



## JAMAICA—N<sup>o</sup>. 33 OF 1868.

### A Law to Provide for the Collection of certain Duties by Means of Stamps.

[1st September, 1868.]

**B**E it enacted by the governor of Jamaica, with the advice and consent of the legislative council thereof, as follows :

First—This law may, for any purpose, be cited as “ The Stamp Duty Law, 1868.” Short title.

Second—From and after the coming into operation of this law there shall be raised, for the use of the government of this island, upon and in respect of the several instruments mentioned in the schedule to this law annexed, the several duties therein respectively specified. Duties in schedule to be raised after law in force.

#### APPOINTMENT AND DUTIES OF OFFICERS IN THE STAMP DEPARTMENT.

Third—The present commissioner of stamps shall, without any new appointment, be the commissioner of stamps under this law, and shall hold his office during pleasure ; and on the removal, death, resignation, or other vacancy in the said office, the governor may nominate and appoint a successor to such office, who shall have the like powers, authorities, and duties. Present stamp commissioner re appointed, his office being during pleasure.

Fourth—It shall be lawful for the governor to nominate and appoint a clerk in the office of the treasurer, to attend in the stamp office, and to be present with the commissioner of stamps at the time of the delivery out of adhesive stamps, and the impressing of other stamps, and to perform the several other duties hereinafter in this law mentioned. Governor to appoint a clerk in the treasurer's office to act with commissioner.