

Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada in North America, passed in the year 1823.
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4 George IV – Chapter 5

An Act to Repeal part of the Tenth Clause of an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of His late Majesty's reign, entitled "*An Act to Explain, Amend, and Reduce to One Act of Parliament the several Laws now in being for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province,*" and also part of an Act passed in the last Session of the present Parliament, entitled "*An Act to Repeal part of, and Amend the Laws now in force for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province,*" and to increase the Strength of the Companies of Militia. Passed 19th March, 1823.

Whereas difficulties having arisen in carrying into effect many of the provisions of an Act passed in the last session of the present Parliament, entitled, "*An Act to Repeal part of, and Amend the Laws now in force for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province, it is expedient to repeal part thereof*: Be it Enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper-Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great Britain, entitled, "*An Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled, 'An Act for making more effectual Provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec, in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province,'*" and by the authority of the same, that the sixth clause, so much of the seventh as relates to the appointment of a clerk, the ninth, tenth, eleventh, thirteenth and sixteenth clauses of the said recited Act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

II. And whereas the strength of Militia Companies is at present too limited, Be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That so much of the tenth clause of an Act passed in the forty-eighth year of His late Majesty's Reign, entitled "*An Act to Explain, Amend, and Reduce to One Act of Parliament the several Laws now in being for the Raising and Training the Militia of this Province,*" as declares that Companies of Militia shall consist of not more than Fifty, nor less than Twenty men, be and the same is hereby repealed; and that the said Companies shall in future consist of not more than Eighty, nor less than Thirty private men.

III. And whereas it is expedient to form one or more Company or Companies of Artillery, Be it enacted, by the authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be lawful for the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or person administering the Government of this Province, to form and embody from time to time, such Company or Companies of Artillery, and in such county or counties as to him may appear most convenient and fit for the good of His Majesty's services.