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To the Honoured Govrnour at Boston and To the Counsel
House of Representatives

This Paul quaab is ^{come} from New york and he is sent pack
to come to this Honorable Genald Corld In Boston to pray the
Honorable ^{corld} to tell him wheter the Honorable Corld Intend to
Do anly more for him Concering there land or not and if not
then pray to the Honorable Gerand Corld that the said Paul quaab
may be dismissed from the said corld with his Bufinefs that he
may go home to New york again for his Bufinefs has pen In the
corld along time and that paul quaab has pen unter great cha
rges and time spent and now I am untun my money is spent and
the Einglish at Nantuckket fay there is no help for these Indions now
they tak all the pest of our land away from us and so they will
allways do~

heare is complaint come is to this Honoured Genald corld
as to what Einglish do to Indions at Nantuckket they let them
have money and Goods and Indians are sent whaling and fish-
ing and when Indions are at home then they most wark for ther
masters and they will not give Indions account what they git
at such time whaling or fishing and let Indion live as long as he will
and when he Tye Einglish will tak all what it may be fount to ^{be} his
Estate and Einglish will leave nothing for Indions wives or
children and so they be come poor and we poor Indions at Nan-
tuckket Defire this favour of you Chentilmen of Genald Corld
that the Indion may haue account to be made up to him to so what
he is In Debed to his said masters we pray that this may be Granted
by you Chintilmen of Gerald Corld to we poor Indions at Nantuckket
Dated In June 1st 1749~ Paul Quaab

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In Council June 10. 1749 Read & Ordered
that the Gaurdians appointed for the Nantucket Indians
inquire into the Matter of Complaint mentioned in the
Petition, & report to this Court at their next Sitting
Sent down for Concurrence
In the House of Rept^{ves}. June 17 1749 J Willard Sēcry
Read and Concurd
J Dwight Sp^{kr}

Confented to
W Shirley

Paul Quaab
June 17 1749
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