The President of the Republic of Texas:

To whom these present shall come.

Greeting:

Whereas, Capt. Victor Pisier of the Belgian Artillery, Special Committee of his Majesty the King of the Belgians, no. 2, and in that capacity, by the President of the Presidents of the Republic of Texas, has signified his intention of travelling for the accomplishment of the proposed committee with his mission, through various parts of the Republic, previous to his return home;

Therefore, be it known that Sam Houston, President of the Republic of Texas, have granted him these letters requesting all officers of the Government at the Cities, or those places at which he may arrive, to grant him all necessary passports to aid and assist him, in such manner as he may need in the prosecution of the object he may have in view, to respect him as the designated agent of our good friend, the King of the Belgians, in the business of which he have granted him these letters of credit for a sum of money to enable him to do so.

The 5th day of February in the year of our Lord 1830.