An act to provide for the payment of the organization of the Militia of 1839.

Sec 1. Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Republic of Texas in Congress assembled: That the sum of fifty dollars in the promissory notes of the Government, is hereby allowed to each of the Chief Justices of the Counties, who may have organized the Militia of their respective Counties, in obedience to a proclamation of his Excellency, the President, bearing date February 5th 1839.

Sec 2. Be it further Enacted, that the Certificate of the Secretary of War, showing that the Militia was organized in accordance with the provisions of the 1st. Section of this act, and a muster roll returned to the proper department, shall be a sufficient voucher, for the Auditor to audit the claim of any Chief Justice for the aforesaid service, and the Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the amount out of any money in the Treasury, appropriated for the payment of the Military.

David S. Kaufman
Speaker of the House of Representatives

David G. Burnet
President of the Senate

Approved 5th February 1840
Mirabeau B. Lamar

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Austin 24th March 1841

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