

shall be Amerced or for the sum and Costs recovered against the Person or Persons taken on Execution against the said Sheriff or Coroner the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs his her or their Executors or Administrators shall make Appear to the Satisfaction of the Justices aforesaid a Demand by him her or them or his her or their Attorney at Law made of or from the Sheriff or Coroner aforesaid of the Sum in which such Sheriff or Coroner shall be Amerced or of the sum and Costs recovered against the Person or Persons taken on Execution as aforesaid and also the refusal or neglect of the Sheriff or Coroner to pay the same respective sums according to such Demand and also that the Plaintiff or Plaintiffs his her or their Executors or Administrators or his her or their Attorney at Law in the Case of such Amercement as aforesaid upon the Return of any Writ being mesne Process offered or tendered to the said Sheriff or Coroner an Assignment of the Cause of Action when the same Cause of Action shall arise on Contract whereupon the Original Writ issued.

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And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid that it shall and may be Lawful for the Sheriff or Coroner who shall be Amerced as aforesaid and unto whom any such Cause of Action arising on Contract shall be Assigned as aforesaid and who shall have paid or Satisfied the same to the Original Plaintiff or Plaintiffs his her or their Executors or Administrators or Attorney at Law to bring Suit thereon for the Recovery of the same under and by Virtue of such Assignment and that the Defendant or Defendants his her or their Heirs Executors or Administrators shall have the same full Advantage and Benefit of Defence on such suit to all Intents and Purposes as he she or they might have or be entitled unto upon a Suit Prosecuted in the Name of the Original Plaintiff or Plaintiffs

[Sheriff, &c. amerced, who may have satisfied the original Plaintiff, &c. may bring suit, &c.]

By the Lower House of Assembly 17:th June 1768 Read & Assented to Sign'd by Order T. Wright Cl. Lo: Ho:	}	On Behalf of the right Honble the Lord Pro- prietary of this Province I Will this be a Law Horo Sharpe	{	By the Upper House of Assembly 17:th June 1768 Read and Assented to Signed by Order UScott Cl. Up. Ho.
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in Wax Appendant

N:º II: An Act for the Relief of Joseph Scott of Worcester County

Whereas Joseph Scott of Worcester County hath by his Petition set forth That a Negro Man Slave belonging to the said Joseph Scott was committed to the Custody of the Sheriff of Worcester County on Suspicion of his being the Murderer of a certain Henry Selby and that the said Slave before he could receive his Tryal for that Fact died in the Goal of said County wherefore the said Peti-

[Private Act]