

equall Assessment upon the persons and Estates of the Inhabitants thereof should be and remain suspended, any thing in that Act to the contrary notwithstanding the foregoing Clause in that Act remaining still in full force and Virtue — Provided also that so long as the said Act should Continue your Lordships Receiver or Receivers Generall for the time being should receive good sound and Merchable Tobacco when Tendered for your Lordships Rents or fines for alienations of Lands reserved upon the severall and respective Grants of Land in this Province at the Rate of Two pence p Pound any thing in his Lordships Grant to the contrary hereof notwithstanding. — Provided also and it was thereby Enacted that the Act Entituled an Act for the Murther Master Generalls Fees should forever from thence forward stand repealed which said Act was to Continue during your Lordships naturall Life, and for one Cropp more next after your Lordships Decease and no longer, as by the said Act (relatiō being thereunto had) may more at large appear. Now the Delegates of the Freemen of this present Generall Assembly considering the great favours your Lordships doth unto them in Continuing your only Son and Heir apparent your Governour over them and gratefully acknowledging the many Benefits they Receive by his Care and Solitude & desiring that all Merchants Masters of Ships and others Trading may have all due Encouragement for the Wellfare of this your Province. do pray that it may be Enacted. And

Be it Enacted by the Right Honble the Lord Propriety by and with the advice and Consent of the upper and lower Houses of this present generall Assembly and the authority of the same that the said Act and all and every the Articles, provisions, Matters and things therein Contained, do and shall stand and be by the present Act ratified and Confirmed to all intents and purposes according to the true intent and meaning thereof not only for and During the Life of the Right Honble Cecilius absolute Lord and Propriety of this Province, and for one Cropp after as afo but also for and During the naturall Life of the Right Honble Charles Calvert Son and Heir apparent to the said Cecilius Lord Propriety and no longer, and that from and after the Decease of him the said Cecilius Lord Propriety the said Duty and Imposition of Two Shillings p lb shall be Levied Raised Collected and Paid to the right Honble Charles Calvert Esq for and During the Term of his naturall Life as afo in such manner and under such pains penalties and forfeitures as by the said recited Act is Limited and appointed to be Paid to the said Cecilius Lord Propriety as afo. — Provided also yett nevertheles that all and every the severall provisions in the said Act Contained do During the Continuance of

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