

Said Edward, But as I am very well satisfied to the only
 Mind and Purpose that my Interest should not suffer in that behalf
 by waiting for Authentick powers and Authorities in that point
 which at so great a Distance would take up much time & by
 that means prove Detrimental to my Affairs I do there-
 fore for me my heirs Exec. and Adm. Ratify confirm and
 hold for good and valid all whatsoever you have done in the
 Premises hereby obliging my self my heirs Exec. and
 Administrators to have harmless and safe Indemnified as
 well your self as your heirs Executors and Adm. off and from
 all and all manner of Suit Troubles Accounts Charges or
 Demands whatsoever off by or from the heirs Exec. or Adm.
 of the said Edward Comerswell or any other person or persons
 whatsoever on Account of what you have done or caused to be
 done in the premises. **Whereas** upon the Death of
 late Agent Ed. Henry Damale there was no person in the said
 Province duly authorized from me to undertake the Receipt and
 Management of such Branches of Account as my said Agent was
 by me intrusted, and to such that Defect your self my Affairs and
 Interest should suffer in that Respect I do hereupon give the
 necessary Directions in the receiving managing and discharging to me
 the Effects arising by such Branches, do therefore Ratify confirm
 and hold for good and valid all what ever you have done or caused to be
 done in the premises, in as full large and ample manner with all
 Incidents thereunto as if my Commission to you bearing Even date with
 these presents had been actually passed at the time of my said Agent's Death,
 In case of your Death before make any alterations in the
 Instructions to you, or Commission to any other person in your Room
 As in my will and do hereby Order and Incharge Major Nicholas
 Sewall M^r. Henry Damale, and M^r. Edward Duff of my said
 Province the Survivors or Survivors of them to take upon them the
 Execution of the Orders and Authorities of the Commission bearing
 Even Date with these presents and by these Instructions
 Granted