

Arthur
Grand Master

To all to whom these Presents shall come
We Arthur William Patrick
Albert Duke of Connaught and Strathearn, Knight
of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Ye Ye Ye, Grand
Master of Mark Master Masons in England and
Wales and the Dominions and Dependencies of the
British Crown

Send Greeting

Be it known that the Grand Master reposing great trust in his virtuous and Brother

Harry Richardson OBE

Past Grand Overseer and Deputy Provincial Master for Staffordshire and Shropshire

Doth hereby appoint him to be

Provincial Grand Master of Mark Master Masons in the
Province of Staffordshire and Shropshire

for a period of Three Years from the date hereof until such time as a Successor shall have
been duly appointed and installed in his stead With full power and authority to constitute and
regulate Lodges within his Province subject to the approval of the Grand Master and to do
every other Act appertaining to his Office in accordance with the Constitutions of Mark Masonry
taking special care that the Members of all Lodges within his Province do observe the regulations
contained in the Book of Constitutions except such as may have been repealed at any General
Assembly And also all such regulations and instructions as shall from time to time be
transmitted to him by the Grand Master or the Deputy Grand Master for the time being
And it is especially required that the said Provincial Grand Master do cause at
least one General Assembly of Mark Master Masons within his Province to be held in every
year That he do promote on these and all other occasions whatever may be for the honor and
advantage of Mark Masonry That he do yearly send to the Grand Master an Account in writing
of the proceedings at such Meeting and transmit a particular Statement of the Lodges working
within his Province and when and where they are holden with a List of the Members of each
an copy of all such regulations as shall be made for the good government of the same with
a Report of whatever else shall have been done by virtue of these Presents

On witness whereof the Grand Master hath hereunto set his hand and caused his
Grand Registrar to affix the Seal of the Grand Lodge of Mark Master Masons this third day
of July One thousand nine hundred and thirty one

H. Fletcher Moulton

Grand Registrar



H. L. Smith

Grand Secretary