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By the King,

## A PROCLAMATION,

For Calling a new Parliament.

GEORGE R.

**W**Hereas by our Royal Proclamation bearing Date the Tenth Day of this Month of March, we did dissolve the last Parliament, and declared our Intentions of speedily calling a new one; We do hereby accordingly further declare, That with the Advice of our Privy Council we have this Day given Order to our Chancellor of Great Britain to issue our Writs in due Form for the calling a new Parliament, which Writs are to bear Teste the Fourteenth Day of this Instant March, and to be returnable on Thursday the Tenth Day of May next following.

Given at our Court at St. James's, the Thirteenth Day of March, 1721, in the Eighth Year of our Reign.

God save the KING.

By the King,

## A PROCLAMATION,

In order to the Electing and Summoning the Sixteen Peers.

GEORGE R.

**W**Hereas we have in Council thought fit to declare our Pleasure, for summoning and holding a Parliament of Great Bri-

tain on Thursday the Tenth Day of May next; In order therefore to the Electing and Summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, who are to sit in the House of Peers in the said Parliament, We do by the Advice of our Privy Council issue forth this our Royal Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at our Royal Palace of Holy Rood House in Edingburgh, on Saturday the One and Twentieth Day of April next, between the Hours of Twelve and Two in the Afternoon, to nominate and chuse the Sixteen Peers to Sit and Vote in the House of Peers in the said ensuing Parliament, by open Election and Plurality of Voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the Proxies for such as shall be absent, such Proxies being Peers, and producing a Mandate in Writing duly signed before Witnesses, and both the Constituent and Proxy being qualified according to Law. And the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session, as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his Name, are hereby respectively required to attend such Meeting, and to administer the Oaths required by Law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their Votes, and immediately after such Election made and duly examined, to certify the Names of the Sixteen Peers so elected, and sign and attest the same in the Presence of the said Peers the Electors, and return such Certificate into our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain. And we strictly charge and command, that this our Royal Proclamation be duly published at the Market-Cross at Edingburgh, and in all the County Towns of Scotland, Twenty Five Days at least before the  
Time

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