

From the Officers of some Custom house of
England, Wales or Berwick, that such Bond
hath been there duly given, the said Ship or
Vessel is forfeited, with her Guns &c to be
recovered and divided in manner as is
therein directed.

4. And whereas by the aforesaid Act made in
the 25th year of the said late King's Reign for
better Securing the Plantation Trade it is
Enacted that if any ship or Vessel which by
Law may Trade in any of ^{the} said Plantations
shall come to any of them to ship and take
on Board any of the aforesaid Commodities, and
that Bond shall not be first given with one
sufficient Surety to bring the same to England,
Wales or the Town of Berwick upon Tweed,
and to no other place, and there to unloose
and putt the same on Shoer (the danger of
the Seas only excepted) That there shall be
answered and paid to Us, Our heirs and
Successors for so much of the said
Commodities as shall be Laden and putt on
Board such Ship or Vessel, the Rates and
Dutyes therein mentioned. You are to
understand.