

Ld. Hertford

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Lord Hertford trusts to his
Majesty's goodness & indulgence
for forgiveness if he errs in giving
his Majesty unnecessary trouble
upon this occasion.

He has just received the letter
inclosed herewith from Monsieur
Diede & as the Baron asks
the liberty of occupying an
apartment at St. James before
the arrival of the King of
Denmark he will not presume
upon this occasion to put
a person of such Rank into any
part of a palace inhabited by
his Majesty & his family without
his permission though he is
persuaded Monsieur Diede asks

it merely for the sake of being
better adapted to satisfy his Majesty's
wishes, & does not foresee any
inconvenience which can attend
it, the different apartments to which
his Majesty has ordered for the
use of the King of Denmark and
his suite being all prepared.

Lord Hertford conversed with
Mr. Dickson yesterday in obedience
to his Majesty's commands & the
Baron took upon himself to assure
that the King of Denmark would
not wish to be met by any of the
King's servants upon the Road &
that as a compliment from his Majesty
upon the King of Denmark's arrival
in his apartment, from his Chamberlain
would be thought perfectly respectful

(Fortescue)

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I sufficient: such a person as now.
Died mentioned in his letter to
accompany the King of Denmark
was not suggested by Lord
Hertford.

Lord Hertford will be upon
this and every other occasion to
testify his obligations and
attachment to the King by doing
his duty & hope his judgment
will not betray Him in submitting
every thing as far as the
importance of it will justify
Him, to his Majesty's pleasure.

London
Aug. 5. 1768.
Past 7 o'clock
in the evening.

[Faint, illegible handwriting on aged paper, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the document.]

*3. August 1708.
John Herford*