

Every officer already appointed, or to be appointed, is to understand that unless he is in Uniform, and perfect in his duty, within six months from the date of this order; or within six months of his future appointment, that his or their situation will be filled by some other person.

The Uniform is to be worn by all Officers when on duty.

A laced Shoulder Strap, may be substituted in lieu of an Epaulette.

Every Officer Commanding a Company is to be responsible for all Arms, Accoutrements and Ammunition, issued to him for the use of his Company; he is to retain the ammunition in his own charge, but if his Company is much scattered, he will then divide the ammunition and give part in charge to his Subalterns and Non Commissioned Officers. The ammunition must be taken great care of, and not used but on actual duty. And on no account, is he to allow the arms to be taken (on Ship Board, or even) out of the Settlement, but on actual duty.

Whenever any officer, Non Commissioned Officer, or militia Man, shall be accused of a Capital Crime, or of having used violence, or of having committed an offence against the Persons or Properties of His Majesty's Subjects, such as is punishable by the known Laws of the Land, the Commanding Officer and Officers of every Regiment, Detachment, Troop or Company, to which the Person or Persons so accused belong, are hereby required upon application duly made, by, or on behalf of the party injured, to use his and their utmost endeavours to deliver over such accused person or persons to the Civil Magistrate, and likewise to aid and assist the Officers of Justice, in apprehending and securing the Person or Persons so accused, that he or they may be brought to Trial.

If any Officer shall think himself wronged by his Colonel, or the Officer Commanding the Regiment to which he