In form aforesaid witnesseth the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid and so forth.

Thomas Jennings for Plff. Pledges to. John Doe and Richard Roe.

Oyer of the obligation

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Peters, Mark Pringle and Edward Johnson of Baltimore County are held and firmly bound unto Charles Wallace and John Davidson (assignees of Archibald Buchanan) of the City of Annapolis in the full and just sum of two thousand six hundred pounds current money of Maryland to be paid to the said Charles Wallace and John Davidson their certain Attorney Executors Administrators and assigns to the which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves and each of us our and each of our heirs Executors administrators and Assigns firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this fifth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty seven. Whereas the aforesaid Charles Wallace, and John Davidson assignees of Archibald Buchanan did obtain at a General Court held for the Western shore of Maryland on the second Tuesday of May last at the State house in the City of Annapolis a Judgment against the said Thomas Peters for the sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty three pounds current money of Maryland Debt and the quantity of Eight hundred and seventy four pounds of Tobacco Costs of Suit and the said Peters is about to obtain the State of Maryland's writ of Error to remove the said Judgment into the high Court of Appeals. Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the said Thomas Peters shall not pursue the Directions of an Act intitled An act for regulating writs of Error and granting Appeals from and to the Courts of Common Law in this province at the next ensuing High Courts of appeals and prosecute the same writ with Effect and also satisfy and pay to the same Wallace & Davidson their Executors Administrators or Assigns in Case the said judgment shall be affirmed as well all and singular the Debt damages and Costs adjudged by the said General Court as also all Costs and damages that shall be awarded by the said High Court of Appeals then the said Bond to be and remain in full force and virtue otherwise of no Effect.

Thomas Peters (Seal)
Mark Pringle (Seal)
E. Johnson (Seal)

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of John McLure

A Copy of which aforegoing Declaration and oyer was made and sent with the writ which issued in the plea aforesaid.

At

At which mentioned second Tuesday of October being the Eighth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety three and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ come here into our General Court the aforesaid Charles Wallace and John Davidson by Thomas Jennings and William Cooke their Attornies, And the sheriff of Baltimore County to whom the said aforegoing writ was made and directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed, to wit.

Cepi Copy served 26th. August. Robert Gorsuch, Shff.

And the said Edward Johnson by Samuel Johnston his Attorney comes and defends the force and injury when and so forth, and prays leave of the Court to imparle hereunto untill next Court, and he hath it, the same day is given to the aforesaid Charles Wallace and John Davidson also.

At which said next Court to wit, the said second Tuesday of May being the thirteenth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety four come again here into our General Court as well the aforesaid Charles Wallace and John Davidson by their Attornies aforesaid, as the aforesaid Edward Johnson by his Attorney aforesaid. And the aforesaid Edward Johnson by his Attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth and prays further leave of the Court to Imparle hereunto untill next Court and he hath it the same day is given to the aforesaid Charles Wallace and John Davidson also.

At which said next Court, to wit the second Tuesday of October being the fourteenth day of the same month Anno Domini seventeen hundred and ninety four comes again here into our General Court as well the aforesaid Charles Wallace by Thomas Jennings and William Cooke his attornies as the aforesaid Edward Johnson by Samuel Johnston and Luther Martin his attornies. And the aforesaid Charles Wallace by his Attornies aforesaid suggests to the Court here that the said John Davidson one of the parties Plaintiff with him the aforesaid Charles Wallace after the last continuance in this cause, and before this day to wit, on the day of now last past at the County of Anne Arundel departed this life leaving him the aforesaid Charles Wallace his Survivor and this is not denied; And the said Edward Johnson by Samuel Johnston his attorney aforesaid as before defends the force and injury when and so forth and craves oyer of the writing obligatory aforesaid and the Condition thereof and to him it is read in these words to wit.

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Peters, Mark Pringle, and Edward Johnson of Baltimore County are held and firmly bound unto Charles Wallace and John Davidson (assignees of Archibald Buchanan) of

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