## Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

South Carolina Audited Accounts<sup>1</sup> relating to John Franklin SC2035 Audited Account Microfilm file No. 2540

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[p 16] Gentlemen

Please to Deliver to Captain John Mills My Indent Due Me for My Services Done in Captain Barnett's [Jacob Barnett's] Troop of Light Dragoons & his Receipt Shall be A Sufficient Discharge from Gentlemen

Your Most Humble Servant

December 8, 1785

S/ John Franklin [very faint]

Signed & Acknowledged

before me this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1785

[signature too faint to perceive]

To the Honorable Generals Sumter [Thomas Sumter] & Henderson [William Henderson] & Colon of Printed and Printed an

Colonel Richardson [Richard Richardson] Commissioners of State Brigade

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