

VIII. And be it further Enacted, That the said County Courts of the Counties herein before-mentioned, may, in their Discretion, continue any of the said Actions hereby revived and continued in the said Courts respectively, and which, by the Laws now in being, cannot be continued longer than till the next *June* Court of the said Counties, until the next *August* Court of such Counties respectively, any Thing to the contrary notwithstanding.

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An ACT to enable the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of *Saint Paul's* Parish, in *Baltimore* County, to nominate and recommend Inspectors for *Baltimore-Town* Warehouse.

WHEREAS it is represented to this General Assembly, that the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of *Saint Paul's* Parish, in *Baltimore* County, have omitted to make the usual Recommendation required by Law of Inspectors to officiate at the Warehouse at *Baltimore-Town*: Preamble.

II. Be it Enacted, by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That the Vestrymen and Churchwardens of *Saint Paul's* Parish in *Baltimore* County, or the major Part of them, be, and are hereby authorized and required to meet at their Parish Church, between the First Day of *June*, and the Tenth Day of *June*, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-six, and then and there, after taking the Oath prescribed by the Act, entitled, *An Act for amending the Staple of Tobacco, for preventing Frauds in his Majesty's Customs, and for the Limitation of Officers Fees*, passed in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty-three, to nominate and recommend to the Governor and Commander in Chief of this Province, for the Time being, Four able and sufficient Planters, well skilled in Tobacco, for the Execution of the Office of Inspectors at the Warehouse at *Baltimore-Town* aforesaid.

III. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That the said Vestrymen and Churchwardens shall, after the Nomination and Recommendation aforesaid, forthwith transmit Certificates of such Nomination and Recommendation to the Sheriff of the said County, who shall forthwith transmit the same to the Clerk of the Council, to be by him immediately laid before the Governor or Commander in Chief; out of which said Four Persons, to be so nominated and recommended for Inspectors, the Governor, or Commander in Chief for the Time being, shall, and may appoint, by Warrant under his Hand, Two Persons to be Inspectors for the Inspection of Tobacco at the Warehouse at *Baltimore-Town* aforesaid; which Persons, so appointed by Warrant, by the Governor or Commander in Chief aforesaid, shall, after taking such Oaths, and giving such Bond and Security as are required by the said mentioned Act to be taken and given by Inspectors; be, and are hereby empowered to exercise and execute the said Office of Inspectors, in the same Manner, and under the same Penalties and Forfeitures; as if they had been nominated recommended and appointed according to the said Act. And to transmit Certificates.

IV. And be it further Enacted, by the Authority aforesaid, That every Vestryman and Churchwarden who shall neglect or refuse (not being prevented by Sickness, or some unavoidable Accident) to meet according to the Directions of this Act, to nominate and recommend Inspectors as aforesaid, or who being so met, shall omit, neglect, or refuse, to nominate and recommend Inspectors as aforesaid, whereby Inspectors shall not be nominated and recommended in Pursuance of this Act; shall forfeit and pay Five Thousand Pounds of Tobacco, with Costs of Suit for every such Offence, to be recovered and applied as Fines and Forfeitures are by the said Act to be recovered and applied. Penalty for neglect.