## ACTS OF THE ASSEMBLY PASSED DURING NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 1769

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At a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis [on Friday] the seventeenth day of November in the Nineteenth Year of the Dominion of the Right Honourable Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore and soforth Annoque Domini one Thousand seven hundred and sixty nine and ending the Twentieth Day of December following

The following Laws were Enacted and Assented to by his Excellency Robert Eden Esquire Governor

No. 1 An Act for the Naturalization of Peter Haldimand

[A Private Act.] Whereas Peter Haldimand Gentleman being a Foreigner of the Protestant or reformed Religion hath by his Petition to this General Assembly expressed his earnest Desire to be made Partaker of the Immunities and Priviledges which his Majesty Natural Born Subjects of the Kingdom of England are entituled to and enjoy in this Province and hath also made it appear to the Satisfaction of this Assembly that he hath taken the Several Oaths to the Government and received the Sacrament according to the Rites of the Church of England.

Be it enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordships Governor and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and the Authority of the same that the said Peter Haldimand shall and is hereby Declared and Adjudged able to all Intents Constructions and Purposes Whatsoever to Demand take have retain and enjoy within this Province any Priviledges and Immunities belonging to or enjoyed by his Majesty's Liege People & Natural Born Subjects of the Kingdom of England and the said Peter Haldimand is hereby Qualified and enabled to purchase Have Hold and enjoy any Lands & Tenements or other Hereditaments within this Province and to Prosecute Maintain and Defend any Action or Actions real and Personal in any of his Lordships Courts of Record of this Province and To Have Hold and enjoy all the Priviledges and Freedoms whatsoever that any of his Majesty's natural born Subjects of the Kingdom of England may or can have challenge or Demand within this Province any Law Usage or Custom to the Contrary Notwithstanding

By the Lower House of Assembly Nov. 25.th 1769 Read & assented to. Signed by order T. Wright Cl. lo: Ho: On behalf of the Right Honble the Lord Proprietary of this Province. I Will this be a Law Rob.t Eden By the Upper House of Assembly Decem. 2.d 1769. Read & Assented to Signed by Order U Scott Cl: Up. Ho:

Great Seal in Wax Appendant