Letter from Walter Bagot to Sir William Skeffington and Robert Foulk, esq., 1604 April 15: autograph manuscript copy initialed, Papers of the Bagot family of Blithfield, Staffordshire. Transcription by Early Modern Manuscripts Online (EMMO). MS L.a.115, Folger Shakespeare Library, Washington, DC.

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I haue bin made acquinted by m^r Nicholas Allin and Richard Perrie my prisoners by you committed that they haue taken notise of a Citation sent from you (Cosin Skeuington) wherby they are commaunded wthin ten dayes after the recepte thereof to appere in his Ma:^{ties} Court off admiralltie wthin ten dayes after the reptp recepte thereof And wthall to required in their behalfe that they maye bee enlarged from their imprisonment ^{*to} that they maye make there appanse accordingly as ether vpon baile ^{^(yf you maye accepte thereof} or as in your discretion shall bee thought fittest or els that you ^{^{or one of you} will signefie the contrary by vnto mee or them by wrytinge w^{ch} request beeinge (in my opinion very reasonable I can not but comend vnto you and with my hartiest Commendacons and so rest

your louinge Cosin & frend W: B 15.Apr.

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