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Anno Millesimo Septingentesimo Septuagesimo Sexto.

An Act for the Holding of the General Assembly at Dover in the County of Kent.

Whereas it is just, that the Seat of Government should be made as central and convenient to all the Inhabitants of the State as possible: And whereas the holding of the Assembly in the Town of Newcastle has been long found extremely Burthensome to the good People of the Counties of Kent and Sussex ~~[illegible]~~: For remedying whereof,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Delaware, and it is hereby enacted by the Authority of the same, That from and after this present Session,

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the General Assembly of this State shall meet and hold their Sessions at the Town of Dover in the County of Kent, as well at such Times as they shall adjourn to, as at their annual and stated Meetings to be held on the twentieth Day of October, unless that Day shall happen to be on a Sunday, in which case the Meeting shall be on the next Day.

Provided nevertheless, that if a foreign Invasion should happen, or any raging Sickness should prevail in the Town of Dover aforesaid, or any other Cause should make it necessary for the Assembly to adjourn to any other Place in this State, they shall have Power so to do.

And be it further enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That so much of any and every of the Acts of Assembly of this State, as requires the Meeting and

Sitting

Sitting of the Assembly at the Town of New Castle, is hereby repealed, and made null and void.

Signed by Order of the House of Assembly.

Tho M. Kean Speaker

Signed by Order of the Council.

Geo. Read Speaker.

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