

CHAPTER MDLXIV.

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AN ACT TO TRANSFER CERTAIN POWERS, FORMERLY EXERCISED BY THE SUPREME EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, ALSO BY THE PRESIDENT OR VICE-PRESIDENT THEREOF, TO THE GOVERNOR OF THIS COMMONWEALTH.

Whereas during the continuance of the late constitution of this commonwealth, divers acts of assembly were passed, whereby the supreme executive council of the state, or the president or vice-president thereof, were vested with sundry powers and authorities, therein particularly specified.

[Section I.] (Section I. P. L.) Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the governor of the commonwealth, in addition to the powers in him vested by the constitution, shall have and exercise all the powers, that by any law or laws in force on the first Tuesday of December last, were vested in the supreme executive council or in the president or vice-president thereof, unless the same are or shall be specially vested in some other person or persons, or shall be inconsistent with the provisions of the constitution. Provided nevertheless, That this act shall continue in force until the first day of August next, and from thence until the end of the next session of the general assembly and no longer.

Passed April 13, 1791. Recorded L. B. No. 4, p. 184, etc. See the Act of Assembly passed September 21, 1791, Chapter 1580.

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CHAPTER MDLXV.

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AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF PHILIP PETER.

Whereas it appears by a certificate of the comptroller-general, dated the fourth day of February, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-one, that Philip Peter, by his attorney, John