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Philadelphia 28th May 1772.

Sir,

The necessity which occasioned the Act of Congress of the 27th instant, a copy of which I have the honor of inclosing, is sincerely to be lamented, and I could wish had been avoided. So expensive Inattention to the general Good, at this great & important Crisis, when the collected Wisdom of the Union is particularly required, is painful indeed, and must leave an unfavorable impression. A moment's reflection, I am convinced, will produce the same sensations in your Excellency's Breast which I feel on this occasion, and will plead

more

more powerfully for an immediate compliance
with the recommendations of Congress than any thing
that can be urged by me.

I have the honor to be, with great respect

Sir,

Your obed. S^{rv}

Jung Jun 26. 1776

John Hanson

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President of the Council of New Hampshire.