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The King sends his kind regards to Lord Bexley, & is very desirous, that he would write to his friend Mr. Lysons, & to state the King's wish, respecting the Marquis of Hastings. The King understands that it is the intention of Lord Hastings's friends in the Court of Directors to move the grant of a further Sum, for his distinguished Services in India. There can be no doubt of the justice & propriety of this measure, & hence it is that the King has no hesitation in making

This personal application to Mr. Grant
 through Lord Bexley. The King is
 of course bound by every tie of affection
 towards his distinguished Friend Lord
 Hastings, with whom the King has
 lived as a Brother, upwards of forty
 years.

King's Lodge.
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The
Lord Bexley.

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