

To Joseph Richardson, Clerk of Caroline County Court

The undersigned a free negro of Caroline County wishing
to visit the City of Philadelphia for the purpose of seeing her Relations, By an
act of this State it is necessary my intention of leaving should be made known
to you, It is my intention to return to this County again within two months
from this date. Given under my hand this 8th day of June 1838 -

Sarah ^{Wm} Gibson
marked

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H. Bishop