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By His Excellency Robert Eden Esq.r Governor and Commander in Chief in and over the province of Maryland.

A Proclamation

Whereas the present general Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to Monday the Fourth day of April next, And whereas some Business for the general Utility of the Province requires their Meeting before that time, I have therefore thought fit with the Advice of the Lord Proprietary's Council of State to publish and Declare And I do hereby publish and Declare that the said General Assembly meet and be held at the City of Annapolis on Monday the Twenty first Day of March next; and to the Intent that all Persons concerned may have due Notice thereof, I Do hereby Strictly charge and require the several Sheriffs of this Province to make this my proclamation public in their respective Counties in the usual Manner as they will Answer the Contrary at their Peril — Given at the City of Annapolis this 24th. day of February in the Third Year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable Henry Harford Esq.r Anno Domini 1774.

Signed by Order

James Brooke Clk

ARCHIVES OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.