

If we are OBLIGED to succour his Majesty's ELECTORAL Dominions, it is either because they are subject to the same Prince, or because we are in general obliged to indemnify every State, which suffers Loss, or Inconvenience, by the Course of the War. If the former be insisted on, it will be found, upon Inquiry, to be an Obligation of PERSONAL GRATITUDE, rather than JUSTICE. When it is founded on this Motive, very few good Subjects would be rigid enough to dispute the Claim with the present King. But the Dominions are too distinct from *Great-Britain*, in every Sense, to support a Demand of national Justice, upon the single Principle of His Majesty's being the Sovereign of Both.

If the other be the Plea, that Justice obliges us to indemnify those States, who

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