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Time being, or to such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the Governor or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, for such Purpose, when He or they shall demand the same, in as good Order and Condition as they ought to be: Which Condition and Value, shall and may be adjudged and determined by his Excellency the Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, or by such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the Governor or Commander in Chief, for that Purpose: Which Value, being so determined, such Colonel shall pay to his Excellency the Governor, or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, or to such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the Governor or Commander in Chief, for that Purpose; to and for the Purchase of Arms, and Ammunition, for the Use of the Regiment or Regiments in the respective County to which the said Colonel belongs. And upon the Neglect or Refusal of such Colonel or Captain, to pay such Value, it shall and may be lawful, to and for His said Excellency, or Commander in Chief, or such Person or Persons as shall be appointed by the Governor or Commander in Chief, for that Purpose, to certify such Neglect, or Refusal, under his or their Hands, to the Clerk of the respective County, and require the same Clerk to issue an Execution for such Value against the Body, Goods, or Chattels, of such Colonel or Captain: Upon which Certificate, such Clerk is hereby ordered, to issue an Execution accordingly, directed to the Sheriff of the said County, or Coroner thereof, if the said Colonel or Captain should be the Sheriff thereof at that Time, to levy the Sum amounting to such Value, on the Body, Goods, or Chattels, of such Colonel or Captain; which said Execution, the Sheriff, or Coroner, of each respective County is hereby directed and required to serve and execute: And the Money which shall be paid to the said Sheriff, or Coroner thereon, he, the said Sheriff, or Coroner, shall deliver and pay, once in every Year, to his Excellency the Governor or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, for the Uses aforesaid. And if the said Sheriff, or Coroner, shall, by Virtue of such Execution, execute or seize any Goods of such Colonel or Captain, then the said Sheriff, or Coroner, shall forthwith cause the same to be appraised by Two Appraisers, to be sworn before one Justice of the Peace of the same County, to appraise the same, according to the best of their Knowledge; which said Goods shall, after such Appraisement, be sold by the said Sheriff, or Coroner, at a Publick Auction, to the best Bidder: And the Value, for which they were so taken in Execution, shall be paid, once in every Year, by the said Sheriff, or Coroner, to His Excellency the Governor or Commander in Chief, for the Time being, for the Uses aforesaid; and the Remainder (if any) returned to the Owner of such Goods.

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And, in Order that such Colonel who shall or may be obliged to be answerable, as aforesaid, may have a Recompence for Arms