shall be Offered unto him or them by his said Lordship or his Liber C. B. heirs or by his or their Lieutenant or chief Governor there or by his or their Secretary within the said Province for the time being or shall not perform all things which are Required by these Conditions to be performed by every such Adventuror or Planter Then Every such Adventurer or Planter shall for ever after loose their Respective Rights and Pretences to the said Land

Because all Secrett trusts are usually intended to deceive either the Government and State where they are made or some other Persons and by Experience are found to occasion many suits and dissentions therefore no Adventuror or Planter shall take any Grant from his Lordship under the Great Seal of the said Province of any Lands there by Virtue of these Conditions in trust for any other Person or Persons or to any other use or uses then what shall be expressed in the said several and Respective Grants upon pain of forfeiture of the said Lands unto his Lordship and his heirs when any such Secrett trust or uses shall be truly discovered

Given at London under his Lordships hand and Greater Seal at Arms the Second day of Iuly

The Oath of Fidelity and the forms of Grants before Mentioned in the Commission and Conditions of Plantation here last before entered are the same here formerly entered upon Record with his Lordships Conditions of Plantation de Anno 1648 Fol

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Cecilius Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &ca to our right trusty and Wellbeloved William Stone Esqr our Lieutenant of the said Province of Maryld and to the rest of our Council and other Officers there and to all others whom these may Concern Greeting whereas our trusty and well Beloved Robert Brooke Esq^r doth this next Summers Expedition intend to transport himself his wife Eight Sons and family and a Great Number of other Persons into our said Province of Maryland there to erect make and settle a Considerable Plantation now we having good Experience of the Honour worth and abilities of the said Robert Brooke and of his faithfulness to us and his p. 233 real desires and intentions for the Good and Prosperity of our said Province Know yee that we do hereby Constitute and appoint him the said Robert Brooke to be Commander under us and our heirs and our and their Lieutenant of the said Pro-