And the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by Charles Goldsborough her Attorney comes and defends the force and Injury when &c And Prays a hearing of the Writing Obligatory afs. and it is read unto her and she also prays a hearing of the Condition of the said Writing and she hath it in these words Viz. The Condition of the above Obligation is such That if the above Bounden Henry Trippe do well and truly serve his Lordship the Right Honorable the Lord Propietary of the afs. Province his Heirs and Suucessors in the Office of High Sheriff of the County of Dorchester within the Province afs. and in all things well and faithfully Execute the same Office and also shall render unto his said Lordship and other his Officers a true faithfull and perfect Account of all and Singuler his said Lordships Rights and Dues and to his Officers a true and just Aut of their fees that he shall or may be Entrusted with by his said Lordships Governor and others his Officers within this Province to Receive and Collect and his Aut to his said Lordship his Heirs and Suucessors and to his and their Governor here for the time being for the fines and forfeitures and other Dues belonging to his said Lordships Governor as also his Account of all fees Dues & Sums of Money or Tobacco due to any of the Good People within this Province for any Sum or Sums of Money or Tobacco wherewith the said Sheriff shall be Entrusted during the time of his Shrievalty for this Present or to such of them as shall Require the Same shall pass and render by the tenth Day of May next Ensuing the Date hereof and in all other things as Sheriff of the County of Dorchestr shall behave himself well and honestly to all person according to the best of his Power Skill and knowledge then this Obligation to be void and of none Effect or else to stand in full force Strength and Vertue

Which being read and heard the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. prays Leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and she hath it and the same day is given to the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 14th Days of April Anno Domi 1747 Comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Elizabeth Trippe by her Attorney afs. And the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and she hath it and the same Day is given to the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 20th Day of October Anno Domi 1747 Comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. And the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her said Attorney prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto until next Court and she hath it And the same Day is given to Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 17th Day of May Anno Domi 1748 comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. and the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her said Attorney Prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and she hath it And the same Day is given to the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 18th Day of October Anno Domi 1748 Comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Elizabeth Trippe Administratrix as afs. by her Attorney afs. Whereupon as well Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said

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Elizabeth Trippe Administratrix as afs. by her Attorney afs. Suggest to the Court here that a material Evidence in the said Cause is beyond Seas without whose Testimony they cannot come to Tryal Thereupon the said Cause is Continued untill next Court

At which said next Court to Wit the 16th Day of May Anno Domi 1749 Comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Eliz. Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. And the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. Prays further Leave to Imparle hereunto untille next Court and she hath it And the same Day is given to the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c also

At which said next Court to wit the 17th Day of October Anno Domi 1749 Comes again as well the said Henry Darnall Esqr his Lordships Attorney General who &c as the said Eliz. Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. And the said Elizabeth Trippe Admx as afs. by her Attorney afs. Saith that the afs. Lord Propry his Action afs. thereof against her to have and maintain ought not Because she saith that after the making the Writing Obligatory afs. & before the suing out of the Original Writ in the Plea afs. the afs. Edward Trippe in the Condition afs. Named at Dorchester County afs. did well and truly serve the afs. Lord Propry in the Office of High Sheriff of the County of Dorchester within the Province afs. and in all things did well and faithfully Execute the same Office and also did Render unto his said Lordship and other his Officers a true faithfull and Perfect Account of all and Singuler his said Lordships Rights and dues and to his Officers a true and Just Account of their fees that he was Entrusted with by his said Lordship's Governor and other his Officers within this Province to Receive and Collect and his Account to his said Lordship and to his Governor here for the time being for the fines and forfeitures and other Dues belonging to his said Lordships Governor as also his Account of all fees Dues and Sums of Money or Tobacco due to any of the Good people within this Province for any sum or Sums of Money or Tobacco wherewith the said Edward was Entrusted during the time of his Shrievalty for that Present or to such of them as did Require the same did pass and Render by the tenth Day of May then next Ensuing the Date of the said Writing Obligatory and in all other things as Sheriff of the County of Dorchester did behave himself well and honestly to all Persons according to the best of his Power Skill and knowledge and this she is ready to Verify Wherefore she Prays Judgment if the said Lord Propry his Action afs. thereof against her to have and maintain ought &c

And the said Attorney General saith That the said Lord Propietary by any thing above in Pleading alledged from having his Action afs. ought not to be Precluded Because he saith that the afs. Edward was from the afs. twelfth Day of July in the Year of our Lord seventeen hundred and forty to the thirteenth Day of August in the Year seventeen hundred and forty one Sheriff of Dorchester County afs. to wit at the said County And that during the Continuance of the said Edward in the said Office he the said Edward by an Act of Assembly of this Province made and Passed at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis the twenty third Day of April in the Year of our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty Entituled An Act for Issuing and Paying out of the Office of the Commissioners or Trustees for Emitting Bills of Credit Established by Act of Assembly the Sum of Two thousand five hundred and Sixty two Pounds ten Shillings Current Money in Bills of Credit to be applied for the Encouragement of Persons voluntarily Inlisting themselves in his Majesty's Service was as Sheriff of the said County at the County afs. Authorized and Required to Collect and Levy from the several Taxables of the said County the Sum of thirty five Pounds nine Shillings and Eight Pence Current Money and the same to Pay to the Commissioners or Trustees afs. on or before the last Day of May next after such Collection together with his the said Edward's Salary of five Pounds per

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