

Instructions to Sam<sup>l</sup> Ogle Esq<sup>r</sup> our Lieutenant Governor & Chancellor.

Whereas an Address has been to me by the  
by the Upper & Lower House of Assembly, that a  
Sum of Money may be raised in lieu of my Quit-  
Rents & Alienation Fines, you are directed to  
proceed as follows —

1<sup>st</sup> You shall consider what Equivalent ~~the~~  
Legislature of Maryland can give instead of my  
Alienation Fines & Quit-Rents. —

2<sup>d</sup> You must take care y<sup>t</sup> such Equivalent ~~ferd~~  
not to further the Trade of his Majesty's Subjects  
trading to Maryland. —

3<sup>d</sup> You shall not give y<sup>r</sup> Consent to any Bill for  
the same Equivalent, but first send the Draught of  
the Bill over to me, & take my directions therein.

Given under our Hand & Seal at London this 14<sup>th</sup>  
day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1735 —

By his Esq<sup>s</sup> Com<sup>rs</sup>  
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Instructions to Benj: Tasker our Agent or General Receiver.

1<sup>st</sup> You shall not for the future allow the  
Collectors of the Revenue their Deductions, till  
they produce you a fair Copy of their respective  
Rent-Rolls, with the Non-payments, & such other  
Annuadoversions as you shall direct, but inserted  
therein.