

At the General Assembly of the Province of Nova Scotia, begun and holden at Halifax, on Thursday, the Eighth day of January, 1824, in the Fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Fourth, 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 Twelfth General Assembly, convened in the said Province.

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An Act to alter and continue the several Acts to provide for the greater security of this Province by a better regulation of the Militia, and to repeal the Militia Laws now in force.

Be it enacted by the Lieutenant-Governor, Council and Assembly, that an act, made and passed in the second year of His present Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to provide for the greater security of this Province by a better regulation of the Militia, and to repeal the Militia Laws now in force;" and also, an Act, passed in the fourth year of His said Majesty's reign, entitled, "An Act to alter and continue an Act to provide for the greater security of this Province by a better regulation of the Militia, and to repeal the Militia Laws now in force," and every matter, clause and thing, in the said acts contained, except so far as they are hereby altered, shall be continued, and the same are hereby continued for one year, and from thence to the end of the next session of the general assembly.

II. And be it further enacted, that it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor or Commander in Chief for the time being, by any general order, for that purpose by him made, to dispense with one of the battalion or company meetings, to be held under the act hereby continued, if he shall deem it proper so to do.