

**To all People to whom these Presents shall come.**

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, Do hereby constitute and appoint  
*Alexander Farson* \_\_\_\_\_ to be an Officer of Customs, and to be employed  
on any Duty or Service relating to the Customs, which WE may from time to time direct, at any Port  
or Place within the United Kingdom; by virtue whereof he hath power to enter into any Ship,  
Bottom, Boat or other Vessel, and also in the day time, with a Writ of Assistance, under the Seal of  
Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer, and taking with him a Constable, Headborough, or other public  
Officer, next inhabiting, to enter into any House, Shop, Cellar, Warehouse, or other Place whatsoever  
within any Port or Place whatsoever, there to make diligent search; and in any case of resistance to  
break open any Door, Trunk, Chest, or any other Package whatsoever, for any uncustomed or prohibited  
Goods, and the same to seize to Her Majesty's Use; and to put and secure the same in the Custom  
House Warehouse, in the Port next to the Place of Seizure. In all which premises he is to proceed  
in such manner as the law directs; hereby praying and requiring all and every Her Majesty's Officers  
and Ministers, and all others whom it may concern, to be aiding and assisting to him in all things as  
becometh.

GIVEN under our Hands, at the Custom-House, London, this *twelfth* \_\_\_\_\_  
Day of *October* \_\_\_\_\_, in the Fifty-*fifth* \_\_\_\_\_ Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady  
Queen VICTORIA, and in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety one.

*Dewis Keyelbach*  
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