

and may from henceforth be adjudged Reputed and taken as a natureall borne person within this Prouince of Maryland and alsoe that he shall and may from henceforth by the same Authority be Enabled and adjudged to all intents and purposes able to demand Challenge aske have hold & Enjoy any Lands Tenements Hereditaments & Rents within this Prouince as Heire or Heires to any of his Ancestors by Reason of any discent fee simple ffee taile Generall or speciall or Remainder vpon any Estate Tayle or come to him by any discent in fee simple fee taile Generall or speciall or Remainder vpon any Estate Tayle as aforesaid or by any other Lawfull Conveyance or Conveyances or meanes whatsoever as if he had been borne within this Prouince or were of Brittish or Irish discent as aforesaid And alsoe that he from henceforth may and shall be Enabled to prosecute maintaine & avow Justify & defend all manner of accōns suites plaints and other demands whatsoever as Liberally franckly freely fully Lawfully and securely as if he had been Natureally borne within this Prouince of Maryland or were of Brittish or Irish discent and as any other person or persons Natureally borne within this Prouince or of Brittish or Irish discent may any waies Lawfully doe any Lawe Pro-^{p. 72} visoe Act or Custome of this Prouince or other thing whatsoever had made ordeined and done within this Prouince to the Contrary thereof in any wise Notwithstanding.

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To the Right Hon^{ble} the Lord & Proprietary of the
Prouince of Maryland & Avalon Lord Baron of
Baltemore &c^a.

The humble peticōn of Hans Hanson Cornelius Comegys
the Elder Millementy Comegys his wife Cornelius Comegys
the younger Elizabeth Comegys William Comegys & Hannah
Comegys their Children—

Humbly sheweth—

Vnto your Lordship That your peticoner Hans Hansun was borne in Delaware Bay of Swedish parents Your peticoner Cornelius Comegys the Elder borne in Lexmont belonging to the States of Holland your Peticoner Millementy Comegys in Barnevelt vnder the Dominion of the said states your Peticoner Cornelius Comegys the younger borne in Virginea & your Peticōners Elizabeth William & Hannah borne within this Prouince And your Peticōners Hans Hanson Cornelius Comegys the Elder and his wife and the said Cornelius their Sonne being now Removed into this Prouince haue for long time therein Inhabitted being Invited to come & dwell within this Prouince by and vpon Confidence of your Lordships Declaracōn of the