

Liber H. S.  
No. 1

for the Amount of the duty of fifteen Pence p Hogshead which they shall respectively receive for Tobacco that shall be exported after the first day of December next instead of Remitting such Bills of Exchange to the Trustees in London as was directed by the above recited Act and the said Commissioners or Trustees for emitting the Bills of Credit established by Act of Assembly are hereby directed and impowered to receive the same and enter them in their Books to the Credit of the Province of Maryland and that the said Bills of Exchange so by them received shall be the first Bills of Exchange they shall Pay away to those who shall bring in Bills of Credit to be Sunk at the end of the said Sixteen Years and the Delivery of the said Bills by the said Commissioners or Trustees shall be a Payment and discharge of the said Bills of Credit so to be brought in and sunk as fully and amply as Bills Drawn by the said Commissioners or Trustees upon the Trustees in England According to the Directions of the said recited Act any thing therein Contained to the Contrary Notwithstanding

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19.<sup>th</sup> Novem.<sup>r</sup> 1763  
Read and Assented to  
by the Lower House of  
Assembly  
Signed p.<sup>r</sup> Order  
MMacnemara Clk lo Ho

On behalf of the Right  
Honourable the Lord  
Proprietary of this Pro-  
vince I will this be a Law.  
Horo: Sharpe

19.<sup>th</sup> Novem.<sup>r</sup> 1763  
Read and Assented to  
by the Upper House of  
Assembly  
Signed p Order  
JRoss Clk Up Ho.

The Great Seal  
in Wax appendant

No. 22 An Act for the Advancement of Justice

[No. XXIII]  
[Passed  
21<sup>st</sup> of  
November]  
[Preamble]

Whereas Notwithstanding the several Laws heretofore made for the Advancement of Justice amendment of the Law and Aiding and Supplying several Defects in Judicial Proceedings great delay trouble and expences have been and still are Occasioned by Demurrers Arresting and reversing of Judgments and Staying executions by Writs of Error and Appeal there being yet no Sufficient Provision made for the aiding such Omissions Errors and Imperfections as are Usually taken Advantage of by Special Demurers and also for Aiding such Defects in the entries of Clerks as are frequently taken Advantage of on the Prosecuting Writs of Error or Appeal as well as divers other Advantages of other defects or Pretended Defects or Errors which only serve to prevent or direct the Examination of and giving Judgment on the very Right of the Cause For Remedy Whereof

[Courts of  
Law shall  
give judg-  
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cording as  
the Right of  
the Cause,  
&c shall ap-  
pear to them,  
without  
regarding  
omissions,  
Errors, &c.]

Be it enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordships Governor and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and the Authority of the same That in all Actions to be commenced after this Session of Assembly the Justices of the several Courts of Law within this