In the Name of God Amen I Mary Williams of Worcester County in the Province of Maryland do Constitute and appoint this to be my Last Will and Testament in Manner and Form as followeth. —

Item I give and Bequeath to my Son Levin Williams my Plantation I now Live on Containing Two hundred and Ten acres it being the Land I bought of Benjamin Handy To him his Heirs and Assigns for Ever. I Likewise give to my said Son Levin one Negro Wench named Jender To him and for his only Use. —

Item I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Annes Williams three Negroes Viz.t Samor Betsey and Binar with my riding Mare to her and to her only proper Use. —

Item. I Desire that the remainder of my Estate which I have not already Disposed of my be Equally Divided between my Two Children Viz.t Levin and Annes Williams — and in Case my Two Children Should Die before they arrive to the Age of Maturity, that then my Will is that my Estate both Real and Personal Be Equally Divided amongst my Three Brothers and Sister Viz.t William Edward, Francis and Priscilla Robards Except a Negro Girl Betsey which I Desire my Sister Priscilla to have over and above her Equal part of my Estate. Lastly I Leave and appoint my Loving Father Edward Robards and my Brother William Robards hole and sole Executors of this my Last Will and Testament. In Testimony Whereof I have hearunto Sett my hand and fixed my Seal this Twelveth Day of August Anno Dom. 1754. —

Signed Sealed and pronounced in the presence of us — } (Seal)

Annexed to the foregoing Will was the following Deposition — Viz.t

Worcester Co.y Novemb.r 6.th 1754 personally Came before me the Subscriber Capt. Benjamin Handy and Rebeckah Smith and being Sworn on the holy Avengalis of Almighty God Deposeth and saith that the Will hereto annexed was presented to Mary Williams the Testatrix and that She approved of the same and acknowledged the same to be her Last Will and Testament and sent for a third person to be the Said Will Executor but before he Came She was taken with the Ague and then out of her Senses so far that it was put off till the next Day when the Will was again Read to her and she acknowledged the same to be her Will, and Endeavoured to write her Name thereto but when up was So weak Seemd not able to write but that they then Saw her make Two Several Marks thereto and was Very Desirous to have it signed and that She then Desired Capt. Handy to Assist her to write her Name but that he advised her to Lye Down and She Likely might be better and able to do it herself

Which accordingly she did and Departed this Life the next Day without making any other Will to their knowledge. and that at the Time of her making the said Marks she was to the best of their Apprehensions of a Sound Disposing Mind and Memory — Sworn Before Benton Harris Dep.ty Comm.r of Worcester County

Feb.ry 14.th 1755 after Calling the persons Interested in the Distribution if there had been no Will and asked them if they had any objection to the foregoing Will who answered that they had not, but was well satisfied the Will Should Stand, Letters Testam.ry was granted to the Excu.rs thereing named by. Benton Harris Dep.ty Comm.r of Worcester County.

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In the Name of God Amen I John Westcoat of Cecile County in the Province of Maryland being in perfect Mind and Memory praised be my Almighty God I do make and Ordain this my Last Will and Testament in Manner and form following first and principally I bequeath my Soul into the hands of my Almighty God that gave it hoping through the Merits of my Lord and favor Jesus Christ full pardon and Remission for all my Sins and Iniquities and my Body I commit to the Earth from whence it came to be Decently buried at the Discression of my Executo hereafter Mentioned and as to my Worldley Estate that God Almighty hath pleased to Bestowe upon me I give Dispose and Bequeath as followeth Viz.t Imprimis - I give and Bequeath unto my Youngest Daughter Elizabeth Westcoat Ten pounds over and above any of the Rest my Children and the afore ten pound is to be allowed to my Dearly beloved Wife for the bringing up the afs.d Childr. and the rest of my Estate is to be Equally Divid amongst them. — I do hereby Leave my Dearly beloved Wife hole and Sole Executor of this my Last Will and Testament In Witness Whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and Seal this Sixteenth Day of December in the Year of our Lord 1754. — John Westcoate (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Delivered by the above Testator as and for his Last Will and Testament in the presence of us — } Edward Veazey, John Stockton

On the Back of the foregoing Will was this Written — Viz.t —

Cecile County ss. January 6.th 1755 Edward Veazey and John Stockton the subscribing Witnesses to the Within Will being duly and solemnly sworn on the Holy Evangels of almighty ~~God~~ depose and say that they Saw the Testator John Westcoat sign and seal the Within Will and heard him publish and Declare the same to be his Last Will and Testament that at the Time of his so Doing he was to the best of their apprehension of Sound Disposing Mind and Memory and that they Subscribed their respective Names