

scendencia entre en la Subcesion de esta Monarchia el Duque de *Savoya*, y sus hijos, y Descendientes Masculinos, nacidos en Constante legitimo Matrimonio, y en defecto de sus Lineas Masculinas, el Principe *Amadeo* de *Carignan*, y sus hijos, y descendientes Masculinos, nacidos en constante legitimo Matrimonio; y en defecto de sus Lineas el Principe *Thomas Hermano* del Principe de *Carignan* sus hijos, y descendientes masculinos, nacidos en constante legitimo Matrimonio, que por descendientes de la Infanta Doña *Catharina* Hija de el S. *Phelipe* segundo y llamamientos expresos, tienen derecho claro y conocido, supuesta la amistad y perpetua Alianza, que se deve solicitar y conseguir del Duque de *Savoya*, y su descendencia con esta Corona; devriendose creer, que con esta esperanza perpetua y incesable, Sea el fiel invariable de la Valanza, en que amistosamente se equilibren todas las Potencias fatigadas del Sudor y incertidumbre de las Vatalas; no quedando algun arbitrio a ninguna de las partes para alterar este Equilibrio federal, por via de ningun Contrato,

gitimo Matrimonio nati; & deficiente ejus Linea Masculina, Princeps *Amadeus* à *Carignano*, ejusque Filii, & Descendentes Masculi, in constanti & legitimo Matrimonio nati; & ejus Linea deficiente, Princeps *Thomas* frater ejusdem Principis à *Carignano*, ejusque Filii & Descendentes Masculi, in constanti & legitimo Matrimonio nati, qui ex Infante Domnâ *Catharina*, Domni *Philippi* Secundi Filiâ, originem trahentes, jus clarum & cognitum expressâ vocatione habent, positâ amicitia, positoque Fœdere perpetuo, à Duce *Sabaudia*, & ejus Descendentibus cum hac Coronâ, sollicitando & obtinendo; & sic cum hac spe perpetuâ & indefinente, credendum est æquabile Trutinæ Examen fore immutabile; omnesque Potestates sudoribus & incerto præliorum eventu fatigatas, amicabiliter pari æquilibrio fore æquatas: sic hujus fœderalis æquilibrii alteratio, per viam Contractus, Renunciationis, Retrocessionisve in nullius partis arbitrio remanens, stabilitatis ejus certissimum est argumentum; quæ ratio est illud admittendi, fundamentalem formando Constitutionem, quæ ut Lex immutabilis

this end by *England* with Me, and with the King my Grandfather, That in failure of Me, and of my Issue, the Duke of *Savoy*, and his Sons, and Descendants, being Males, born in constant lawful Marriage, are to enter upon the Succession of this Monarchy; and in default of his Male-Line, the Prince *Amadeo* of *Carignan*, and his Sons, and Descendants, being Males, born in constant lawful Marriage; and in default of his Line, Prince *Thomas*, Brother of the Prince of *Carignan*, his Sons, and Descendants, being Males, born in constant lawful Marriage, who, as Descendants of the Infanta, *Donna Catharina*, Daughter of *Philip* the Second, and being expressly called, have a clear and known Right, supposing the Friendship and perpetual Alliance, which the Duke of *Savoy*, and his Descendants are to solicit and obtain from this Crown; it being to be believed, that by this perpetual and never-ceasing Hope, the Needle of the Balance may remain invariable, and all the Powers, wearied with the Toil and Uncertainty of Battles, may be amicably kept in an equal Poise; it not remaining in the Dis-