

No. XII.

An Act to confirm certain Licenses granted under the authority of an Act to regulate the granting of Licenses for the Sale of Spirits Ale Beer and other Liquors in New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land respectively and two others amending the same. [15th June, 1825.]

WHEREAS by an Act of His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales aforesaid passed with the advice of the Council on the eighth day of February in this present year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five intituled "*An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses for the Sale of Spirits Ale Beer and other Liquors in New South Wales and Van Diemen's Land respectively*" it is amongst other things enacted that before any License as therein mentioned shall be granted a certificate to the form and effect therein-after mentioned shall be obtained from the Justices of the Peace in Quarter Sessions or by special appointment assembled on the nineteenth day of February then next ensuing and on the first Thursday in every month of March in every following year within the district or township nearest to the house intended to be made a public-house as aforesaid and that no such certificate shall be valid unless the Justice of the Peace living nearest to the said house shall have signed the same or have signified in writing his approval thereof And whereas in granting some of the Licenses under the said Act the said provision requiring the signature or approval of the Justice of the Peace living nearest to the house to be licensed has been inadvertently disregarded Now therefore for remedy thereof be it enacted by His Excellency the Governor of New South Wales with the advice of the Council that every License granted under the said Act shall be valid although the aforesaid certificate shall not have been signed nor any approval thereof signified in writing as in and by the said Act is required Provided always that no such License as last aforesaid shall be valid if the person or persons obtaining or holding the same shall have been refused a License by any Justice or Justices authorised to grant Licenses as aforesaid at any time within two years from the day appointed for licensing as last aforesaid.

LICENSED PUBLICANS.

Preamble.

Act to regulate the granting of Licenses passed on the 8th February 1825 recited.

Such Licenses to be valid though the certificates for obtaining the same shall not have been signed or approved by the Justice living nearest to the house to be licensed.