the same time came gone Wife to the said Samuel Brown who being by us privately Examined out of the hearing of her said Husband Declared that she Relinquished her Right of Dower in the said moiety or half Lot of Land and premisses without being Induced or compelled thereto by threats of her Husband or for fear of Incurring his Displeasure, Jon. Plowman Jas. Gittings

Recorded the twenty third day of May Anno Domini one thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy one and Examined by N Lawson Cl

Recd one penny sterling as an Acknowledgment in the within Deed by Direction of Daniel of Walter Jenifer Esq. Agent for the Lord Proprietary

Samuel Brown to Thomas Ewing } Separation of Copartnership. This Indenture made the Twenty third day of May one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy one Between Samuel Brown of the Town & County of Baltimore in the province of Maryland Merchant of the one part and Thomas Ewing of the same place Merchant of the other part Whereas the said parties to these presents have been some time since Copartners together in the Trade of Merchandizing and by reason of the said joint trade & Merchandizing divers debts have become and are due & owing unto them the said Samuel Brown & Thomas Ewing by the name Title and firm of Ewing & Brown for divers goods wares Merchandizes and other things and also the said Ewing and Brown have become indebted and are and stand Engaged for divers Sums of Money and Whereas afterwards the said Copartnership or joint Trade was for divers good reasons dissolved and an End thereto put and Whereas also afterward he the said Samuel Brown party hereto did in his own name and on his own particular account carry on the aforesd. Trade or Business of Merchandizing whereby he hath not only Contracted large Debts and entered into many Engagements and

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Contracts but also hath purchased Houses Lots Tenements Hereditaments & and appurtenances and hath many divers debts due owing and payable to him the said Samuel Brown And Whereas the said Samuel Brown hath concluded and agreed for the Consideration hereinafter mentioned to assign unto him the said Thomas Ewing all the Debts and Sums of Money which are due and owing unto them the said Ewing & Brown jointly & to him the said Samuel Brown on his own behalf and the said Thomas Ewing hath also agreed and undertaken to discharge and pay all debts and Sums of Money which they the said Ewing & Brown as also the said Samuel Brown in his own name do jointly & severally owe to any person or persons whatsoever for or by reason of their said Joint Trade or Copartnership or by reason or means of the Trade of the said Samuel Brown since Dissolution of the sd Copartnership and hath also undertaken to stand to abide by and fully perfect and perform all Engagements Contracts or agreements whatsoever which he the said Samuel Brown is at the day of the date of these presents Engaged & bound to perfect perform and fulfill and that in as full and ample manner as is requisite for him the said Samuel Brown so to do Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Samuel Brown as well for the Consideration hereafter in these presents mentioned as also for and in Consideration of the sum of one Thousand Two hundred pounds Sterling Money of Great Britain to him the said Samuel Brown in hand well and truly paid by the said Thomas Ewing at and before the Ensealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge Hath granted assigned and Set over and by these presents Doth fully clearly and absolutely grant assigns and Set over unto him the said Thomas Ewing his heirs Execrs admrs & assigns all and Singular such Debts and Sums of money as are owing to him the said Samuel Brown either Severally with him the said Samuel Brown or jointly with him the said Thomas

Ewing