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Our Province of Lower Canada, by and with the Advice of Our Executive Council thereof, hath thought fit to fix and limit the next Court of Common Pleas for the said District of Montreal accordingly. KNOW YE therefore, that We have ordained, and do hereby ordain and declare that the next ensuing Session of Our Court of Common Pleas for the said District of Montreal, may and shall open and commence on the said First Day of November next, and continue during the whole of the said Month of November, Sundays and Holidays excepted, of which all concerned are to take notice and govern themselves accordingly. IN TESTIMONY whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made patent, and the Great Seal of Our Province of Lower Canada to be hereunto affixed WITNESS Our trusty and well beloved Alured Clarke, Esquire, Our Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of Lower Canada, and Major General commanding Our Forces in North America, at the Castle of Saint Lewis, in Our City of Quebec and Province aforesaid, the Eleventh Day of October in the Thirty-second Year of Our Reign.

A.C.

GEO: POWNALL, Secy.

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ALURED CLARKE,

GEORGE the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain, France and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and so forth. To Our much beloved and faithful Legislative Councillors of Our Province of Lower Canada, and to Our faithful and well-beloved the Knights, Citizens and Burgesses of Our said Province, to an Assembly at Our City of Quebec on the Tenth Day of July last, to have been commenced and held, called and elected, and to every of you, Greeting: WHEREAS We for divers arduous and urgent Affairs Us the State and Defence of Our said Province concerning, Our Assembly at the Day and place aforesaid to be held, did ordain, and you by Our Writ at the City and Day aforesaid to be present, We did command, to treat, consent and conclude upon those Things which in Our Assembly should then and there be proposed and deliberated upon, and the said Assembly for certain causes and considerations, Us to this specially moving, We did prorogue to the twelfth day of November next, and our said Assembly we have thought fit further to prorogue, so that you, nor any of you on the said twelfth day of November next, at Our said City to appear are to be held or constrained, for We do will therefore, that you and each of you, be as to Us in that Matter entirely exonerated, And being willing that you should actually meet and proceed to the dispatch of business, We command and by the Tenor of these Presents firmly enjoin you and every of you, and all others in this behalf interested that on monday the seventeenth day of December next at our said city of Quebec, personally you be and appear and every of you be and appear to treat, do, act and conclude upon those Things which in Our said Assembly by the Common-Council of Our said Province by the Favor of God may be ordained. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, these Our Letters We have caused to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be thereunto affixed. WITNESS Our Trusty and Well beloved Alured Clarke, Esquire, Lieutenant Governor and Commander in Chief of Our said Province of Lower Canada, and Major General commanding Our Forces in North America, at the Castle of Saint Lewis in Our City of Quebec in Our said Province of Lower Canada, the thirty-first day of October, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety-two, and of Our Reign the Thirty-third.

A.C.

Finlay, C.C. in Ch.

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