

of America, for adjusting and terminating all subsisting differences and disputes, from whatever Cause the same may have arisen between Us and the said United States or between our subjects and the people or Inhabitants of the said States; for removing the Grounds of future dissensions, and for promoting and extending the mutual Intercourse of Trade and Commerce between our Dominions and the Territories of the United States, We have thought proper to invest some fit person with full powers on our part to confer, treat and conclude with John Jay, Esq. the Envoy Extraordinary of the said United States to our Court, now residing at our said Court, and duly authorized in that behalf on the part of the said United States. Now know ye, that we reposing especial Trust and Confidence in the Wisdom, Loyalty, Diligence and Circumspection of our right trusty and well-beloved Counsellor William Wyndham, Baron Grenville of Wotton, and our principal Secretary of state for Foreign Affairs, have nominated, constituted and appointed and by these Presents do nominate, constitute and appoint him our true, certain and undoubted Commissioner: Procurator and Plenipotentiary: giving and granting to him all and all manner and faculty, power and authority together with general as well as special orders (so as the general do not derogate from the special, nor on the contrary) for us and in our name to meet, confer, treat and conclude with the said minister, furnished with sufficient powers on the part of our said good Friends the United States of America, of and concerning all such