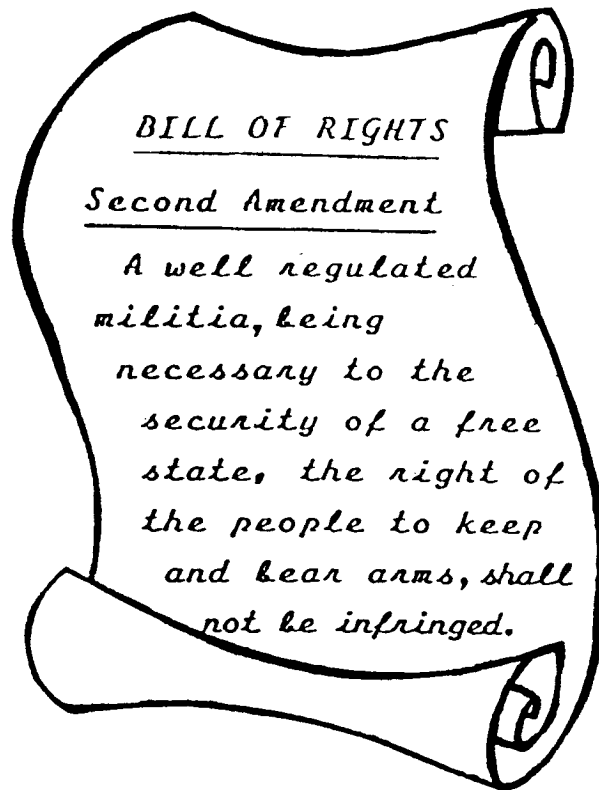


**After it was drafted, this command became  
the keystone of the Bill of Rights.**



**The intent behind this amendment  
is to affirm that the people, individually  
and collectively, must  
**ALWAYS**  
be proficient  
in the full use of arms, to protect themselves  
against public officials  
who dare to destroy their liberty.**