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Sir.

Hanover June 4th 11th 1784

I have this moment received the honour of Your Majesty's letter of the 4th inst; His Royal Highness had already informed ^{me} of Your Majesty's having been pleased to give Your consent to His visiting the Imperial Court, & the camps in the neighbourhood of Vienna & Prague. His Royal Highness has accordingly fixed the day of His departure from hence for the 1st of July, & proposes to take the Courts of Stuttgart, & Munich in His way; according to our present calculation, His Royal Highness will arrive at Vienna about the 21st of July, which will give Him full sufficient time to repose Himself, & to see every thing worth seeing previous to the commencement of the reviews, which begin on the 16th of August; His Royal Highness

proposes to return by the way of Dresden & Brunswick,
immediately after the breaking up of the last camp
at Prague. I make not the smallest doubt but that
His Royal Highness will succeed equally well in this
expedition, as in that to Berlin in gaining the applause
& approbation of all, wherever He goes; He seems to
promise to Himself much pleasure & instruction
from having this opportunity of getting acquainted
with the different system of the Prussian & Imperial
troops, He will likewise pass over several fields of
battle, which lay in the way between Dresden &
Bremen; it rejoices me extremely to hear that Your
Majesty has had the goodness to grant the permission
to Sr Rob^t Keithe to attend His Royal Highness, as we shall
derive great benefit from His assistance upon all
occasions.

I think it my duty to acquaint Your Majesty that I have
used every possible effort to bring His Royal Highness
to consent to the taking some medical assistance

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with Him upon this long Journey, & am sorry to say, that I have hitherto pleaded in vain, & see no great likely hood of persuading Him into this measure; His present good state of health makes Him the more unwilling to listen to this advice, I cannot however help recollecting the very great anxiety which I suffered upon our last expedition, & must regret most sincerely His declining to come into Your Majesty's proposal upon the present occasion, which wd be of no inconvenience whatever, & which has nothing extraordinary in it, as it is the general custom of all Princes who travel in this part of the world to take some one of that description with them, who may be of service in case of any emergency.

I have the honour to be
Your Majesty's

most dutiful Subject

& Servant
Rich^d Grenville

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