## THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. Um A Li Chertuin GREATING:

We, reposing special trust and confidence in your patriotism, valor and military skill, do hereby commission you a Captain of Militia in Me

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you having been thereunto duly dected by a majority of the Members of said Company; and (after taking such oath or oaths as are necessary for your qualification) you are hereby vested with the authority and command belonging to said office, that you may promptly and diligently perform the duties thereof, as prescribed by law and military discipline. In the discharge of which, all officers and soldiers under your command are required to yield to you their ready obedience.

> IN WITNESS WHEREOF, HIS EXCILIENCY DAVID S. REID, our Governor, Captain General, and Commander-in-Chief, hath signed with his hand these

presents, and caused our GREAT SEAL to be affixed thereto. Done at our City of RALEIGH, on the 18 me day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred and fifty-two and in the Livity sight year of our

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BY THE GOVERNOR.

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Thomas State Private Secretary