



# Bank of England Act 1694

## 1694 CHAPTER 20 5 and 6 Will and Mar

### XXVI Corporation not to trade. Punishment.

And to the intent that their Majesties Subjects may not be oppressed by the said Corporation by their monopolizing or ingrossing any sort of Goods Wares of Merchandizes the said Corporation to be made and created by this Act shall not at any time during the continuance thereof deal or trade or permit or suffer any person or persons whatsoever either in trust or for the benefit of the same to deal or trade with any of the Stock-moneys or Effects of or any [<sup>X1</sup>wise] belonging to the said Corporation in the buying or selling of any Goods Wares or Merchandizes whatsoever and every person or persons who shall so deal or trade or by whose order or directions such Dealings or Trading shall be made prosecuted or managed shall forfeit for every such Dealing or Trading and every such order and directions treble the value of the Goods and Merchandize so traded for to such person or persons who shall sue for the same by Action [<sup>F1</sup>in the High Court]:

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#### Editorial Information

- X1 Variant reading of the text noted in *The Statutes of the Realm* as follows: *ways O*. [*O*. refers to a collection in the library of Trinity College, Cambridge]

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#### Textual Amendments

- F1 Words substituted by virtue of [Supreme Court of Judicature \(Consolidation\) Act 1925 \(c. 49\)](#), s. 224

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#### Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1 [S. 26](#) amended by [Common Informers Act 1951 \(c. 39\)](#)
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**Status:**

Point in time view as at 01/02/1991.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Bank of England Act 1694, Section XXVI.