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Baltimore 27th July 1778

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May it please Your Excellency

Inclosed is Copy of an application made to me for the removal of a quantity of flour to this Town & other convenient landings and as upon a late tryal, I found it impossible to procure any number of Waggons on hire — I must take the liberty of making application to the Hon.ble Council for their order to impress as many as may be sufficient to remove what flour is purchased for the Service of the United States which by the best information I can procure is at least fifteen hundred Barrels Stored at different Mills from twenty to thirty Miles distant from this place

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I am Your Excellencies

Most Obed.t

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Jas. Calhoun

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