

Lib. L. L. 2 of the same any Beeff Pork or Bacon shall pay unto his Sacred Maty and his Successors for the use in this Act before mentioned and Expressed the Severall Imposts following (that is to say) for dried Beeff and Bacon twelve pence the hundred weight & so proportionable for greater or lesser quantity and for Beeff and Pork undryed twelve pence the Barrell each Barrell to Containe two hundred weight And that no undryed Beeff and Pork be Exported out of this Province but in Casque as af^d which said sev'all Impositions shall be Collected and Gathered by the said Severall and respective Navall Officers who shall be accomptable for the same & have authority to Enter any Ship or other Vessell as aforesaid and to make search for every such Prohibited Goods as aforesaid in such method and manner as in this Act is before mentioned & Expressed and if any person whatsoever being non resident as afores^d shall put on Board any Ship or Vessell any Beeff Bacon or Pork for which he she or they shall not have a Certificate as aforesaid or that shall ship on Board any Beeff or Pork undryed not being in cask as aforesaid such person or persons so Offending shall forfeit and loose all his her or their meat so shipped as aforesaid one halfe to his said Maty and his successors to the use aforesaid the other halfe to the Informer to be recovered as

p. 102 af^d and every Master of a Ship or other Vessell That shall wittingly or knowingly take on Board his said Ship or Vessell any Beeff Bacon or Porke Contrary to the true intent and meaning of this Act being thereof Lawfully Convict shall forfeit and pay the sume of five Thousand pounds of Tobacco one halfe thereof to his said Maty and his Successors for the use and the other halfe to the Informer or him or them that shall sue for the same to be recovered as aforesaid and for the better understanding what persons shall be adjudged non residents it hereby declared and Enacted by the Authority aforesaid That all persons whatsoever Tradeing To and from this Province shall be adjudged Deemed and taken as non Residents not haveing a Seated plantation of fifty Acres att the least whereon he or she with their family (if any) have resided for and dureing the space of one whole year and that within the time and terme of twelve months before any benefitt Claimed in and by Virtue of this Act or that hath or shall hereafter have an house in some Porte or Town as his or their proper ffreehold being fourty foot in Length and twenty foot in breadth with two Brick Chimneys to the same wherein he she or they shall have resided for and dureing the space of one whole year as af^d and that no such person or persons Trading to and from this Province haveing houses in any Town or porte within the same whereby he she or they may Claime any