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At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Tuesday the 4^{th} day of December 1759, and in the 33^d year of His Majesty's Reign, and there continued by several Prorogations until Monday the 8^{th} Day of September, 1760, in the 34^{th} Year of His Majesty's Reign.

34 George II – Chapter 18

An Act for granting and establishing an Allowance to the Collector or Collectors of the Impost and Excise Duties.

Be it enacted by his Excellency the Governor, Council and Assembly, and by the authority of the same it is hereby enacted that out of the money arising from the duties on impost and excise, from and after the twentieth day of December next, his Excellency the Governor, or Commander in Chief of the Province for the time being, shall be and is hereby impowered, to grant and allow unto any collector or collectors of such duties on the impost and excise, who may be from time to time appointed by such Governor or Commander in Chief, for all the expence, charges, and trouble of such collector or collectors, and of any officers to be by such collector or collectors appointed for assisting such collector or collectors; any sum not exceeding seven pounds ten shillings for each hundred pounds, that may be collected of such impost and excise duties; and that the said grant and allowance of seven pounds ten shillings in the hundred, shall be in full of all claims, expences, charges, and demands whatsoever, for or on account of collecting such impost and excise duties as aforesaid.

Provided, that before such collector of impost shall enter upon his said office, he shall give such security and take the like oaths, as are directed for the collector of excise, by an Act, intitled, "An Act for granting unto His Majesty an Excise upon Wine, Rum, and other distilled Spirituous Liquors sold by Retail."

And be it further enacted, that this Act shall continue and be in force for the term and space of one year, from and after the said twentieth day of December next, and until the end of the session of the General Assembly then next following.