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 To the Honorable the General Assembly of the
 State of Connecticut now sitting at New Haven

The Petition of Jeremiah Butler, John Johnson Junr
 and Others Inhabitants of the Town of Durham
 Beg leave to Represent to this Assembly, that your
 Petitioners & Associates in the month of February last
 mutually formed themselves into a Company by the
 Name of the Aqueduct Company of the Town of Durham
 for the purpose of Conveying Water into said Town from
 a Spring within the Bounds of Middletown by Subter-
 raneous pipes; and formed a Constitution; and moved
 -ed in the said Pipes; and Completed the same, that
 your Petitioners having expended a large sum of
 money for the purpose aforesaid & Being Desirous
 the said Aqueduct should be under the Protection of Law
 Pray your Honours to Pass an act of Incorporation
 in their favour or pass a resolve Establishing
 the Constitution already subscribed by your Petitioners
 or in some other way Grant relief
 and your Petitioners for in Duty bound will
 ever pray

Dated in Durham Jeremiah Butler Saml. Weld
 October 20th 1790 John Johnson Junr Ebenezer Bellinck
 Benj: Dicket Jeremiah Butler
 Ebenezer Camp
 John Hall
 Richard Barnett
 James Robinson Junr
 James Curtis
 Luke Camp
 James Bishop
 Jeremiah & Stephen Hows
 Guernsey Bates
 Lyman Norton