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WHEREAS on the 12th March 1823, a Convention between His Britannick Majesty and The King of Spain was concluded and signed at Madrid, for the purpose of establishing a Commission to consider and to decide upon all Cases that shall be brought before it, properly authenticated, of the Capture and Seizure of British Vessels, or Detention of Property belonging to the Subjects of His Britannick Majesty, from the Déclaration of Peace between England and Spain of the 4th July 1808 to the 12th of March 1823; as also upon all Cases that should be brought before it of the Capture or Seizure of Spanish Vessels, or Detention of Property belonging to the Subjects of His Catholick Majesty during the same period, of which the following is a Copy:—

Convention between His Majesty and The King of the Spains for the amicable Adjustment of Complaints respecting the Capture and Detention of British Vessels and Property by Spanish Authorities.

Signed at Madrid, March 12, 1823.

HIS Majesty The King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty The King of the Spains, equally animated by the desire of arriving at an amicable adjustment of the various complaints which have been from time to time laid before the Spanish Government, of the capture of Vessels, and seizure and detention of Property belonging to British Subjects, by Spanish Authorities, as well as of other grievances; Their said Majesties have been pleased to name Plenipotentiaries for the conclusion of a Convention for the attainment of this desirable purpose, to wit: His Britannick Majesty, the Right Honourable Sir William à Court, Baronet, Knight Grand Cross of the Order of the Bath, one of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and

Convenio entre Sus Magestades Católica y Británica, para el Ajuste amistoso de las quejas, sobre apresamiento de Buques y Detencion de Propiedades Britanicas, par Algunas Autoridades Españolas.

Firmado en Madrid, á 12 de Marzo de 1823.

SU Magestad El Rey de las Españas, y Su Magestad El Rey del Reyno Unido de la Gran Bretaña é Irlanda, igualmente animados del deseo de alejar todo motivo de desavenencia entre las dos Naciones, procediendo á un ajuste amistoso de las quejas que en diferentes epocas han sido dadas al Gobierno Español, sobre apresamiento de buques, y detencion de propiedades pertenecientes á subditos Ingleses, por algunas Autoridades Españolas, y otros agravios: han tenido á bien nombrar por Sus Plenipotenciarios, para la conclusion de un Convenio especial sobre dicho objeto, á saber:—Su Magestad Católica, á Don Evaristo San Miguel, Coronel de Infanteria, Ayudante General del Estado Mayor de los Egercitos Nacionales, Secretario del Despacho de Estado: Y Su Magestad Británica,