

**Statute caps \*-III of I Henry VI (Law  
French) (s.XV<sup>1</sup>)**

**inc. An perlement tenuz a Westminster le  
lundi prochin**

**expl. voi dez hors du roial**

**Parchment, 168 x 120 mm (124 x 80  
mm), 33 lines; ruling invisible; lines 3-4  
mm apart**

***Script* Good quality small English  
Anglicana with secretary elements, slightly  
sloping; strong curves on the ascenders and  
tapering descenders on long *s* and *f***

***Abbreviations*** Standard; *q̄* for *qui*, *q* with the descender curving to the left and forming an arch above the letter

***Punctuation*** Provided by red capitals with blue calligraphic ornament on lines 6, 13 and 27

***Decoration*** Pretty decorated border on three sides of the written space, in form of a branching stem bearing leaves and fruit in blue, orange, green and gold and a decorated 4-line initial *a* in white, faded purple and gold

***Provenance*** Unknown; written in England