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At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Tuesday the 28th of May 1765 in the Fifth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

5 George III – Chapter 10

An Act to Establish the Number of Representatives to be Elected in the several Counties and Townships which are now Established in this Province.

Be it enacted by the governor, council and assembly, that the several counties and townships herein after named, shall be intitled to elect in manner and form as has heretofore been accustomed in the county and town of Halifax, the number of persons to fit as representatives in general assembly as follows, for the county of Halifax four; for the county of Annapolis two; for the county of Lunenburg two; for the county of King's county two; for the county of Cumberland two; for the county of Queen's county two; for the county of Sunbury two; for the township of Halifax two; for the township of Truro one; for the township of Onslow one; for the township of Annapolis one; for the township of Granville one; for the township of Lunenburg one; for the township of Horton one; for the township of Cornwallis one; for the township of Falmouth one; for the township of Newport one; for the township of Cumberland one; for the township of Liverpool one; for the township of Sackville one.

And be it also enacted, that when the townships of Barrington, Yarmouth, Chester, Dublin, Amherst, St. Johns, Windsor, Wilmot on the River Annapolis, Louisbourg and Wilmot town at Canso shall consist of fifty families resident, and an authentick certificate thereof shall be laid before the governor, lieutenant governor or commander in chief of the province, each and every of the said townships, shall be intitled to elect in manner as aforesaid, one fit person as a representative in general assembly.

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