



Ecclesiastical Licences Act 1533

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XIV Visitation of all Monasteries, &c. exempt, shall be by Commission from the King, and not by the Archbishop or the See of Rome.

PROVYDED ALWAYS that the seid Archebisschopp of Canterburye or any other person or persons shall have noo power or auctoritie by reason of this acte to vysite or vexe any Monasteries Abbeys Pories Colleges Hospitallis Houses or other places religious whiche be or were exempte before the making of this acte, any thyng in this acte to the contrary therof not withstondyng; but that redresse vicitacion and confirmacion shalbe had by the Kynges Highnes hys heires and successours by commission under the greate seale to be directed to suche persones as shalbe appoynted requysite for the same, in such monasteries colleges Hospitals Pories Houses and Places religious exempt; So that noo visitacion [^{X1}nor confirmacion] shall frome hensforth be had nor made in or at any suche Monasteries Colleges Hospitallis Pories Houses and Places religious exempt by the sayd Bysshop of Rome nor by any of his auctoryte nor by any out of the Kynges Domynions; Nor that any person religious or other resiant in any the Kynges Domynions shall fromhensforth departe out of the Kynges Domynions to or for any visitacion congregacion or assemble for Religeon, but that all suche visytacyons congregatyons & assembles shalbe within the Kynges Domynions.

Editorial Information

X1 interlined in original Act.

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Ecclesiastical Licences Act 1533, Section XIV.