



Boston Tea Party: The TOLERABLE ACTS!

To many Americans, the Intolerable Acts represented not only a great injustice, but also the tyranny of Parliament. The acts were meant to punish Americans for the audacity of the Boston Tea Party. Suppose you were a member of Parliament that had serious concerns about it issuing such acts. Instead, you argued that England should make immediate peace with the colonies by issuing a set of acts designed to reward them called the “Tolerable Acts.” In the chart below, name each of the “Tolerable Acts” and describe how each would reward the Americans. The first one is completed for you.

Name of Act	Description
The George Washington Act	This act requires Parliament to build statues of George Washington in every major city in the colonies and in England.