TO all Commanders of His Majesty's Ships of War and Privateers, and all others whom it may concern, greeting.

WHEREAS it hath been represented to the Lords of the Council by Claes Grill & Son.

That They are desirous of obtaining a Licence or ...ss for permitting Twelve Vessels sailing under any Flag, to proceed with Twelve Cargoes of such Goods as are permitted by Virtue of His Majesty's Order in Council of the 11th of November 1807 to be Imported from Russia, Sweden or any Port in the Baltic to any of the Ports of the United Kingdom and that the Masters may be permitted to receive their Freight, and depart with their Vessels & Crews to any Port not Blockaded.

I the Undersigned, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in pursuance of the Authority given to me by His Majesty by Order of Council, under and by virtue of Powers given to His Majesty by an Act, passed in the Forty-eighth Year of His Majesty's Reign, intituled, 'An 'Act to permit Goods secured in Warehouses in the Port of London, 'to be removed to the Out Ports for Exportation to any Part of Europe; 'for empowering His Majesty to direct that Licences, which His Majesty 'is authorized to grant under His Sign Manual, may be granted by One 'of the Principal Secretaries of State; and for enabling His Majesty to 'permit the Exportation of Goods in Vessels of less Burthen than are 'now

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now allowed by Law, during the present Hostilities, and until One 'Month after the Signature of the Preliminary Articles of Peace;' and in pursuance of an Order of Council specially authorizing the Grant of this Licence, a Duplicate of which Order of Council is hereunto annexed, do hereby grant this Licence for the Purposes set forth in the said Order of Council, and do hereby direct the Commanders of all His Majesty's Ships of War and Privateers not to interrupt the said Vessels, but suffer them to proceed as aforesaid, notwithstanding all the Documents which accompany the Ships and Cargoes may represent the same to be destined to any - - - - Neutral or Hostile Port: Provided that if any of the said Vessels come from Sweden, the Cargoes of such Vessels (not being Swedish) shall consist of Naval Stores only. That the Names & Tonnage of all the Vessels, Names of their Masters, & Time of their Clearance from their Port of Lading shall be endorsed on this Licence. That they shall be permitted to wear the French Flag, only until they are Two Leagues distant from the Coast, or the Port from which they sail. That if any of the said Vessels have borne the said Flag, Proof (if required) shall be given that such Vessel is not French Built, nor manned with French Seamen.

and that if any Part of the - - - - - Cargo of any of the said Vessels consist of Naval Stores, and be destined for any Port of this Kingdom lying to the South of the Port of Hull ——— the Vessel importing the same shall, unless under the Protection of Convoy, stop at Dundee or Leith, and there obtain a fresh Clearance for the Port of her Destination; and that such Vessel shall not sail from Dundee or Leith without Convoy, and shall proceed with such Convoy, and not desert the same, till her Arrival at the Port of Destination or as long as such Convoy shall be instructed to protect her.

This Licence to remain in force until the End of the first Week in December next - - - - - and at the Expiration of the said Period, or sooner if the Voyage be compleated, to be deposited (as the Case may be) with the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs at the Port of London, or with the Collector of the Customs at the Out Ports.

Given at Whitehall, the Ninth Day of February, 1809
in the forty ninth Year of His Majesty's Reign.

Hawkesbury

Denna Kongl. Stor Brittanniska Regeringens Licence har blifvit utfärdad för mig, Hans Kongl. Svenska Majts Envoye Extraordinaire och Ministre Plenipotentiaire vid Kongl. Stor Brittanniska Hofvet. London den 6 Martii 1809.

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At the COUNCIL CHAMBER, WHITEHALL,

the 10th of February 1809.

Present,

The LORDS of HIS MAJESTY's Most Honourable PRIVY COUNCIL.

Duplicate

WHEREAS there was this Day read at the Board, the humble Petition of Claus Grieve and Son, praying a Licence for permitting twelve Vessels sailing under convoy Orders, to proceed with twelve Cargoes of such Goods, as are permitted by virtue of His Majesty's Order in Council of the 11th of Novr 1807 to be imported from Russia, Sweden or any Port in the Baltic to any of the Ports of the United Kingdom ——

and that the Masters may be permitted to receive their Freight, and depart with their Vessels and Crews to any Port not blockaded: Which Petition being taken into Consideration, It is hereby Ordered in Council, That a Licence be granted to the Petitioners, for the Purpose above set forth, notwithstanding all the Documents which accompany the Ships and Cargoes may represent the same to be destined to any Neutral or Hostile Port; upon Condition, that if any of the said Vessels come from Sweden, the Cargoes of such Vessels (not being Swedish) shall consist of Naval Stores only — That the Names and Tonnage of each the Vessels, Names of their Masters and Time of their Clearance from their Port of Loading shall be endorsed on the said Licence, — That they shall be permitted to keep the Danish Convoy only until they are three Leagues distant from the Coast of the Port from which they sail, — That if any of the said Vessels have come the said Convoy, Proof (if required) shall be given that such Vessel is not Danish built nor navigated with Danish Seamen nor Master — if any Part of the — Cargo of any of the said Vessels consist of Naval Stores, and be destined for any Port of this Kingdom lying to the South of the Port of Hull —— the Vessel importing the same shall, unless under the Protection of Convoy, stop at Dundee or Leith, and there obtain a fresh Clearance for the Port of her Destination; and upon further Condition, that such — Vessel shall not sail from Dundee or Leith without Convoy, and shall proceed with such Convoy, and not desert the same, till — her — Arrival at the Port of Destination, or as long as such Convoy shall be instructed to protect her — Such Licence to remain in force until the end of the

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