Notice will be given them to make proper Application ——

I am very sorry Your Excellency did not think Yourself at Liberty to take any Notice of that part of the Report made to the Lds Commissioners of the Treasury by the Earl of Loudoun General Abercrombie & Genl. Stanwix which relates to Myself, for indeed if I am to depend on our Assembly for a Reimbursement of the Money which these Generals Report to be due to me which in fact is far short of what I really expended on the Occasions mentioned in the Letter I had the honour to address to You the 13th of March the Debt is become a desperate one: I had before I troubled the Secretary of State about the Matter made Application to the Assembly for a Reimbursement but they would not make me any Allowance the Leading Members alledging that as I had undertaken the several journies mentioned in my Account at the Instance of His Majestys Generals & been detained by them both at NYork & Philada. I ought to apply to His Majesty's Generals for payment of my Expences as well as for the Money I had been obliged to disburse for Letters received or Expresses sent by me on His Majesty's Service. As I did not imagine Your Excellency would think it necessary to retain those several Letters from the Earl of Loudoun & the Generals Abercrombie Forbes & Stanwix which I put into Dr. Ross's hands when he was about to wait on You I kept no Copies of them but as I should be willing to have it in my power on any Occasion to shew what passed between those Generals Myself relative to the Maryland Troops & other things mentioned in those Letters I must desire the favour of Your Excelly in case You are averse to parting with the Original Letters of which I take the Liberty to inclose You a List to let me at least have Copies of them. I am &

—— to Sr. Jeffery Amherst the 13th of May 1762. ——

Sr. Tho I was persuaded there has been no such infamous Trade as Your men— tion in Your Letter dated the 15th of last Month carried on from this