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AN ACT to make valid certain acts of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Dorchester County. Passed April 19, 1852.

WHEREAS, Since the organization of the Circuit Courts, established by the Constitution of this State, no court has been held in and for Dorchester county, composing part of the eighth Judicial Circuit, and the clerk of said circuit for said county, has received no official notice of the qualification of the Circuit Judge of said circuit; and whereas, owing to the dissolution of the County Courts, and the establishment of the new order of things, the clerk of the said Circuit Court for said county, has issued certain writs of capias ad respondendum, fieri facias and other process tested as of the first day of the October term of Dorchester county, last past, and in the name of the Chief Judge of said County Court, and some in the name of the Judge of said Circuit Court, before his qualification as such, and made the same returnable the first Monday in April, to the said Circuit Court; Therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That all writs of capias ad respondendum, fieri facias and all other process issued by the clerk of the said Circuit Court, whether issued, tested and made returnable as aforesaid, to the first Monday in April eighteen hundred and fifty-two, or issued as aforesaid, tested as aforesaid, and made returnable to the April term of said Circuit Court for said county, be, and the same are hereby made valid and available in law, to all intents and purposes, as if issued in the name of the said Circuit Judge, tested on the day of his qualification as said Judge, or since, and made returnable on the fourth Tuesday of April eighteen hundred and fifty-two, and the said writs shall not be quashed, avoided or set aside by reason of any informalities or irregularities as aforesaid.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That writs or other process that may be issued by the said clerk after the passage of this act, tested as aforesaid, and made returnable to the April term of said Circuit Court, shall be valid and available in law to all intents and purposes.

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That this act shall take effect from its passage.