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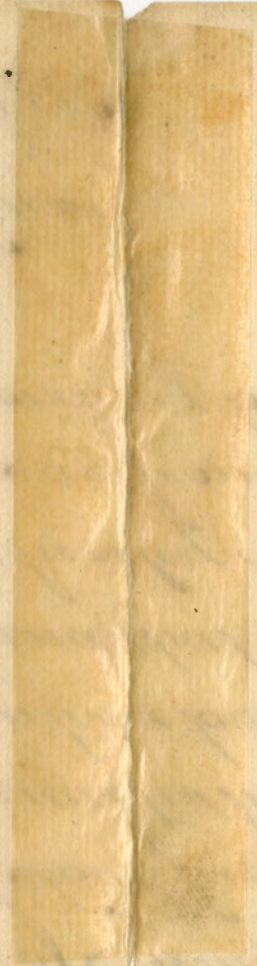
By the Hon^{ble} Gilbert Kemmingh: Lieutenant General and
Commander in Chief of all His Majesty's Leeward Charibbee Islands
in America Chancellor and Ordinary of the same

Whereas His Sacred Majesty King George the Second by Letters Patent under the Great
Seal of Great Britain and His Royal Instructions attending the same has given and granted
to His Chief Governor of His Leeward Charibbee Islands & in case of his death or absence to His Lieutenant
General of His said Leeward Charibbee Islands full power and authority to appoint all Officers Civil
& Military within these His Majesty's Leeward Charibbee Islands Therefore I reposing special Trust
and Confidence in your courage prudence and Loyalty Do hereby nominate constitute & appoint
You Charles Lynn Burt Esq. to be Colonel of all His Majesty's Forts and Fortifications in
the Island of Nevis in the room of Edward Symonds Esq. You are therefore to take the said
Forts and Fortifications as Colonel thereof under your care and charge seeing that all
the Cannon with their Carriages, and all the Arms ammunition and Store of Warr therein, and
which from time to time shall be therein be always safely kept and in good order or properly
expended and that all the Gunners and Muntrosses do Diligently perform their respective Dutys
they being hereby commanded to obey you as their Colonel And you are to observe and follow
such Orders as from time to time you shall receive from the Commander in Chief, or other Superior
Officer according to the Rules and discipline of Warr.

By His Honour's Command
Alex. Horne

Given under my hand and Seal this 11 day of
November 1752 In the Twenty Sixth year of His
Majesty's Reign —
Gilbert Kemmingh

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Corp of Forts &
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