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IX. And be it further Enacted, That any Person tendering or offering the Bills of Credit, by this Act to be Emitted, in Discharge of any such Debts or Contracts as aforesaid, or in Payment and Discharge of any such Levies, Fees, Penalties, Bounties, Rewards, and Allowances, Fines, Forfeitures, Rates, Duties, and Impositions, as aforesaid, shall have and receive the same Benefit and Advantage from and by such Tender, as if such Tender was made in Gold or Silver, or Tobacco in Specie, or of the Bills of Credit heretofore Emitted and made Current in this Province; and Law, Usage, or Custom, to the contrary, notwithstanding.

X. And be it further Enacted, That if at any Time pending any Action or Suit, for the Payment of Current Money, payable by Bond, Bill, Note, Account, or other Contract, the Defendant shall bring into Court, where the Action or Suit shall be depending, all the principal Money and Interest due on such Bond, Bill, Note, Account, or other Contract, and pay all Costs, which shall arise due on such Action or Suit, and shall tender the same Bills of Credit, upon such Tender, and paying the Costs, as aforesaid, the Defendant or Defendants in any such Action or Suit, shall be by the Court absolutely discharged therefrom.

XI. And be it further Enacted, That upon Application, during the Continuance of this Act, to the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, by any Person or Persons, having any of the Bills of Credit, by this Act to be Emitted or made Current, which are torn or defaced, and not fit to pass, it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Commissioners or Trustees, and they are hereby required, without Fee or Reward, in Lieu of such torn or defaced Bill or Bills, to deliver unto such Person or Persons any Bills of Credit, which may be received and paid into the said Office in Virtue of this Act, and which may be in their Hands unapplied, for the Same Value for which such torn or defaced Bill or Bills shall pass Current at the Time of bringing the same to the said Commissioners or Trustees, and to keep and retain such torn Bill or Bills as shall be brought in: And they shall, and are hereby directed and required to keep separate and distinct Accounts of all such torn or defaced Bills, so by them taken and received, and of the Bills of Credit delivered out in Lieu thereof.

XII. And be it further Enacted, That the Commissioners or Trustees aforesaid, after the Sum of Two Thousand Pounds in Bills of Credit, herein before directed to be paid and delivered out, and the Sum of Five Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighty-four Pounds Fourteen Shillings, directed to be paid out by the Act, for Granting a Supply of Forty Thousand Pounds for his Majesty's Service; and striking Thirty-four Thousand and Fifteen Pounds Six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credit; and Raising a Fund for Sinking the same, are repaid and replaced into their said Office, according to the Directions of this, and the several Acts for that Purpose, shall retain and