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GEORGE, by the Grace of God, King of *Great Britain*, *France* and *Ireland*, Defender of the Faith, *&c.* To all to whom these Presents shall come Greeting. Whereas our Trusty and Well-beloved the President and College or Commonalty of the Faculty of Physick in our City of *London*, have by their Petition humbly represented unto Us, that they having with great Pains and Care lately revised and corrected a Book by them formerly published, entitled *PHARMACOPOEIA LONDINENSIS*, and made many Alterations therein, and Additions thereto, intend in a short time to print and publish the same so corrected, and with such Alterations and Additions, for the Use and Benefit of the Publick; and having humbly besought Us to grant unto them Our Royal Privilege and Licence for the sole printing and publishing the said Book for the Term of Fourteen Years: We being willing to give all due Encouragement to Works of this Nature, which tend to publick Use and Benefit, are graciously pleased to condescend to their Request. And we do therefore by these Presents, so far as may be agreeable to the Statute in that behalf made and provided, grant unto them the President and College or Commonalty of the Faculty of Physick in our said City of *London*, their Successors and Assigns, Our Licence for the sole printing and publishing the said Book for the Term of Fourteen Years, to be computed from the Date or respective Days of the Publication of the said Book, or of each Volume thereof, strictly forbidding all our Subjects within our Kingdoms and Dominions to reprint or abridge the same, either in the like or in any other Volume or Volumes whatsoever, or to import, buy, vend, utter or distribute any Copies thereof reprinted beyond the Seas, during the aforesaid Term of Fourteen Years, without the Consent or Approbation of the said President and College or Commonalty of the Faculty of Physick in Our said City of *London*, their Successors or Assigns, under their common Seal first had and obtained, as they will answer the contrary at their Perils, whereof the Commissioners and other Officers of Our Customs, the Master, Warden and Company of *Stationers* are to take Notice, that due Obedience be render'd to Our Pleasure herein declared. Given at Our Court at St. *James*'s the Twenty Third Day of *January* $17\frac{20}{21}$. In the Seventh Year of Our Reign.

By His Majesty's Command,

STANHOPE.