

Vs, Our Heires, or Successors, or of any of the officers of Vs, Our Heires, or Successors; (saving alwayes, to Vs, Our Heires and Successors, the Impositions, Customes, and other duties and payments for the said Wares and Merchandise) any Statute, Act, Ordinance or other thing whatsoever to the contrary notwithstanding.

A N D because in so remote a Country, and situate amongst so many barbarous nations, the incursions aswell of the salvages themselves, as of other enemies, pyrates and robbers, may probably be feared: Therefore We have given, and for Vs, Our Heires, and Successors, doe give power by these presents, unto the now Lord *Baltimore*, his heires and assignes, by themselves, or their Captaines, or other their officers, to Leavy, Muster and Traine, all sorts of men, of what condition, or wheresoever borne, in the said Province of *Mary-land* for the time being, and to make warre, and to pursue the Enemies and Robbers aforesaid, aswell by sea as by land, yea, even without the limits of the said Province, and (by Gods assistance) to vanquish and take them, and being taken, to put them to death by the Law of warre, or to save them at their pleasure, and to doe all and every other thing which unto the charge and office of a Captaine Generall of an Army belongeth, or hath accustomed to belong, as fully and freely,

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