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An Act to amend the Thirty-first Section of the Militia Act

**W**HEREAS it is expedient to amend the thirty-first section of the Act respecting the Militia, Twenty-seventh Victoria, Chapter two; Therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of Canada, enacts as follows:—

Preamble.

5   **1.** The twenty-first section of the said Act is hereby repealed, and the following is enacted in its stead, and shall be read and construed as the thirty-first section of the said Act.

New Section substituted for Section 21 of Militia Act.

10   “31. The Commander-in-Chief may, by general order, call out at any time in each year, a certain number (not exceeding one-fifth) of the first Class Service Militia, for drill or instruction in camp, for a period not exceeding six months consecutively, under and pursuant to such rules and regulations in their behalf as may be prescribed in such general order; and each non-commissioned officer and man so called out shall be paid for each day's actual and *bona fide* drill, as aforesaid, the sum of *fifty* 15 *cents*; provided always that no man having completed such period of service, shall be liable to be called out again in time of peace, except for the purpose of muster and inspection.”