

P. R. O. With this her Majesties Instructions his Excy recomēds to you the Explanatory observations from the R<sup>t</sup> hon<sup>ble</sup> the Com<sup>rs</sup> of Trade and Plantations herewith sent you.

2<sup>d</sup> You are to obserue in the passing of Laws that the Style of Enacting the Same be by the Governour Councill & assembly, and noe other, You are alsoe as much as possibly to obserue [sic] in the passing of all Laws, that whatever may be requisite, upon each different matter be accordingly provided for by a different Law, without intermixing in one and the same act such things as haue noe proper relaon to each other, and you are more Especially to take care th<sup>t</sup> noe clause or clauses be inserted in, or annexed to any act which Shall be forraigne to what the Title of such respectiue acts imports.

3. You are to take care that in all acts or orders to be passed within that our Province, in any case for Levying money and imposeing fines and penaltyes express mention be made that the same is granted or reserued to us our heirs and and Successors for the Publick uses of that our Province, and the Support of the Governement thereof, as by the said act or order shall be directed

4. and wee doe particularly require and coṃand that noe money or vallue of money whatsoever be given or granted by act or order of Assembly to any Govern<sup>r</sup> Lieuetenn<sup>t</sup> Govern<sup>r</sup> or Commander in Chiefe of our said Province, w<sup>ch</sup> shall not accordeing to the state of acts of Paliament in England be mentioned to be given and granted unto us with the humble desire of such assembly, that the same be applyed to the use and behoofe of such Governour, Lieuetennant Govern<sup>r</sup> or commander in chiefe, if we shall think fitt.

5: And whereas the gen<sup>l</sup> Assembly of our said Province has by severall Temporary laws Enacted that a duty of three pence Sterling per hhd upon all Tob<sup>o</sup> exported out of the said Province (over and aboue the aforementioned moyety of two shillings p hhd) should be paid unto us our heirs and Successors dureing the tyme limittied by Each act respectiue for the Support of the Governour of the s<sup>d</sup> Province Wee being willing that a like provision be made for your better support and maintenance in the said Governem<sup>t</sup> are graciously pleased and doe hereby direct, that if the Generall Assembly of our Province shall pass an act for Settling upon us the whole Duty of three pence p hhd, dureing yo<sup>r</sup> continuance in the said Governement or for longer Tyme, You may (in that case) receiue and take the same unto yo<sup>r</sup> own use, over and aboue the three fourth parts of the forementioned Moyety of two shills p hhd, as before directed.

6: And you are to recomēd to the next generall Assembly the raising of such other Supplyes, from tyme to tyme as may