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the same sum of Sterling money or the value thereof as aforesaid to him hitherto to render or pay they have altogether refused and still do refuse: wherefore the said Charles saith he is the worse and hath Damage to the Value of five hundred pounds Current money and therefore he brings suit, and so forth; and brings here into Court the writing Obligatory aforesaid sealed with the seal of the aforesaid William Begole & Ely Dorsey which the Debt aforesaid, in form aforesaid witnesseth, the date whereof is the day and year aforesaid, and so forth. –

Mcshe for the Plaintiff Pledges, and so forth John Doe and Richard Roe.

The Oyer of the Writing Obligatory aforesaid, and the Condition thereof follow in these words to wit. – Know all Men by these presents that we William Begole of A Arundel & Ely Dorsey Jun. of Ely are held and firmly bound unto Charles Carroll of Carrollton in the full and just sum of two hundred & forty pounds Sterling to be paid unto the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton his certain Attorney Executors administrators or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this eighteenth day of November Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and eighty three The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound we William Begole and Ely Dorsey Son of Ely do and shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton his certain Attorney Executors administrators or assigns the just and full sum of one hundred and twenty pounds Sterling at or upon the day of next ensuing the date hereof with legal Interest for the same then the above Obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in Law. —

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of N. Ridgely (Warfield) } William Begole (seal) Ely Dorsey (of Ely) (seal)

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

At which said second Tuesday of October being the thirteenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five and the day of the return of the aforegoing writ comes here into the General Court the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton by his Attorney aforesaid. And the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County to wit. — Richard Harwood to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit. —

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Afterwards to wit, on the ninth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety five Charles Carroll of Carrollton by his Attorney aforesaid again sued out of the General Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of alias Capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County in manner and form following to wit. – The State of Maryland SS. To the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County Greeting we command you that you take William Begole and Ely Dorsey Son of Ely late of Ann Arundel County planters otherwise called William Begole of A Arundel & Ely Dorsey of Ely if they shall be found in your Bailiwick and them safe keep so that you have their bodies before the Judges of our General Court, to be held at the City of Annapolis on the second Tuesday of May next, to answer unto Charles Carroll of Carrollton of a plea that they render unto him the free and just sum of two hundred & forty pounds Sterling of the value of four hundred pounds Current money which from said Charles they unjustly detain and so forth. – Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honorable Samuel Chase Esquire chief Judge of our said Court, the 30th day of October Anno Domini 1795. –

Issued the 9th day of November 1795. MC. John Green Clk.

A Copy of the aforegoing Declaration and Bond was again made and sent with the last aforegoing writ which issued in the plea aforesaid

At which said second Tuesday of May being the tenth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six and the day of the return of the last aforegoing writ — comes here into the General Court the said Charles Carroll of Carrollton by his Attorney aforesaid: And the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County to wit Richard Harwood to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed likewise comes and makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit:

N.S. Rich. Harwood Shff.

And afterwards to wit on the twentieth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six Charles Carroll of Carrollton by his Attorney aforesaid again sued out of the General Court here the writ of the State of Maryland of Alias Capias ad respondendum directed to the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County in manner and form following to wit: The State of Maryland SS. To the Sheriff of Ann Arundel County Greeting we command you that you take William Begole and Ely Dorsey Son of Ely late of Ann Arundel County planters otherwise called William Begole of A Arundel & Ely Dorsey Son of Ely

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