

697 Maryland ^{Know} all men by these Presents that we George Steuart & John
 Exam. Maff of the City of Annapolis Esqrs and John Hepburn of Prince Georges County Esqrs
 Are held and firmly bound unto the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary of the
 Said Province in the full and just sum of Two thousand Pounds sterling money
 To be Paid unto the Said Lord Proprietary his heirs and Successors to which Payment
 We and truly to be made and Done we bind our selves and Each of us ~~and~~ ^{and} every of our heirs
 Executors and administrators jointly and severally for the whole and in the whole firmly
 By these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 28th day of May anno Domini 1756
 The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the Said George Steuart as
 One of the Commissioners of the Loan Office shall well and truly execute the
 Several Powers and Authorities by him to be done and Performed according to the true
 Contents and meaning of an Act of Assembly Entitled an Act for granting a Supply
 Of forty thousand Pounds for his majestys Service, and striking thirty four thousand
 and fifteen Pounds six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credits and raising a Fund for
 Sinking the same that then the above Obligation to be void or Else to remain in full
 Force and Virtue in Law

Signed sealed and Delivered -
 in Presents of

Francis Key
 William Steuart

Geo: Steuart Seal
 Jn: Ross Seal
 J: Hepburn Seal

Be it remembered that on the Thirtieth first Day of May in the year
 of our Lord Seventeen hundred and fifty six before me the Subscriber one of the Justices
 of the Provincial Court of Maryland Personally appeared Francis Key & William
 Steuart the Subscribing witnesses to the within bond and made oath on the holy
 Evangelists of Almighty God that they saw the within named
 John Ross and John Hepburn
 George Steuart Esquire sign seal their acts and deed Deliver the within bond to ^{me} for
 The uses & purposes therein mentioned, also the within named George Steuart Esqrs made
 oath on the holy Evangelists of Almighty God in manner following that is to say George
 Steuart do swear that I will according to the best of my skill & knowledge faithfully
 impartially & duly demand my self in the discharge of the Trust committed to me by an
 Act of the general Assembly of this Province Entitled an Act for granting a Supply
 Of forty thousand Pounds for his majestys Service and striking thirty four thousand & fifteen Pound
 Six Shillings thereof in Bills of Credits & raising a Fund for Sinking the same according
 To the Purpose & tenor of the same act, that none may be prejudiced by Consent Privily or
 Provements so help me God

Jm: Brice

You are hereby ordered to Record this Bond immediately amongst the Records of the
 Provincial Court
 To Wm High Clerk of the Provincial Court } June the 2^d 1756 The Security in the
 may 31st 1756 } within Bond Approved of by
 d/ta sides Recorded June 3. 1756 } Hammond Esqrs

Jm: Brice