An Extract from my Brothers Letter so far as Relates to the Revd Mr Wilmers conduct. —

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New York June 10th 1779.

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Dear Brother

Finding that the Revd Mr Wilmer has deceived you with respect to the Money put into his Hands for me & I avail myself of the present opportunity to State that Matter in its true light. — The moment on my hearing of his Arrival in New York I waited upon him & particularly enquired whether he had any thing in Command from you for me this Answer was that he had come in Company with you and another Gentleman from Maryland to Philadelphia but that nothing had passed (respecting me except your giving him to understand that my Situation was not so easy as you could wish it & therefore requested him to give me any Assistance in his power at the same time he told me it was not in his Power to Command much Cash but the half of what he had was much at my service. As to Bills if they would be of any use to me he had a right to draw for £2000 with which he wished to make me sensible of his Regard when about leaving — Any Sum of which was much at my service. — The good Bills or Money would at that Time have come very seasonably I did not choose to lay myself under an Obligation to him for either however from his frequent & pressing Solicitations for me to Accept of one or both it struck me as a very Extraordinary Circumstance from a Person who I very well knew was Seldom in the Habit of giving & as to the former he was of very little Use. — That I took the Liberty to mention it to a Friend who corroborated my opinion that he must have had one or both in from you for me. and finds determined me to Accept of them should he offer again Shortly after which he

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