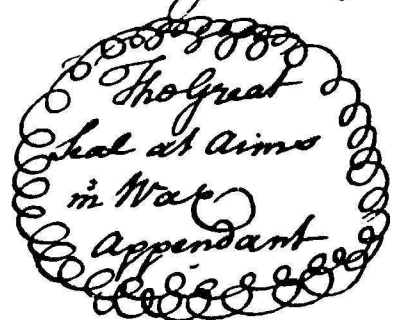


any Insufficiency or Defect in the Words Expressions Clauses or Sentences of this my Commission and altho' every particular Matter strictly requisite not herein — strictly expressed And I do hereby further for a Compensation Salary and Encouragement to the said Edward Lloyd for the punctual sincere and faithfull Performance of the Powers and Authorities hereby granted him and in Consideration of the Pains Labour and Trouble he shall take in the due Execution thereof, Authorize direct and impower him to Take Receive and Retain to and for his own Use out of all such Monies Tobacco or other Effects as shall be Received on any of the Accounts aforesaid, arising from our Land Office or from my Mannor and other Rents — (except Quit Rents) and Fines and all other my Property to be Collected by him — (except out of such Monies or Bills of Exchange) as shall arise or become due to me for the Duty of Twelve Pence per Hoghead on all Tobacco Exported and fourteen Pence per Ton on the Tonnage of Ships and other Vessels, and also all Money or Bills of Exchange arising due to me for my Quit Rents within our said Province) the Sum of Ten Pounds in the hundred and so at the same Rate for a greater or lesser Quantity, and also the Sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling Yearly for Receiving and Remitting the Duties of Twelve Pence per Hoghead on Tobacco Exported and fourteen Pence per Ton on the Tonnage of Ships and also all Money or Bills of Exchange arising due to me for my Quit Rents within our said Province. And I do hereby revoke annul and make Void all former and other Commissions Powers and Authorities touching the Promises by me my Guardians or Predecessors Authority heretofore granted to any other Person or Persons — whatever. And this my Commission and the Powers herein granted is to continue in force during my Pleasure. Witness my hand and Great Seal at Arms. Given at London this Thirtieth day of March in the Second Year of our Dominion and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and fifty three



By his Lordships Command  
 Cecil Calvert Secy.

On the Back of the aforesaid Commission was thus Endorsed Vizt.  
 Entered in the Office of the Honourable Cecilius Calvert Esq. Secretary of the Province of Maryland in America residing in England Harman Verelst Assistant  
 Maryland Esq. We hereby Certify that on the Eleventh day of October  
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