

of Rents, Revenues and Profits thereof, or of any of them, only for the defraying the Charges that shall be laid out in erecting and fitting the Edifices of the said Free-School or Schools, as they or the major Part of them shall think most Expedient, until the said Free-School or Schools shall be Actually Erected, founded and Established, and upon the Trust and Intention that as soon as the said Free-School or Schooles shall be erected and founded, the said *Francis Nicolson* and other the Trustees above-named, shall from Time to Time, and at all times hereafter apply all Lands, Tenements, Rents, Annuities, Goods, Chattels, Profits, Incomes or Advantages whatsoever, Real or Personal, or as much as shall not be laid out and bestowed upon Building the said Free-School or Schools as aforesaid, as shall be hereafter Expressed; and that when the said Free-School or Schools shall be so erected and Established, the said *Francis Nicolson* and other the Trustees above-named, or the major Part or the longest Livers of them, shall apply and appropriate to the Use, Benefit and Maintenance out of the Revenues or Incomes to the said Trustees for the use aforesaid, the Sum of one Hundred and Twenty Pounds *Sterling per Annum*, for the Salary Support and Maintenance of the said first mentioned Free-School Master, Usher and Scribe, and the necessary repairs and Improvements of the same. as to the said *Francis Nicolson* and Trustees aforesaid, the major Part or Survivors of them, shall seem Expedient from Time to Time to Ordain in the Premises; and that for the Uses and purposes aforesaid, they the said *Francis Nicolson* and the Trustees aforesaid, the Survivors or the Major part of them, shall and may be Incorporated into a Body Politick by the Name of the Rectors, Governours, Trustees and Visitors of the Free-Schools of *Maryland*, with full Power to plead and be impleaded, to sue and be sued, to defend and be defended, to answer and be answered, in all and every Cause, Complaint and Action, real, personal or mixt, of whatsoever kind or Nature it shall be, whatsoever Courts and Places of Judicature belonging to your Majesty, your Heirs or Successors, or by, from or under your Royal Grant or Authority. And that your Majesty will be Graciously pleased to give and grant your special License, as far as your Majesty see expedient, to the said *Francis Nicolson*, Esq; and the other Trustees aforesaid, that they or any of them, or that any Person or Persons whatsoever, after the said Free-School or Schools is or are so Erected, Founded and Established, or before, may have Power to give and grant assign and bequeath all or any Mannour, Lands, Tenements, Rents, Services, Portions, Annuities, Pensions, Inheritances, Franchises and Possessions whatsoever, Spiritual or Temporal, to the Vallue of Fifteen Hundred Pounds *Sterling per Annum*, besides all Burthens, Reprizals and Reparations to them the said *Francis Nicolson* and others the Governours Trustees and Visitors of the said Free-Schools of *Maryland*, the major Part or Survivors of them Incorporate, for the Uses aforesaid, to them and their Successors forever. And further That the said *Francis Nicolson* and other the Governours, Trustees and Visitors aforesaid, the longest Livers and Successors of them be the True, Sole and Undoubted Visitors, Trustees and Governours of the said Free-School or Schools, in perpetual Succession forever, to be continued in the Way and Manner hereafter specified; with full and absolute Power, Liberty and Authority in making and Ordaining such Laws, Orders and Rules for the good Government of the said Free-School or Schools; as to them the said Trustees, Governours and Visitors aforesaid and their Successors, shall from time to time, according to the Various Occasions and Circumstances seem most fit and requisite: All which shall be observed by the Master, Usher, Tutors and Schollars of the said School upon the Penalties therein contained.

And Establishing
of them.

And raising 120 £
per Annum. r. r. a
Master, Usher and
Scribe.

And necessary
repairs and Im-
provements.

Made a Body
Politick with the
Powers thereof.

The succession of
Rector and Visitors
to be perpetual.
With Power to
make by Laws.