

was manumitted as aforesaid, I do hereby Certify, that from the age expressed in the said Manumission that the said Negro Man called Kennedy is about thirty one years of age, five feet three inches high dark Complexion, was raised in Caroline County near Hunting Creek, has a Scar on the left side of his neck occasioned by a bite, and a Scar on the right Leg occasioned by the small Pox, and no other notable marks which I can discover. In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand, and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this twenty ninth day of July one thousand eight hundred and six. Tho. Richardson Clk of Caroline County Court

Caroline County, to wit: Do remember that on the ~~fourth~~ day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six, I delivered to Negro Cato in the following Certificate mentioned, a Certificate of which the following ~~is~~ Copy. to wit.

State of Maryland, Caroline County, to wit: Whereas Negro Cato heretofore, on the twenty third day of December in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety nine, was manumitted by Sarah Handcastle and Solomon Kenton of Caroline County to be free and at perfect Liberty on the first day of January eighteen hundred and one, as by the said Manumission referred being thereto had will appear, and by the Oath of Howell Kenton that the said Negro Cato is the identical person who was manumitted as aforesaid. I do hereby Certify that from the age expressed in the said Manumission that the said Negro Man called Cato is about forty six years of age, five feet eight inches high, dark Complexion, was raised in Talbot County near Hillsborough has a large Scar on his left instep occasioned by the Cuts of an axe, and a small Scar on the back part of his head rather on the right side and no other notable marks which I can discover. In Testimony

whereof I have hereto set my hand, and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this tenth day of September in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and six. Tho. Richardson Clk of Caroline County Court