Testament and Published Pronounced and Declared it to be his last and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound & disposing mind memory and understandings and that they the said Thomas Tyler and John Boone subscribed as Witnesses at the Testators Request and further the said Thomas Tyler on his oath swears that he saw the Testator & Witnesses John Boone and Thomas Boone Witness the same to his was all done in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator

Sworn to before
Nehemiah King Deputy Commissary of Somerset County

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In the Name of God Amen the Twelfth of February one thousand seven hundred and Fifty Two I John Dougherty of Somerset County in the Province of Maryland being very sick and weake in Body but of Perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto God therefore Calling into mind the mortality of my Body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to Dye do make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is to say Principally and first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God that gave it and my Body I recommend to the Earth to be Buried decently Christian like at the direction of my Executors Nor doubting but at the General Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty Power of God and touching my worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God almighty to bless me with in this life I dispose of the same in the following manner & form Imprimis I give and bequeath Rachel Dougherty my dearly beloved wife all my lands and Tenements we have on Dover during the time of her widowhood Item I give to my eldest beloved son Obed Dougherty my Plantation of land beginning at a marked Pine near water side running East South East to the lands of John Ward concluding by his line that part of Two Patents one called Little Worth the other Meadow all might to whole Thirty Lords level Item I give unto my well beloved son James Dougherty also the remainder part of my lands concluding of the Two Patents Little Worth and Meadow to them and their heirs forever lawfully begotten by their Body Lawfully to be Begotten not to Sell or Mortgage to any Body but from the Brother to another also I give unto my son James aforesaid a parcell of marsh called the Little Parker Beginning at a marked Pine then S 43 degrees E. by five Perches the South 43 degrees W. and all the remainder part of my marsh concluded by meadow to be equally Divided between Obed Dougherty and James Dougherty. Item I give unto my daughter Sarah Dougherty one bow and two cows year old Heifers and a Sorrel Bay in the marsh for six head of cattle also I give to her one Feather Bed and Sorrel Leabetty and room in the House for the same and Leabarty for Sophisbah Ground to so one Rich of Flax seed yearly so long as she remaining unmarried Item I do my Daughter Jemimah two head of Sheep and five Shillings in money Item I give to my son Nathaniel Dougherty one Grey Horse called Prince and one Gun Item I give to my Daughter Rachel the bay called Peach and her Fraser and one four year old Steer and two head of Sheep. Item I give unto my son Stephen Dougherty two heads of Sheep and Fourty Shillings Item I give unto my son Peter Dougherty one young horse & one three year old Heffer Item I give to my son John Dougherty one three year old Heffer and three Sheep — Item I give to my son Isaac Dougherty one young Horse and a pounds bow and all my pewter Item I give unto my Daughter Martha five pounds and one ewe and Lamb Item I give unto my Daughter Grace five Pounds and a ewe and Lamb Item I give unto my son Ezekiel Dougherty five Pound money and the first colt that the Grey Mare brings that does to be a year



old and one ewe and Lamb Item I give to my son Youngest son Obed and James two pound in money Each Item I give to my well beloved son Peter and Isaac whom I do ordain constitute make and ordain Together my sole Executors of this my last Will and Testament Peter to be to Guardian of Obed and Isaac to be Guardian of James Item I give to my beloved wife Rachel a third Part of all my Estate to be equally Divided among all my children but her Dower and the remainder Part of my Estate whatsoever equally to be Divided at my Decease And I do hereby utterly disallow Revoke Disannull all and every other former Testaments Wills Legacies and bequests and Executors by me in any ways before named Willed and bequeathed Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the Day and year Before written

Signed Sealed Published Pronounced and Declared By the said John Dougherty as his last Will & Test in the presence of us the Subscribers William Rigger John Riggen Rachel her mark Riggen

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Saving yr 5th 1760 Came William Riggen Rachel Riggen the only Witnesses Witnesses to this Will and made oath on the Holy Gospels of almighty God that they saw the Testator John Dougherty sign seal and heard him Publish Pronounce and Declare the above Instrument of writing as his last Will and Testament and that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound and disposing mind memory and understandings, and that the said William Riggen and Rachel Riggen subscribed as Witnesses in the Presence of the Testator. John Riggen subscribed as a Witness at a later time when it was done in the Presence and at the Request of the Testator John Dougherty

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Sworn to before Nehemiah King Commissary of Somerset County

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In the Name of God Amen I Peter Gibson of Calvt County in the Province of Maryland Planter being Weak in Body but of sound and Perfect mind & memory Do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following First I desire that my Debts be paid and Discharged at the Direction of my Executor hereafter named and as touching Then Temporal Estate that it hath been pleased God to bestow upon me I do give and Bequeath in manner and form following First I do give and bequeath unto my Sonne John Gibson my whole Estate after my Debts are paid and discharged Dey before he arrives to Full age Then I do give and bequeath to my Brother John Gibson two Slaves of my Estate and to my Sister Ann one Part and I do hereby constitute ordain and appoint my Brother John Gibson whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and Testament in Witness whereof I have set my hand and Seale this 11th January 1760.

Signed Sealed & acknowledged in the Presents of us

Peter Gibson (Seal)

Calvt County January yr 16th 1760 Came Capt Austin & Richard Gibson subscribing Witnesses to the within Will being duly & solemnly sworn on the holy Evangelists of almighty God Depose and say that they saw the Testator Peter Gibson signe the within Will and heard him Publish Declare & Pronounce the same to be his last Will & Testament that at the time of his so doing he was to the best of their apprehensions of sound Disposing mind & memory

Sworn before Clement Smith Deputy Commissary Calvert County

Capt. Austin his mark
Richd. Gibson his mark