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To the Rt Reverend Father in God

Nicholas Lord Bishop of Chester

These are humbly to certifie yo[u]r Lordship ----
that in pursuance of an Act of Parliament
made in the Reign of the late King William
and Queen Mary intituled an Act for ----
exempting their Majesties Protestant subjects
dissenting from ye [the] the Church of England from ye
[the] penalties of certain laws. A certain
building newly erected in Rivington in ye
[the] County of Lancashire and in ye [the] Diocese
of Chester is intended and appointed ----
for a meeting place for persons of the ----
Presbyterian persuasion being dissenters
from ye [the] Church of England to exercise
their religious worship in. Which we humbly
desire may be registered pursuant to the
said Act.

I likewise desire the same

Thomas Waddington

may be registered

Rich: Nicholson

Willoughby

17th December 1703

By the Order and direction of the right Reverend the
Lord Bishop of Chester the Certificate within written was
entred according to the Statute within mentioned.

Witness my hand Hen[ri]cus Prescott Reg[um] Dep[utis]