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Recorded March 20. 1754

Before me

Rich^d Dorsey

17/2/54

Ex^d

On the Twentieth day of March 1754 Personally appeared George Stewart Esq. before me the Subscriber one of the Lord Proprietarys Justices of the Peace for Ann^e County and took the following Oath as Judge or Register of the Land Office (Viz^t.)

You George Stewart do swear that you will well faithfully and Impartially to the Best of your skill and Knowledge execute your Office and that you will not willingly or Wittingly Charge Ask take exact or Demand any other or larger fees for doing your duty in your Office than is mentioned in the Act Intituled an Act for Amending the Staple of Tobacco for Preventing frauds in his Majesties Customs

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Certified J. Rich^d Dorsey

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I hereby certify that on the Twentieth day of March 1754 came before me the subscriber one of his Lordships Justices of the Peace for Ann Arundel County Benjamin Beall and took the Oath mentioned in the Act Intituled an Act for Amending the Staple of Tobacco for Preventing Frauds in his Majesties Customs and for Limitation of Officers Fees as Deputy Clerk to John Price Esq. Clerk of Ann^e County Court which Oath follows in these words (Viz^t.) You Benjamin Beall do swear that you will not for Lucre or Malice delay any Person or Persons applying to you for any Business belonging to the Office you officiate in and that you will not directly or Indirectly Ask Demand take or Receive from or Charge to any such Person or Persons to your own Use (except your Salary from your Principal) any fee or reward whatsoever for any service you shall do as Clerk of the said Office and also that in Making out the Office Fees you will not wittingly or willingly Charge other or higher fees than Limited by the Act Intituled an Act for Amending the Staple of Tobacco for Preventing frauds in his Majesties Customs and for Limitation of Officers Fees

Rich^d Dorsey

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