

Letter-of-Instruction #2: Amended Instructions to Lt. G.W. Gregorie from Governor William Denison:

Government House,  
Sydney  
May 16, 1856.

Sir,

With reference to that paragraph in your instructions by which you were directed to divide the land at Norfolk Island amongst the families of the Pitcairn Islanders, reserving only certain portions as specified for public purposes, I have now to direct you to do this, with a distinct provision that the arrangement of the land is subject to be revised and amended if necessary by the Governor-General of New South Wales, to whom all the arrangements connected with the settlement of the island have been entrusted by Her Majesty.

I have, &c.  
(Signed) W. Denison

Lieutenant Gregorie,  
Norfolk Island