How far did the Long Parliament encroach on the King’s royal prerogative between November 1640 and August 1642?

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| **Triennial Act**  Forced the king to call a parliament at least every three years | **Exclusion Bill**  Act preventing bishop’s from sitting in the House of Lords | **Act Preventing the Dissolution of Parliament Without its own Consent**  The king had no right to dissolve parliament. |
| **Tonnage and Poundage Act**  Customs duties not to be charged without parliament’s consent. | **Act abolishing Ship Money**  Abolished all forms of Ship Money including occasional charges on coastal towns and ports. | **Limitation of Forests Act**  Limited the boundaries of forests to those that existed in 1623. |
| **Act prohibiting the Distraint of Knighthood**  Made the distraint of knighthood fines illegal. | **Militia Bill**  The king surrendered command of the English army to parliament (Parliament claimed the authority to issue this law without the king’s approval). | **Act abolishing the Court of Star Chamber and High Commission**  Abolished the king’s prerogative courts. |