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Earl Marshal's Office, 8, Buckingham Gate, S.W.1. October 12th, 1936.

THE KING's Most Excellent Majesty having been pleased to command me, as Earl Marshal of England, to prepare and countersign letters to be passed under the Royal Sign Manual, requiring the attendance of the Peers and Peeresses of Great Britain at the solemnity of the Royal Coronation of His Majesty, and the King having been further pleased to command me to prepare such letters also for those Peers of Ireland whose right to vote at the election of a representative Peer for Ireland has, on claim made on their behalf, been admitted by the House of Lords and who are not now Members of the House of Commons, I do hereby request that all those Peers who, in conformity with the above regulations, are entitled to assist at the solemnity of the Royal Coronation of His Majesty, will be pleased to transmit their respective addresses to me at this office; and that the Dowager-Peeresses and Peeresses who desire to attend at the said Coronation, will be also pleased to transmit their respective Christian names and addresses to me, in order that their letters of summons may be prepared without delay.

> NORFOLK, Earl Marshal.

Note.—Only those Peers and Peeresses who reply to the above intimation before the first day of December, 1936, will receive the Royal Command to attend the Ceremony of the Coronation.

It is to be understood that the above Orders refer to all English, Scottish and Irish Peers (except Peers who are minors, and Irish Peers who have seats in the House of Commons), Peeresses in their own right, the widows of Peers, and the wives of living Peers, including the wives of Irish Peers who have seats in the House of Commons.

Widows of Peers who have remarried under the rank of the Peerage are not entitled to such summons.

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THE Earl Marshal's Order concerning the Robes, Coronets, &c., which are to be worn by the Peers at the Coronation of His Most Sacred Majesty King Edward the Eighth.

These are to give notice to all Peers who attend at the Coronation of His Majesty that the robe or mantle of the Peers be of crimson velvet, edged with miniver, the cape furred with miniver pure and powdered with bars or rows of ermine (i.e., narrow pieces of black fur), according to their degree, viz.:—

Barons, two rows.
Viscounts, two rows and a half.
Earls, three rows.
Marquesses, three rows and a half.
Dukes, four rows.

The said mantles or robes to be worn over full Court dress, uniform, or regimentals.

The coronets to be of silver gilt; the caps of crimson velvet turned up with ermine, with