

The committee have been informed, that it is the intention of his Excellency the Governor to recommend to your Lordship, that a governor and council should be appointed with legislative powers, such an unconstitutional government would be most obnoxious, and the people would prefer remaining in their present state. The committee, therefore, most humbly request, that your Lordship will not give your sanction to such a system of government.

(signed)	Patrick Morris, Chairman.	John Wynn.
	William Carson.	John Burke.
	Patrick Doyle.	Timothy Hogan.
	George Lilly.	R. Brine.
	Thomas Best.	Robert R. Wakeham.
	Henry Shea.	

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Copy of the APPOINTMENT of RICHARD ALEXANDER TUCKER, Esquire,
to the Office of CHIEF JUSTICE of Newfoundland.

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GEORGE THE FOURTH, by the grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King, Defender of the faith; TO Our trusty and well beloved Richard Alexander Tucker, esquire, greeting; WE, reposing especial trust and confidence in your loyalty, integrity and ability, do by these presents constitute and appoint you to be Our Chief Justice of our Supreme Court of Judicature, in Our Island of Newfoundland, in America, in the room of Francis Forbes, esquire, to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said office for and during Our pleasure, with such limitations and restrictions as are contained in Our charter erecting the said Supreme Court of Judicature in Our said Island: And for so doing this shall be your warrant. Given at Our Court at Carlton House, the first day of October 1822, in the third year of Our reign.

BY HIS MAJESTY'S COMMAND.

(countersigned) BATHURST.

Richard Alexander Tucker, Esquire,
to be Chief Justice of Newfoundland in America.