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War Office March 26, 1781

Sir

Since the Resolution of Congress relative to the Removal of the Convention Troops, they have been pleased to refer the Matter to this Board to take Order and we have given the enclosed Instructions to Col. Wood who has the Superintendance of those Troops and he is gone forward to put these Orders in Execution which are expressive of the sense of Congress on the Subject. — The Instructions will explain themselves and the present Circumstances of Affairs makes the Measures therein directed absolutely necessary — We therefore hope for the Concurrence and Assistance of your Excellency and the Honorable Council in carrying them into effect

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We have the Honour to be with the highest Respect your very obed. Servants.

Richard Peters
By order

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His Excellency
Gov. Lee