

Year, to receive, discuss and examine all Propositions and Memorials relating to Colonies, Commerce and Manufactures that shall be sent to it, and to consider of adequate Encouragements to such as shall send them in, and also to be wholly attentive to the examining and promoting whatever may be most advantageous to Commerce, as well by Land as by Sea, within the Kingdom and out of it, and concerning Works or Fabricks, and Manufactures.

THE Reports of such a Board may, from Time to Time, be made to his Majesty in Council, *and be referr'd to the Lords Commissioners for Trade and Plantations in the usual Course*; and the Parliament will, when they please, call for such Informations and Proceedings as they shall think proper: Matters thus previously examin'd, discuss'd and reported, will carry more Weight, and be receiv'd with more Attention, than the Applications of any private Man, or any particular Set of Men in the usual Manner, which are commonly attended with tedious Delays, artful Oppositions, or Imperfections in some Shape or other.

The Advantages of the *African Trade* to this Nation, and a Scheme *to revive, secure and extend that Trade*, according to the second Article of Proposals, may be seen at large in the Appendix mark'd A.

THE third Article of Proposals, *to encourage a Consumption or Vent of the Products of our Plantations*, is divided into four Parts or Appendixes, mark'd B. C. D. E. under the following Heads, viz.

B. *A Proposal for an additional Bounty on the Exportation of all British Sugars to foreign Markets, with Observations thereon.*

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