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and Promising to hold for good firm Valid and Effectual all that the said Attorneys or
either of them shall lawfully do or cause to be done in the Premises by virtue of these
Presents In Witness whereof the said Joseph Nicholson Benjamin Nicholson and
Margaret his Wife Samuel Nicholson and Elizabeth his Wife have hereto set their
hands and Seals the ninth day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven
hundred and fifty

Signed Sealed & Delivered by the above named Joseph
Nicholson, Samuel Nicholson and Elizabeth his wife }
(the parchment being first legally stamped) in
the presence of us - - -

Jonathan Troy - Ma: Bradbury

Signed Sealed & Delivered by the above named Benjamin
Nicholson & Margaret his wife (the parchment being
first legally stamped) in presence of us - - -

Wm Howe Lundie

James Todd

Joseph Nicholson *[Signature]*
Benj^a Nicholson *[Signature]*
Margaret Nicholson *[Signature]*
Saml Nicholson *[Signature]*
Eliz^a Nicholson *[Signature]*

To All to whom these Presents shall come I Jonathan Troy Esquire Mayor of the
Borough of Stockton in the County of Durham and Kingdom of Great Britain do hereby
Certify that on the day of the date hereof Personally came and appeared before me Joseph
Nicholson of Chester Town in Kent County in the Province of Maryland Merchant
Samuel Nicholson of Stockton aforesaid Doctor in Physick and Elizabeth his wife and
did then and there before me and in my presence and in the presence of Ralph Bradbury
of Stockton aforesaid Gentleman in due form of Law Sign Seal and as their respective
Debt and Deeds deliver and acknowledge the Letter of Attorney above written and the
Indentures of Lease and Release hereto annexed in the said letter of Attorney specified
and described in the order and manner following to wit the said Lease first
afterwards the Release and afterwards the said Letter of Attorney And I do hereby
further Certify that the said Elizabeth is of full age and was Solely and Separately
examined apart from her Husband and freely and voluntarily consented to execute
acknowledged the said Indentures of Lease and Release and Letter of Attorney and that
she knew the same to be a conveyance to Barr her Title of Dower and to pass all her
Interest of and in a part of a Tract of Land called Nicholsons Mannor lying in
Baltimore County in the said Province of Maryland containing about four thousand
two hundred Acres together with all Woods Woodlands and Underwoods being
parcel of or comprised within the said four thousand two hundred Acres

In Faith and Testimony whereof I the said Mayor have set my hand and *[Signature]*
the Common Seal of ^{the said Borough of} Stockton to be hereto put and affixed and the said Indentures of
Lease and Release to be hereto also annexed dated at Stockton aforesaid the
Ninth day of March in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and fifty

Jonathan Troy Mayor of Stockton *[Signature]*

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