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Sir, Abingdon. Novr. 7th 1791.

I have just received your favor of the 22nd Ult:, & in answer have to say, that I have made every exertion to have the defect in the title removed — For this purpose I commenced a suit in chancery, about a year ago, to oblige the persons who set up a claim to do us justice, & this business was committed to Mr. Cooke, attorney at Annapolis, who assured me, at that time, that he expected the business would be issued, in my favor, in about six months — But by the death of the claimant, & her leaving an infant behind her, this business has been retarded; as it was necessary that the action should be renewed — This has been done, & I expect soon to hear that the whole business is finished, & that I shall be able to give you a complete title — I am not less anxious, sir, than yourself, to have the whole mat-

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