

Lib. L. L. to the Informer or him or them that shall sue for the same as  
 No. 1. afores<sup>d</sup> This Act to Endure for three years or to the end of  
 the next Generall Assembly which shall first happen

June 4 <sup>th</sup> 1692	June the 2 <sup>d</sup> 1692
Assented to by the Counc <sup>ll</sup> Board.	The house of Assembly
Signed p Ord <sup>r</sup>	have Assented
John Llewelin Clk.	Signed p Ord <sup>r</sup>
	Hen: Denton Clk.

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An Act for the Ordering & Regulating  
 the Militia of this Province for the better  
 defence & Security thereof.

Be it Enacted by the King and Queens most Excellent  
 Majesties by and with the Advice & consent of this present  
 Generall Assembly and by the Authority of the same, That  
 from and after this Sessions of Assembly, The Militia of this  
 Province shall be Mustered Trained and Excercised according  
 to these Instructions and directions following.

Imp<sup>r</sup>mis. That every Colonell Major or Cap<sup>t</sup> of Foot  
 already comissionated or hereafter to be Comissionated by  
 his Excellency the Governor of this Province for the time  
 being, shall have power to inlist such and so many men In-  
 habiting within this Province not hereafter Excepted in their  
 severall and respective divisions between sixteen and sixty  
 years of Age as they shall think fitt by as Equall proportions  
 of the said Inhabitants as possibly they can to be of the Militia  
 or Train'd Bands of this Province, which said Persons so  
 inlisted they shall Muster Exercise and Train in and at such  
 Places, and at such certain times as to them shall seem meet,  
 or the service safety and defence of this Province shall require  
 or as his Exc<sup>lly</sup> the Gov<sup>r</sup> of this Province for the time being  
 shall see cause to Order.

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2<sup>dly</sup> That every such Coll: Majo<sup>r</sup> or Cap<sup>t</sup> shall give notice  
 or summons upon every Training or Mustering to every per-  
 son so inlisted as aforesaid within his respective Division or  
 Limitts at the head of his Company, or at the House of the  
 Party by an Officer of his Company or a Warrant under his  
 hand to Appear at such times and place as he shall appoint  
 for such Training and Mustering, And that if any man after  
 such notice and Summons given as afores<sup>d</sup> shall neglect or  
 refuse to Appear at the time and place appointed as aforesaid,  
 or that shall refuse when he hath so appeared to be inlisted  
 into the Militia and Trayned Bands aforesaid, or that being  
 so inlisted shall not from time to time as he shall be summoned  
 or warned as aforesaid appear and bring with him one good  
 Serviceable Gun fixed & six shoots of Powder, shall for every