

TO

THE KING.

SIR,

YOUR MAJESTY having been graciously pleased to permit my late brother, CAPTAIN GEORGE VANCOUVER, to present to YOUR MAJESTY the narrative of his labours, during the execution of your commands in the Pacific Ocean, I presume to hope that, since it has pleased the Divine Providence to withdraw him from YOUR MAJESTY's Service, and from the society of his Friends, before he could avail himself of that condescension, YOUR MAJESTY will, with the same benignity, vouchsafe to accept it

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