

Great Advantages which they daily have and enjoy by using the freedom of the said Trade have been found and observed dis-respectfully to Refuse to Receive on board in their Ships and vessels and to carry and transport from this Province such goods and Commodities as are the proper goods and Commodities of your Lordships or of your Lordships Governour or Governours of this Province for the tyme being Albeit your Lordships or your Lordships officers and Agents and your Lordships said Governour or Governours his and their officer and officers have been att all tymes ready to pay and allow such reasonable Consideration and Satisfaction for the freight Carriage and Transportacion of such goods and Commodities as is usually payd or allowed or agreed to be paid or allowed by other persons from whom such masters Captains Commanders or owners of such Ships have been imployed or by whom they have been agreed with for the freight Carriage and Transportacion of goods of the like nature and quality from this Province to the great damage and prejudice of your Lordship and the discouragement of such persons as and or shall be Imployed in the Government of this Province under your Lordship and Your heirs -

Wee Your Lordships most obedient and most faithfull Servants the Upper and Lower houses of Assembly in this present Generall Assembly of the freemen of this Province Assembled Doe most humbly beseech Your Lordship that itt may be declared Ordained Enacted and Published And Bec itt declared ordained Enacted and Published by his Lordship the Lord and Proprietary of this Province under his Lordships Seale (by and with the advice assent and approbacion of the Upper and Lower houses of Assembly this present Generall Assembly of the freemen of this Province Assembled that from and after the twenty Nynth day of September which shall be in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand six hundred Sixty Nyns Every master Captain or Commander of any Ship or vessel from time to time repaying or coming into this Province or any part thereof to the intent to ship load or freight any goods or Commodities within this Province or any the ports Harbours Bays Rivers Creeks or places thereto belonging for the transporting of the same therein out of this Province shall within five dayes after his or their Arrivall in this Province or before his or their Breaking of Bulke or landing any goods Commodities or Merchandize within this Province or any the ports or places thereto belonging give notice unto the said Lord and Proprietary his heirs or assignes Lord and Proprietary or Lord or Proprietary of this Province or their Governour of this Province for the tyme being of such his or their Arrivall and of the port or place where such Ship or vessel shall soe arrive Together with the name and Burthen of such Ship or vessel And the true Ports or Place Ports or places for which the same shall be bound or shall be intended to be bound when the same shall depart from this Province

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