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Draft letter
Craker? to Warren
re his of Jan 28 (ADM 1/504/795)

Ad. Sir J. B. Warren

Mar 4th 1814

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Sir

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 28 Jan^y in which you state the amount of the forces appropriated by you to the several districts of your late station I am commanded by my Lords Com^{rs} of the Ad^{ty} to observe the following particulars

You state that the at Jamaica the district force already corresponds in the number of ships of each class with the scheme conveyed in their Lordships letter of the 4th Nov^r except in the number of large frigates, which latter is two short but number balanced by the Barfleur (sic) 74 which you have ordered Adm. Broune to retain of the Halcyon which you intend to send, and you add a list under the title of present force of 21 sail of vessels including the Barfleur which you state as being at the date of your letter class under the title of the small vessels belonging to the station.

On the whole ~~their further~~ therefore their Ld^{ps} tho' they have no doubt that you will have carried their orders into effect can not see in what sense you can have stated in your letter of the 28th Jan^y that it had been already done.

Observations of a similar nature tho' not in the same degree are to be made with regard to your report of the Leeward Island district but on a comparison of your statement with the disposition of Sir T. Lefroy the date to yours.

14 Dec 13. for of 14 frigates or sloops

by you as the present force, one sloop,