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My Lord

I have so much reason to feel the extent of your Grace's kindness to me, that I am unwilling to give your Grace any further, & more especially any unnecessary trouble on my account. But the situation in which I am placed, & my duties to my children, led me to hope that the condescending favour with which His Royal Highness the Prince Regent was formerly pleased to distinguish my father, might induce His Royal Highness to extend his bounty & patronage to his son, and the reception which His Royal Highness was pleased to bestow on me, confirmed me in the conviction that my father still lives in the memory of His Royal Highness.

Might I under these impressions indulge a hope, that your Grace would adopt the means which in your judgment might be best calculated, to bring into the notice of the Prince, the necessities of my situation, the struggle I have made, & the anxious hope which I venture to entertain, that His Royal Highness may be pleased to grant me his protection, and that he might graciously be brought to enquire of your

Grace, of the Archbishop of York, and of any of the
Bench of Bishops whether His Royal Highness would
not be fully justified as far as regards my clerical
Capacity & conduct in extending his bounty to the son
of a person whom he honoured with his favour = I remain
My Lord with the highest respect

Your Grace's much obliged
&
Most Obedient Humble Servant
Heneage Horsley.