

CUM clarissimus auctor operis, cui titulus *A Chronicle of the Carmelites in Persia, and the Papal Mission of the XVIIth and XVIIIth Centuries* illud approbationi nostrae subicere voluerit, quippe cum in illo ex professo agatur de rebus ad Historiam Missionum Ordinis Nostri spectantibus, nos, qui illud a duobus censoribus ad id deputatis examinari fecimus, prae laudatum opus non solum, quod ad nos attinet, laeto animo approbamus, immo potius gratulamur clarissimo auctori ad opus tam praeclare absolutum et omnibus numeris perfectum, atque fidem facimus res ad historiam Missionis nostrae Persicae in hoc opere spectantes penitus respondere documentis authenticis, tam in Archivo nostro, quam in Archivo S. Congregationis de Propaganda Fide asservatis. Quapropter ex corde exoptamus, ut opus supra laudatum clarissimi auctoris prosperum successum sortiatur.

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(Translation)

AS the distinguished author of the work entitled *A Chronicle of the Carmelites in Persia, and the Papal Mission of the XVIIth and XVIIIth Centuries* has wished to submit it for our approval, inasmuch as in it matters regarding the History of the Missions of Our Order are specifically treated, We, who have had it examined by two censors specially deputed for this purpose, not only gladly approve, in so far as pertains to us to do so, the above-mentioned work, but moreover we congratulate the distinguished author on a work which in every respect has been composed with such great perfection, and we testify that the matters regarding the history of our Persian Mission in this work entirely correspond with the original documents preserved whether in our Archives or in the Archives of the Sac. Congregation de Propaganda Fide, Wherefore we whole-heartedly wish every success to the work of the distinguished author above commended.

Given at Rome, from the House of our Generalate, the 20th day of March 1938.

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