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A Copy of the Adoption and Ratification of
the Constitution of the United States by the
State of North Carolina

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In Convention - Whereas, The general
Convention which met in Philadelphia in
pursuance of a Recommendation of Congress
did recommend to the Citizens of the United
States a Constitution or Form of Government
in the following words, viz.

"We the People &c"

{ Here follows the Constitution of the United States - verbatim }

Resolved that this Convention in behalf
of the Freemen, Citizens, and Inhabitants of the
State of North Carolina do adopt and
ratify the said Constitution and Form of
Government.

Done in Convention this 21st day of
November 1789

signed) Sam^l. Johnston, President
of the Convention

J. Hunt }
Sa^l. Taylor } Secretaries

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By the direction of the President of the United States, I have examined and compared the foregoing with the Adoption and Ratification of the Constitution of the United States by the State of North-Carolina, which was transmitted to the President of the United States by Samuel Johnston President of the Convention of said State - as well as the transcript of the Constitution of the United States recited in the said ratification, which I certify to be a true copy.

signed) Tobias Lear.
Secretary to the
President of the United States
