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St. James's, December 20.

THE following Address of the Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, has been presented to His Majesty by Dr. Robert Hamilton, Professor of Divinity in the University of Edinburgh, their Moderator; Dr. George Wilhart, Dr. Alexander Webster, Dr. George Kay, Dr. John Jardine, Ministers of Edinburgh; and Gilbert Elliot, Esq; one of the Lords of the Admiralty, and an Elder of that Church: They were introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Holderness, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty.

May it please your Majesty,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Ministers and Elders met in the Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, humbly beg Leave to take this first Opportunity of presenting to your Majesty our sincere Expressions of Condolence for the Loss which your Majesty, and the Nation have sustained, by the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign.

When we reflect on the many eminent Virtues which adorned his Character, and the Prosperity we enjoyed under his long and happy Reign, we cannot but be affected with the deepest Concern for the Loss of a Life so valuable and important.

At the same Time we do most thankfully acknowledge the Goodness of God, who raised up a Successor in that Royal Family, which hath been so remarkably the Blessing and Glory of these Kingdoms.

Permit us, Sir, in all Humility, to approach your Sacred Person with our most hearty Congratulations upon your Majesty's happy Accession to the Crown of your Ancestors. The early Discoveries you have given of that Greatness of Mind and Goodness of Heart, which form true Majesty, and ensure the Happiness of a free People; your gracious Declaration, expressing your tenderest Affection for this your native Country, and your Resolution to preserve and strengthen the Constitution both in Church and State, are to us the surest Pledges of the continued Prosperity and Glory of Great Britain, and make us reflect, with Gratitude to Almighty God, upon that happy Period when our Religion and Liberties were secured by the Settlement of the Succession to the Crown in the Illustrious House of Hannover.

Rejoicing with our Fellow Subjects in the Security of all our important Interests under your Majesty's Government, we have a peculiar Satisfaction, and an entire Confidence in the solemn Assurance your Majesty has given us, that you will inviolably maintain and preserve the Rights and Privileges of the Church of Scotland as by Law established.

Bound as we are to your Majesty, by every Tie of Duty and Interest, we beg you to be assured of our unshaken Fidelity, and inviolable Attachment to your Majesty's Person and Government.

Impress with these Sentiments, we shall not fail to inculcate upon the Minds of a loyal People, the Principles of Duty and Obedience to your Majesty, and to use our utmost Endeavours to promote the pious Design of your Royal Proclamation against Profaneness and Immorality.

That the God of all Grace may abundantly bless you with all Spiritual and Temporal Blessings; that your Reign may be long and glorious; that your Throne may be established in Righteousness, and in the Affections of your People; that the Lord of Hosts may continue to bless your Arms, and those of your Allies, with signal Success; that the Calamities of this just and necessary War, may speedily terminate in an honourable and lasting Peace; and that when

your Majesty has acted your Part with Honour and Renown as a faithful Servant of God upon Earth, you may shine with the highest Glory in the heavenly Kingdom, are the sincere and fervent Prayers of,

May it please your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most faithful, most dutiful, and most loyal Subjects,

The Ministers and Elders met in the Commission of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Signed in our Name, in our Presence, and at our Appointment, by

Robert Hamilton, Moderator.

Edinburgh, Nov. 19, 1760.

To which Address His Majesty was pleased to return the following most gracious Answer.

THE Zeal and Fidelity the Church of Scotland express for My Person and Government, in this dutiful and loyal Address, are very agreeable to Me, and I thank them for it: They may depend upon My constant Support and Protection.

The following Address of the Noblemen, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Berwick, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Noblemen, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Berwick.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the Noblemen, Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of Berwick, met at the County Town this Day, most humbly beg Leave, amidst the Acclamations of your Subjects, to approach your Royal Presence upon this most interesting Occasion.

We do most sincerely condole with your Majesty upon the Death of our late most gracious Sovereign, your Majesty's Royal Grandfather, whom it has pleased God to take from us, when he was full of Years, and full of Glory; when the Love of his People could receive no Addition, and when the Nation had nothing to desire, but the Establishment of the Prosperity they enjoyed.

Permit us, Sire, at the same Time to congratulate your Majesty upon your Accession to the Throne of your Ancestors. Your Majesty's many Princely Virtues give us the most solid Assurances of national Felicity; and your being born a Briton, essentially compleats the Union of the two Parts of this Island; one great Object of which Union was the Succession of your Majesty's Royal House to the Crown of the united Kingdom.

We have only now to wish, Sire, that your Subjects may be worthy of you, and may deserve, that Providence should long continue to us the Blessing of your Majesty to reign over us: And we beg Leave to offer to your Majesty our most determined Assurances of Duty, Zeal and Obedience.

Signed by Order and Appointment of the Meeting, and in their Presence, at Greenlaw, this Eleventh of December, One thousand seven hundred and sixty Years, by Sir Robert Pringle, of Stutchel, Baronet, their Preses.

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The following Address of the Dean and Faculty of Advocates in Scotland, has been presented to His Majesty: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the King's most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Dean and Faculty of Advocates