

Solely by these presents Sealed with Our Seals and Dated this -  
Fifteenth Day of March 1755 -

The Condition of the above Obligation  
is Such That if the above Bounden George Plater whilst he shall continue  
in the office of Deputy Secretary of Maryland shall at his own proper  
Cost and Charge find a supply of Good and Sufficient Record Books -  
Measary for the Entering up of all Matters and Things relating to  
the Chancery office and shall or will make or cause to be made and  
Entered true legal and Perfect Records and Entries according to the  
Truth and Nature of the Matter or Thing requiring to be Entered or  
Recorded and shall duly and Carefully look after sustain preserve -  
repair and Maintain all the several Books papers and Records  
now being and remaining in the said office as also all those  
from Time to Time during his Continuance in the said office -  
shall be added therunto in such manner as that in case of death  
or that he shall be legally Dismissed from officiating longer in  
the said office. by the said George Plater his Executors or Admi-  
nistrators shall Surrender or Deliver up or cause to be Surrendered or  
Delivered up to the next Person who shall succeed him in the said  
Secretarys office all the Papers and Record Books which shall  
be by him added in like good order and repair with the Records  
and Entries faithfully legally and truly made up and Entered  
during the time he hath officiated in the said Secretarys  
office without favour or affection but according to the Truth the  
Nature of the Thing and the Duty of his Function and all  
other the Dutys of his said Office legally duly and faithfully -  
shall discharge according to Law and the true Intent and  
Meaning of the Act of assembly in such cases made and  
Provided that then the above Obligation to be void and of  
none Effect a lso to be and remain in Full Force and  
Virtue in Law -

Signed Sealed and Delivered  
in the presence -

Witness  
William Butterfield

Geo. Plater Seal  
Benjamin Tasker

Profs - Seal  
(On)