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South Carolina Audited Accounts¹ relating to William Joiner SC3023 Audited Account No. 4144A

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To the Honorable the Speaker and Others the Honorable Members of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina

The Humble Petition of William Joiner Sheweth.

That your petitioner entered as a Soldier in Captain William Alexander's Company in the State Troops commanded by General Sumpter [Thomas Sumter] and that on Application for his Indent your Petitioner found that his name was not returned, which must have happened through some neglect of his Officer, Afterwards your Petitioner Applied to General Sumpter who informed him that he as a Commissioner ^{and} could not Grant him an Indent – without an Order from the house of Assembly & promised him to procure him an order, upon which your Petitioner rested satisfied, but that since General Sumpter has gone to Congress, and your Petitioner thinks that he must have forgot to procure the Order, and your Petitioner now prays that an order for his Indent may be Granted, which now lives in General Sumpter's Office –

Annual Petitioner shall ever pray &c

S/ William Joiner, X his mark

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