

WHEREAS, for divers urgent and ardent affairs, Us, the state and defence of Our said Province concerning, We did summon and command You on the day and at the Township aforesaid, to be present, to treat, consent and conclude upon those things, which, in Our said Provincial Parliament, should then and there be proposed and deliberated upon: We, for divers causes and considerations Us to this especially moving, have thought fit to prorogue our said Provincial Parliament, so that You nor any of You on the said Twenty-sixth day of May at our Township of Kingston to appear, are to be held or constrained; for We do will upon that You and each of You, be as to Us in this matter entirely exonerated; commanding and by the tenor of these presents firmly enjoining You, and every of You, and all others in this behalf interested, that on the Fourteenth day of June next, at Our Township of Kingston aforesaid, personally You be and appear for the Dispatch of Business, to treat, do, act, and conclude upon those things which in Our said Provincial Parliament, by the Common Council of Our said Province may, by the favour of God, be ordained.

In Testimony Whereof, We have caused these our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of Canada to be hereunto affixed.—Witness Our right trusty and well beloved the Right Honourable Charles, Baron Sydenham, of Sydenham, in the County of Kent, and Toronto in Canada, one of Our most Honorable Privy Council, Governor General of British North America, and Captain General and Governor in Chief in and over Our Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and the Island of Prince Edward, and Vice Admiral of the same, at Our Government House, in Our City of Montreal, in Our said Province of Canada, the Thirtieth day of April, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-one, and in the Fourth year of Our Reign.

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THOMAS AMIOT, *Clerk of the Crown in Chancery.*