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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL OFFICE,  
YORK, 27th JANUARY, 1816.

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PUBLIC Notice is hereby given by order of His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor in Council, that no Petition from Sons or Daughters of U. E. Loyalists will be hereafter received without a Certificate from the Magistrates in Quarter Sessions, signed by the Chairman and Clerk of the Peace, that the Parent retained his Loyalty during the late War, and was under no suspicion of aiding or assisting the Enemy—and if a Son, then of age, that he also was Loyal during the late War, and did his duty in defence of the Province—and if a Daughter of an U. E. Loyalist married, that her Husband was Loyal, and did his duty in defence of the Province.

*John Kneller  
Clerk*

See G. C. July 1818  
as to Sons married since  
the peace.

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FORM OF CERTIFICATE.

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DISTRICT, WE A. B. Chairman, and C. D. Clerk of the Peace, Certify that E. F. personally appeared at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace this day, is recognized by the Magistrates to be the Son of G. H. of who retained his Loyalty during the late War without suspicion of aiding or assisting the Enemy—and that the said E. F. did his duty in defence of the Province during the late War.

Dated at the Court House at

in the said District

this

day of

1816