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Number of the Sea ffaring Men within the same which s^d list Lib. H. D. and Acco^t so taken they are to transmit unto his Ex^{ncy} at the Port of Annapolis with all imaginable expedition.

Ordered that the Justices of the Respective County Courts of this Province Omitt not to Comply with the Severall Directions laid down in a Certaine Act of Assembly Entituled an Act for the better clearing of the Roads and directing all travelling through the Province that pursuant thereto they transmi or send an Acco^t in writing (of what publick Roads are Asceltain'd in each County unto his Ex^{ncy} the Govern^r & Councill with all Convenient Speed.

His Exncies demand abt the Association lately Signed to by the Association signed to Severall Officers in the respective County's of this Governm' be necessary to be Offer'd to be Signed by any of the rest of the Inhabitants of the Governm' who make answer, they do believe there will be no Occasion.

Mr Wm ffrisby's ffine of 500l of Tob: (upon Sight hereof) forbear to Leavy or Cause to Ordered to be taken of. (upon Sight hereof) forbear to Leavy or Cause to be Leavyed upon the Body Goods or Chattells of Mr Wm ffrisby within his Bayliwick the Sume of ffive Hundred pounds of Tobo a certain ffine imposed upon him by Law, and now in the sd Sherriffs hands to Collect, the Same being Remitted him by this Board and he is hereby accordingly Exonerated of the Same.

May the 31th 1697.

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The Councill again Sate and were p^rsent His Ex^{ncy} Francis Nicholson Esq Cap^t Gen^{ll} &^{ca} S^r Thomas Laurence Baron^t Secry^r

Coll: Henry Jowles
Coll: John Addison
Coll: John Courts
Thomas Tench Esq

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Thomas Brooke Esq

Produced and Read the following Peticon Vizt

To his Ex^{ncy} ffrancis Nicholson Esq Cap^t Gen^{ll} & Govern^r in Chief in and Over his Ma^{ts} Province and Territory of Maryland and to the hon^{rble} Councill &^{ca}