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S L A V E R Y (E A S T I N D I E S).

COPY of a LEGISLATIVE DESPATCH from the Court of Directors of the East India Company to the Governor-general of *India* in Council, dated the 31st January 1844 (No. 4.)

Ordered, by The House of Commons, to be Printed, 6 February 1844.

IN your letter of 21st June 1843 (No. 13) you report your proceedings with regard to passing Act V. of 1843, “for declaring and amending the Law regarding the Condition of Slavery within the Territories of the East India Company.”

Those proceedings have our entire approbation, and we shall be happy to learn that the Act has been carried into effect without dissatisfaction or difficulty.

India Board, }
5 February 1844. }

J. EMERSON TENNENT.

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