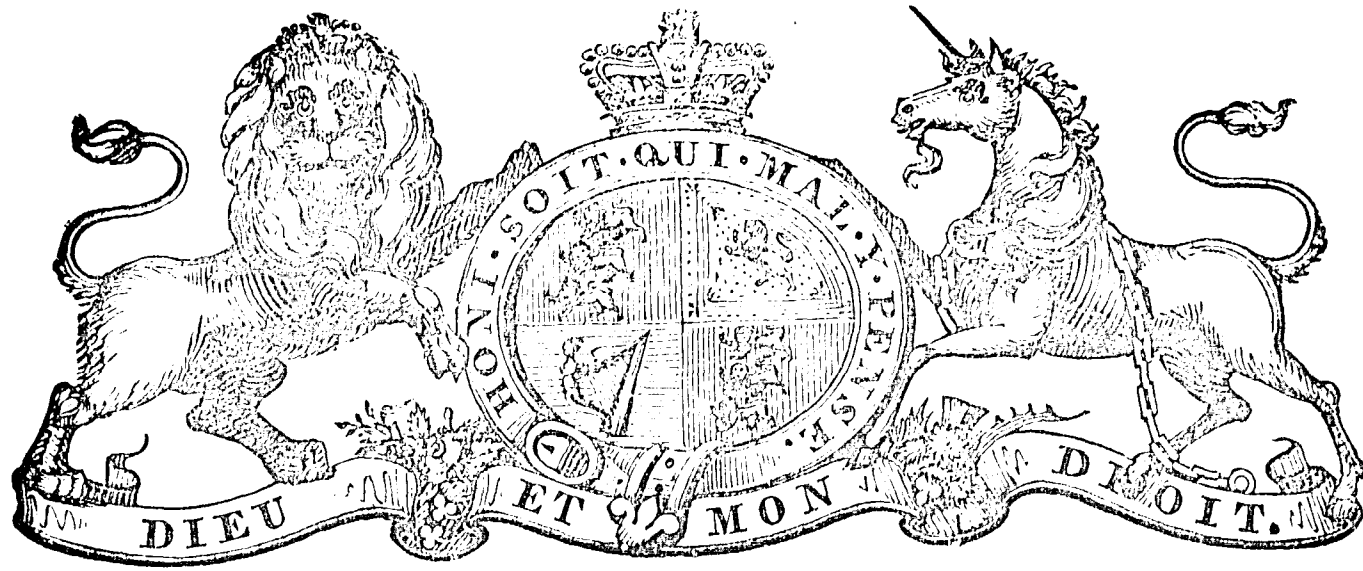


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No. DCCXCII.

An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain Duties of Excise in lieu of certain other Duties.

[24th September 1884.]

MOST GRACIOUS SOVEREIGN—

**W**HEREAS we Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Legislative Assembly of Victoria in Parliament assembled did in the present session of Parliament freely and voluntarily vote that a supply be granted to Your Majesty: And whereas towards raising such supply we did vote that the several duties hereinafter mentioned be charged: We do therefore most humbly beseech 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 Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly of Victoria in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows (that is to say):—

Preamble.

1. This Act may for all purposes be cited as "*The Distillation Amending Act 1884.*"

Short title.

2. From and after the seventeenth day of July One thousand eight hundred and eighty-four there shall be paid levied and collected towards the consolidated revenue of Victoria a duty of Eight shillings upon every gallon of spirits which may be or has been distilled in Victoria from

Excise duty on spirits distilled in Victoria.

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from malt grain roots grapes or wine, and a duty of Ten shillings upon every gallon of spirits which may be or has been distilled in Victoria from sugar treacle or molasses or from wort wash or spent wash with which sugar treacle or molasses has been made or mixed or from beer or ale; and such duties respectively shall be paid upon the gallon standard measure of spirits of the strength of proof by Sykes' hydrometer and so in proportion for any greater or less strength than proof, and also upon any deficiencies ascertained in the manner hereinafter directed.

Repeal of section 73,  
Act No. 147.

3. Section seventy-three of "*The Distillation Act 1862*" shall be and the same is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof section two of this Act shall be and be deemed to be and may be cited as section seventy-three of the said Act, and shall be read and construed with and as a part of the said Act on and from the seventeenth day of July One thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

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