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BY THE KING — A PROCLAMATION,
For Dissolving this present Parliament, and declaring the Calling of another.

GEORGE R.

Whereas we have thought fit, by and with the advice of our Privy Council, to dissolve this present Parliament, which now stands prorogued to Tuesday the seventeenth day of August next: We do, for that end, publish this our Royal proclamation; and do hereby dissolve the said Parliament accordingly. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs, of the House of Commons, are discharged from their meeting and attendance on Tuesday the seventeenth day of August next. And we being desirous and resolved, as soon as may be, to meet our people, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby make known to all our loving subjects our royal will and pleasure to call a new Parliament; and do hereby further declare, that, with the advice of our Privy Council, we have given order, that our Chancellor of that part of our United Kingdom called Great Britain, and our Chancellor of Ireland do, respectively, upon notice thereof, forthwith issue our writs in due form, and according to law, for calling a new Parliament: And we do hereby also, by this our Royal proclamation under our Great Seal of our United Kingdom, require writs forthwith to be issued accordingly by our said Chancellors respectively, for causing the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, who are to serve in our said Parliament,

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to be duly returned to and give their attendance in our said Parliament; which writs are to be returnable on Tuesday the thirty-first day of August next.

Given at our Court at Windsor the twentieth day of June one thousand eight hundred and two, in the forty-second year of our reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

BY THE KING — A PROCLAMATION.
In order to the Electing and Summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland.

GEORGE R.

Whereas we have, in our Council, thought fit, to declare our pleasure for summoning and holding a Parliament of our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland on Tuesday the thirty-first day of August next ensuing the date hereof: In order, therefore, to the electing and summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, who are to sit in the House of Peers in the said Parliament, we do, by the advice of our Privy Council, issue forth our Royal proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood House, in Edinburgh, on Tuesday the tenth day of August next ensuing, between the hours of twelve and two in the afternoon, to nominate and chuse the Sixteen Peers, to sit and vote in the House of Peers, in the said ensuing Parliament, by open election and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent (such proxies being Peers, and

producing a mandate in writing duly signed before witnesses, and both the constituent and proxy being qualified according to law). And the Lord Clerk Register or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session, as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made, and duly examined, to certify the names of the Sixteen Peers so elected, and sign and attest the same, in the presence of the said Peers the Electors; and return such certificate into our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain. And we do, by this our proclamation, strictly command and require the Provost of Edinburgh, and all the other Magistrates of the said, to take especial care to preserve the peace thereof during the time of the said election; and to prevent all manner of riots, tumults, disorders, and violence whatsoever. And we strictly charge and command, that this our Royal proclamation be duly published at the market cross at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns of Scotland, twenty-five days at least before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed to such election.

Witness Ourselves at Windsor the ninth day of June one thousand eight hundred and two, in the forty-second year of our reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

