Republic of Texas

Department of State

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting

I, the undersigned Secretary of State of the

Republic of Texas, hereby request the bearer

Hereof Joseph Chivington freely to pass and return

from the United States and in case of need to

give him all lawful aid and protection.

Given under my hand to

the 20th day of March 1830.

(Signed) H.M. Lyon

(Signed) [Signature of the Bearer]

[Signature of Joseph Chivington]