



ROYAL INSTRUCTIONS TO GOVERNOR  
GENERAL.

CANADA:

DRAFT OF INSTRUCTIONS *passed under the Royal Sign Manual and Signet to the Right Honorable the Earl of Dufferin, K.P., K.C.B., as Governor-General of Canada.*

VICTORIA R.

INSTRUCTIONS to Our Right Trusty and Right Well-Beloved Cousin and Councillor, Frederick Temple, Earl of Dufferin, Knight of Our Most Illustrious Order of Saint Patrick, Knight Commander of Our Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Our Governor General in and Over Our Dominion of Canada, or in his absence, to Our Lieutenant-Governor, or the Officer administering the Government of Our said Dominion of Canada for the time being. Given at Our Court at Balmoral, this Twenty-second day of May, 1872, in the Thirty-fifth Year of Our Reign.

WHEREAS, by a Commission under the Great Seal of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, bearing even date herewith, we have constituted and appointed you, the said Frederick Temple, Earl of Dufferin, to be Our Governor General in and over Our Dominion of Canada, for and during Our Will and Pleasure, and have further authorized and commanded you to do and execute all things in due manner that shall