

Provided always and it is the true Intent and meaning of this Act that though the Vestrymen and Churchwardens are to Elect Inspectors Annually yet where they elect again a Former Inspector or Inspectors they shall Continue such without any new Appointment by the Governor or Commander in Chief

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[Proviso]

And be it further enacted That every Vestrymen or Churchwarden who shall Neglect or refuse (not being Prevented by Sickness or some unavoidable Accident) to meet According to the Directions of this Act to Nominate and recommend an Inspector or Inspectors whereby Inspectors shall not be Nominated and Recommended in Pursuance of this Act shall forfeit and pay eight hundred Pounds of Tobacco with Costs of Suit for every such Offence one Moiety to the informer the other Moiety to the uses in this Act mentoned and to be recovered by Action of Debt Bill Plaint or Information wherein no Essoin Protection or Wager of Law shall be Allowed

[Vestries not to neglect to meet, to nominate and recommend Inspectors]

[Penalty]

Provided always that no Vestrymen or Church Warden who shall be an Inspector shall have or be Allowed so long as he shall be an Inspector any Vote in the Nomination or Recommendation of any other Inspector or Inspectors and that where any Person or Persons shall be Appointed in Pursuance of such Nomination and Recommendation as already mentioned and shall Afterwards and again be Nominated and recommended to be an Inspector or Inspectors for the ensuing Year such Nomination and Recommendation shall be a Sufficient Power to such Inspector or Inspectors to be and Continue in the said Office without any further Appointment and so from Year to Year so long as he or they shall be Nominated and Recommended as aforesaid

[No Vestrymen etc. who is an Inspector, to have a Vote in Nomination]

And be it further Enacted that every Vestrymen and Church Warden shall take the following Oath before they Proceed to the Nomination or Recommendation of any Inspector or Inspectors to wit "I AB to Swear that I will faithfully honestly and Justly Nominate and Recommend such Person or Persons to be an Inspector or Inspectors as I think in my Judgment and Conscience is or are fit and Capable to execute the Office of an Inspector or Inspectors so help me God"

[Oath to be taken by Vestrymen and Churchwarden]

And be it further enacted That there shall by the Justices of each County at the County Charge and kept at every one of the said Warehouses a Good and Sufficient Beam Weights and Scale to weigh fifteen hundred Gross Pounds at the least and a set of Small Weights the same that are or ought to be Provided for the Standard Weights of each County And the said Justices are hereby required and Obliged to keep the same in Good repair together with the Blocks Tackles and other Necessaries

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[Weights to be Provided to weigh 15 Cwt. and small ones]