



# Public Health Act 1875

## 1875 CHAPTER 55

### PART VII

#### LEGAL PROCEEDINGS.

##### *Prosecution of Offences and Recovery of Penalties, &c.*

#### **252 General provisions as to summary proceedings.**

Any complaint or information made or laid in- pursuance of this Act shall be made or laid within six months from the time when the matter of such complaint or information respectively arose.

The description of any offence under this Act in the words of this Act shall be sufficient in law.

Any exception exemption proviso excuse or qualification whether it does or does not accompany the description of the offence in this Act, may be proved by the defendant, but need not be specified or negated in the information ; and, if so specified or negated, no proof in relation to the matters so specified or negated shall be required on the part of the informant.