

A. N. to Lord North.

To the King and North,

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Windsor Castle Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1779.

There never was a clearer position than that stated in Lord North's note that it would not be justifiable or at least wise to return more favourable answers to the Address of the Irish Houses of Parliament than what has been signed this day by me; the Lord Lieut. of Ireland seems alone to weigh his own personal difficulties and to forget what is owing to his native Country.

*[Faint, illegible handwriting on a piece of paper pasted onto a larger sheet. The text is mirrored across the page, suggesting bleed-through from the reverse side.]*

23 Oct 1779