



# Licensing Act 1872

1872 CHAPTER 94

*Amendment of Law as to Grant of Licenses*

**41 Amendment of 5 & 6 Vict. c.44, with respect to licenses wilfully withheld.**

Whereas by the second section of the Act of the session of the fifth and sixth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, chapter forty-four, the magistrates or justices in petty sessions are empowered in the event of a license being lost or mislaid to receive a copy of such license, and to deal therewith in manner in the said section mentioned : And whereas it is expedient to extend the power of such magistrates or justices, to the reception of a copy of a license in the event of a license being wilfully withheld by the holder thereof: Be it enacted, that such section be construed as if after the words "lost or mislaid," there were inserted the words " or if " the application is for the grant of a license, has been wilfully " withheld by the holder thereof."