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By the house of Delegates Iune 30th 1699:

May it Please yo^r Ex^{cy}

This house does humbly desire that yo^r Ex^{cy} will be pleased to appointe some of his Mas^{tyes} Hōnble Covncill to Ioyne in a Comitte wth some of the Members of this house to Consider of the Reasons that obstructs the building of the Church & free schoole to be built wthin this port & towne of Annopolis

Signed p Ord^r

Chr Gregory Ctk house Dell.

Ord^d that Coll Ioⁿ Thompson & M^r Elisha hall Carry the s^d Message to his Ex^{cy} and Covncill

They returne and say they have Delivered their Message Resolved that Sixteen Members wth M^r Speaker be a Sufficient number to make a house to doe bussiness

Ord^d Maj^r Ion Lowe M^r Symon Wilmore Cap^t Richd Hill M^r Ioⁿ Leech M^r Benj^a Hall Coll Edw^d Lloyd Maj^r Thomas Ennalls M^r Ioⁿ Carvill M^r W^m Hutchinson M^r Ioⁿ Bozmon M^r James Crawford M^r Rich^d Tilghman and M^r Michael Miller be appointed a Comitte to inspect and revise and Compleate the body of Laws & for the drawing and Considerring of such new Laws as shall be made this Sessions and p^ticularly to Consider of the Law relateing to the Surveying of Lands.

Resolved that the said Comitte goe out and Consider of such their Charge and that they sitt in the Iury Roome.

The Honble Coll. Charles Hutchins Thos Brookes Rob^t Smith Ioⁿ Hammond & Tho: Taskers Esq^{rs} all of his Maj^{tyes} Covncill Enter the house and p^rsent the following Message

By the Council in Assembly Iune the 30th 1699:

Gent:

Yesterday his Ex^{cy} was pleased to lay before you Severall of his Maj^{tyes} Royall instructions to the End you may discerne thereby his Princely Care and Concerne for us and if you have any thing to observe or advise towards the fullfilling & p^rformance of them this board is ready to attend it and Joyne wth you therein.

The principale matters that are recommended to your Consideration are the buisness of this Sesssions are these

1: The Reviseing & Comeposeing our Laws into one Compleate Body according to his Maj^{tyes} Royall instructions