

In the House of Representatives  
The 7<sup>th</sup> day of February 1779.

Resolved, That the following Form for a public  
Notification of the Election of His Excellency John  
Rutledge, Esquire, to be Governor and Commander in  
Chief of this State be sent to the Honorable the Senate  
For their Concurrence; And, if concurred to by them, and  
Signed by their President, that then it be also signed by  
The Speaker of this House, and delivered to the Sheriff  
Of Charles-Town District

In the Senate

By the Order of the House

The 8<sup>th</sup> February 1779

Concurred to Ch Pinckney

M.O. Bee Speaker

President of the Senate

State of South Carolina

By the Honorable the Senate and  
House of Representatives in General  
Assembly met the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1779

In Consequence of the Election of the Honorable  
John Rutledge, Esquire, to be Governor and Commander  
in Chief of the State of South Carolina, by a Joint Ballot  
of the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives

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It is hereby publicly notified and Declared, That  
His Excellency John Rutledge, Esquire, having taken  
The Oaths required by Law, in the presence of both  
Houses, is therefore duly authorized to act as Governor  
And Commander in Chief of this State; Of which all  
Persons concerned are required to take Notice and govern  
Themselves accordingly

Ch Pinckney  
President of the Senate  
M.O. Bee  
President of the  
House of Representatives