

to Discharge But the said Mareen Duvall by his said petition further Setting forth that he is very willing to part with all that he hath in the world towards the payment of the aforementioned Debt if the said Messers Perry and Company would Accept thereof and Grant him his Libertie. And for that it seems to this Present Generall Assembly that the said Mareen Duvall has not fallen under such Circumstances by any Idleness haveing been always a pains Taking Industrious planter, but mearly by Losses and Mismanagement of his affairs and therefore for that the said Mareen and his Familly are thought fitt objects of Charity and that his Lying in Goal Can be no benifitt to the said Messers Perry and Company though it may Prove a Ruin to him self and Burthen to the County it is prayed that He may be Relieved according to his Petition and that It may be Enacted And Be it Enacted by the right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the advice and Consent of his Lordships Governour and the upper and lower houses of Assembly and by the Authority of the same that in Case the said Mareen Duvall shall deliver up or cause to be Delivered up (in the Presence of two Justices of the peace in Prince Georges County whom the said Sherr. is hereby required to Summons on the request of the said Mareen Duvall at the said Mareen his now Dwelling Plantation at Some Convenient time within three months after the End of this present Session of Assembly) upon Oath all his real and Personall Estate either in Possession Reversion Remainder or in trust or in or unto which he hath any Claim or Interest whatsoever and do within the time aforesaid Convey Assign Transfer and make Over unto any Purchaser or Purchasers whatsoever all such his Estate Interest or Claim aforesaid after such manner as by the said Purchaser or Purchasers shall be thought fitt or by his or their Councill Learned in the Law shall be reasonably devised or required at the Cost and Charges of such Purchaser or Purchasers as aforesaid so as the said Mareen Duvall be not burrthened with any warranty's thereby Other than from himself and those that Claim by from or under him and that the Purchase money ariseing on the Sale of the said real and Personall Estate shall be paid to and lodged in the hands of Thomas Bordley of the City of Annapolis Esq^r for the use of the said Micajah Perry and Company and that the said Mareen Duvall at the time of such his Surrender and transferring of his Estate as aforesaid shall take his Solemn Oath before the said Justices so to be Summoned as aforesaid to the Effect following Viz. I Mareen Duvall do solemnly Swear that the Goods Lands Debts and Effects which I have delivered up and mencōned in a Certain Schedull Signed by me and remaining in the hands of the Sherr. of Prince Georges County, is the whole Estate both Real and Personall of my own in Possession or that I have any Title to in the world and that I have not any Estate goods or Effects of any kind whatsoever left either in

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