The whilk day His Grace the Duke of Queensberry, His Majesty's Commissioners, produced in profound of Parliament and Commission Granted by His Majesty under His Great Seal to him to represent His Majesty's person and authority as His Majesty's Commissioner in this Parliament, Which Commission being openly read was appointed to be recorded in the book of Parliament, Whereof the tenor follows.

Jacobus Dei gratia Magnae Britanniae Franciae et Hiberniae Rex fideiique DEFensor Omnibus probis hominibus suis ad quos præsumus solum nostræ seruentiæ salutem 
Quandoquidem Nos gravibus magnis momentis considerationibus prævis trium hujus—
Nos Societatis Antiqui Regni Ordinis Comitum Edinburgi Nono die Monis—