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The Society taking into their ferious confideration the abfolute neceffity there is, that those Clergymen, who are fent abroad, should be duly qualified for the work to which they are appointed, defire every one, who recommends any perfon to them for that purpose, to testify his knowlege, as to the following particulars:

- 1. The age of the perfon.
- 2. His condition of life, whether fingle or married.
- 3. His temper.
- 4. His prudence.
- 5.His learning.
- 6. His fober and pious conversation.
- 7. His zeal for the Christian religion, and diligence in his holy calling.
- 8. His affection to the prefent Government.
- 9. His conformity to the doctrine and discipline of the Church of England.

And the Society requeft all perfons concerned, that they recommend no man out of favour or affection, or any other worldly confideration, but with a fincere regard to the honour of Alraighty GoD, and our bleffed SAVIOUR; as they tender the intereft of the Christian Religion, and the good of mens fouls.

But if any perfon should appear abroad in the character of a Clergyman of the Church of England,

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