

Heirs and Successors, for the Support of Government, the Sum of One thousand Pounds of Tobacco, to be recovered in any Court of Record within this Province, wherein no Essoign, Protection, or Wager of Law, shall be allowed.

AND be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Suit or Action be commenced or prosecuted against any Person or Persons, for what he or they shall do, in pursuance of the Execution of this Act, such Person or Persons, so sued, may plead the General Issue, and upon any Issue joined, may give the Special Matter in Evidence; and if the Plaintiff shall discontinue his Suit or Judgment past against him, the Defendant or Defendants shall recover his or their Double Costs for his or their unjust Vexation: Provided always, That if either of the said Parties, disputing Bounds, as aforesaid, shall find himself agrieved by any such Order, Determination, and Decree, as aforesaid, it shall and may be lawful for the Person so agrieved, to make Application to the Governor for the time being, for a Special Commission, to be directed to Three Persons inhabiting within this Province, whereof One to be of His Majesty's Council, or one of the Justices of the Provincial-Court, and the other Two to be well skilled in the Art of Surveying, and of good Character, such as the Governor shall think fit to appoint, to review such Determination, Order, and Decree, who, by virtue of such Commission, shall have full Power and Authority to review the same, according to the Directions, and according to the Manner prescribed in this Act, and either confirm the same, or otherwise to pass such further Determination, Order, and Decree, of and upon the Premises, as to them shall seem most Just and Equitable; so always, that the said Review shall be made, and fully completed and entred, as aforesaid, within Three Months from the time of the Determination, made by the first Commissioners; from which last Determination, and Entry of the Plat, and Certificate thereof, as aforesaid, there shall be no further Review or Appeal whatsoever, allowed to any of the Courts of this Province: But in case the Pretensions of any Party grieved shall amount unto, or be adjudged to exceed the Value of Three hundred Pounds *Sterling*; that then and in all such Cases, such Party may have an Appeal from such Sentence, of the Commissioners of Review to the King's Majesty in Council, he giving Security to prosecute such Appeal with Effect, or otherwise pay and satisfy all such Costs and Damages, as shall or may accrue to the other Party, for whom such Sentence has been given, by making such his Appeal, as aforesaid.

PROVIDED nevertheless, and it is hereby Enacted and Declared, That the Party for whom such Sentence, as aforesaid, shall be given, shall not any ways be delayed by such Appeal to the King's Majesty, as aforesaid, but immediately put in Possession of the Land within the Bounds so ascertained, as aforesaid: And also Provided, That where any Bounds of Lands have been already settled and determined by any Law Suits, Arbitrations, or otherwise, such Determination appearing on Record, the same, so settled and determined, shall remain and continue Unalterable, and no ways subject to any View or Review of the Commissioners appointed by this Law. And that it shall and may be lawful for the Provincial-Court of this Province, to hear and determine all Actions of Trespas and Ejectments already depending before them, or which shall be commenced before the First Day of *June*, One thousand seven hundred and sixteen; any thing in this Act to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding. And further, That this Act, nor any Clause therein contained, shall be of Force, or put in Execution, within any the Counties of this Province, until the First Day of *June*, in the Year of our Lord God, Seventeen hundred and sixteen, or continue in Force longer than Three Years, after the said First Day of *June*, Seventeen hundred and sixteen.

*Pass'd June 3d, 1715.*

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