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At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Thursday the Sixth day of February, 1812, and continued by several Prorogations to Thursday the Tenth day of February, 1814, in the Fifty-fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith &c. &c. being the Fourth Session of the Tenth General Assembly, convened in the said Province. From Henry H. Cogswell, The Statutes at Large passed in the General Assembly held in His Majesty's Province of Nova Scotia: from the Sixth Session of the Eighth General Assembly, to the Fifty-Sixth year of his Majesty's Reign. John Howe and Son, 1816.

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An Act in amendment of an Act, made and passed in the fifty-first year of his Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to establish Grammar Schools in the several Counties and Districts of this Province."

Be it enacted, by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, that before any money shall be drawn from the Treasury for the support of such Grammar Schools, the Trustees thereof shall certify to His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, or Commander in Chief for the time being, in one schedule, the names and ages of the scholars taught therein, and the branches of education which such scholars are severally learning; which schedule shall be filed in the secretary's office.

II. And be it further enacted, that no such schools shall be entitled to the provincial allowance for its support unless the number of male scholars of the age of seven years or upwards taught therein shall be ten at the least.