

no male heirs at the Time of his Death and that in default of Issue in the said female heirs the said Land to Descend according to the will of the Father of the petitioners and the prayer of the Petitioners in the said Petition contained being thought reasonable the Same was Granted and Leave given to bring in a Bill according to the Petitioners prayer It is therefore Humbly prayed that it may be Enacted and be it Enacted by the Right Honourable The Lord Proprietary by and with the advice & Consent of his Lordships Governor and the upper and Lower houses of Assembly and the Authority of the same That the said Tract of Land Called Buzzard Island and the addition to Buzzard Island containing in the whole Seven hundred and fifty one acres with the Appurtenances in Calvert County aforesaid so as aforesaid Devised by the said Leonard Hollyday the Father to his Second Son Leonard Hollyday and his male heirs shall be and the Same are hereby Vested in the said female heirs of Leonard Hollyday the Son their heirs and assigns to the only use and Behoof of them the said female heirs of the said Leonard Hollyday the Son their Heirs and assigns for ever Provided always and it is the true Intent and Meaning of this act that if the said Leonard Hollyday shall have any male heirs of his Body at the time of his Death or that the said female heirs of the said Leonard Hollyday shall not have Issue that then and in such Case the Said Land Called Buzzard Island and the Addition to Buzzard Island with The Appurtenances shall Descend and stand Limited as by the Last will and Testament of the said Leonard Hollyday the Testator is Devised any Law Usage or Custom to the Contrary in any Wise Notwithstanding Saving to the Kings most Excellent Majesty his heirs & successors to the Right Honourable The Lord Proprietary his heirs and Successors and to all and every other Person & Persons not mentioned in this Act Bodies politic and Corporate their respective heirs & successors all such Right Title Estate Interest Claim & Demand other than the Persons claiming under the Last will of the said Leonard Hollyday the Father and this Act as they every or any of them Could or might Claim if this Act had never been made

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by the Lower house of  
Assembly

Signed p order  
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On behalf of the Right  
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ince I will this be a Law  
Hor.<sup>o</sup> Sharpe

1<sup>st</sup> April 1756  
Read and assented to  
by the Upper house of  
Assembly.

Signed p order  
J Ross Cl Up Ho

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