

FIAT.

Recorded in the Register's Office of the Records, at *Quebec*, the 12th day of April, 1838, in the Fifteenth Register of Letters Patent and Commissions.

D. DALY,  
Reg.

**Commission appointing *George B. Faribault*, Esquire, to be Assistant Clerk of the Special Council.**

PROVINCE OF  
LOWER CANADA. }

J. COLBORNE.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

To Our Faithful and Loving Subject, *George B. Faribault*, Esquire, of Our City of *Quebec*, GREETING :—

WHEREAS we have power, by and with the advice and consent of the Special Council constituted for the affairs of *Lower Canada*, to make Laws for the peace, welfare, and good Government thereof, pursuant to the Statute in that case lately made and provided: Know you therefore, that having confidence in your loyalty, ability, and integrity, you, the said *George B. Faribault*, We have nominated, constituted, and appointed, and by these presents do nominate, constitute, and appoint to the Office and place of Assistant Clerk of the said Special Council, for performing all and every the duties thereunto belonging. To have and to hold the said Office and place by you for and during Our pleasure and your actual residence within Our said Province. Together with all the rights, powers, authorities, profits, and emoluments which to the same Office and place of Assistant Clerk of the said Special Council do belong, or of right ought to belong and appertain.

IN TESTIMONY whereof, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province of *Lower Canada* to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS our Trusty and Well-Beloved Sir JOHN COLBORNE, Knight Grand Cross of the most Honorable Military Order of the Bath, and of the Royal Hanoverian Guelphic Order, Lieutenant General and Commander of Our Forces in the Provinces of *Lower Canada* and *Upper Canada*, and Administrator of the Government of the said Province of *Lower Canada*.

At Our Government House, in Our City of *Montreal*, in Our said Province of *Lower Canada*, the Twelfth day of April, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, and in the first year of Our Reign.

J. C.

D. DALY,  
Secretary.