Date: 11 May 1562
REF: GD112/39/2/6 (SHS ed. No. 5)
Place: ‘The Keir’
From: Archibald Campbell, 5th Earl of Argyll
To: Colin Campbell of Glenorchy
Address: To our traist cusing the Lard of Glenvrquhar

Traist cusing eftir hartlie commendatioun. Forsamekle ... sall wit yis beirar hes bene at ws namit Patrik Robertson and has schawin ws yat my Lord of Altholl puttis at him1 weray sair without ony cause as he allegeis. Bot onlie for to haif hym furth of his awin kyndlie rowmeis and takis as he will schaw zow in lenth. And be ressone he is now cumin to our menteining and man do for him2 in his just cause and actioun that ze fortife and mentene him in his just cause. And speciallie to ye keipin of his wyld horss yat is in ye muiris gif he beis put at be my Lord of Atheall or his servandis. And gif it be possiabill to him tak yame away furth of ye muir we pray zow to send servandis with him to help him away. For his hes schawin to ws yat he lippinis3 yat ze will do alsmekle for him as ony body. Yairfor we refar ye rest of credans to ye beirar him self. Swa committis zou to God.
Off ye Keir ye xj of Maii 1562.

Zours,
Archibald Ergyll

1 Pressurizes. Patrick Robertson of Tullgavane and his kin were given letters of maintenance by the 5th earl, with Grey Colin acting as one of the witnesses, 21 July 1562, GD112/1/119. For Atholl’s reply to 5th earl’s complaints, 22 November 1562 [8].
2 Must support him.
3 Trusts.