

disorderly or any way unruly at Sea or during the time of their abode or residence in any of the Ports
 Harbours or Cities of our said Province or Territory as the Cause shall be found to require according to the
 all Law Provided that Nothing herein contained shall be construed to the enabling you or any by your
 Authority to hold plea or have Jurisdiction of any Offence Cause Matter or thing Committed or done
 upon the high Sea or within the Havens Rivers or Ports of our said Province and Territory under
 your Government by any Captain Commander Lieutenant Master or other Officer Seaman Soldier or
 other person whatsoever who shall be in Actual Service and pay in and on board any of our Ships of War
 and other vessels Acting by Jurisdiction Commission or Warrant from our Commissioners for executing
 the Office of our high Admirall of England under the Seals of our Admiralty or from our high
 Admirall of England for the time being But that such Captain Commander Lieutenant Master
 Officer Seaman Soldier and other person so offending shall be to be proceeded against and tried
 as the Merit of their Offence shall require either by Commission under our Great Seals of England as the
 Statute of the eighth and twentieth of Henry the eighth directs or by Commission from our high Admirall
 according to the Act of Parliament passed in the thirteenth Year of the Reigne of the late King Charles
 the second of whose Memory Exhibited for the Establishing Articles and Orders for the Regulating and
 better Government of his Majesties Navies Ships of War and Forces by Sea and not otherwise Saving only
 that it shall be Lawfull for you upon any such Captain or Commander refusing or neglecting to
 Execute or upon his Neglect or undue Execution of any of the written Orders he shall receive from you for
 our Service and the Service of our said Province to suspend him the said Captain or Commander from
 the Exercise of his said Office of Commander and Commit him into safe Custody either on board his
 own Ship or else where at your discretion in order to his being brought to Answer for the said
 Commission either under our Great Seals of England or from our said high Admirall as is before
 Expressed in which Case Care will and pleasure is that the Captain or Commander so by you suspended
 shall during such his Suspension and Commitment be succeeded in his said Office by such Commission
 or warrant Officer of our said Ship appointed by the Commissioners for executing the Office of our high
 Admirall of England or by our high Admirall of England for the time being as by the known practices
 and discipline of our Navy does and ought well to succeed him as in Case of Death Sickness or
 other ordinary disability happening to the Commander in Charge of any of our said Ships of War and
 not otherwise you standing all the more bound to us for the truth and Importance of the Service and
 inconveniences for which you shall be provided to the Suspending of such our said Captain or Commander
 Provided also that all such Orders and Misdemeanours committed on Shore by any Captain Commander
 Lieutenant Master or other Officer Seaman Soldier or person whatsoever belonging to any of our Ships
 of War or other vessels Acting by Jurisdiction Commission or Warrant from our Commissioners
 for executing the Office of our high Admirall of England under the Seals of our Admiralty or from
 our high Admirall for the time being may be tried and punished according to the Laws of the place
 where any such Offences and Misdemeanours shall be so committed on Shore and without standing

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