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The Hon^{ble} Cacilius Calvert Esq^r his Lordships
 Secretary of Maryland to Benjamin Tasker
 Esq^r his Lordships Agent & Receiver General
 there, desiring his Correspondence, the trans-
 mitting authenticated Copys of the Propri-
 etarys Rent Rolls & acknowledging the List
 of Bills remitted the 16th of September 1751.
 London December the 24th 1751.

Sir /

Being by Commission appointed Secretary
 of the Province of Maryland, the Course of Business
 that must occur by virtue of my Commission on the
 Lord Proprietarys Behalf relative to his Province, with
 all Persons concern'd in Affairs appertaining to the said
 Province, in which station you are particularly belonging,
 is the occasion of this my address to you; Desiring your
 Correspondence, with assurance to you of my friendship, being
 sensible no one deserves more the good opinion of all Men
 that you do, and I shall always glad of any opportunity, where-
 by I can be of service to you.

I make no doubt the Governor has continued you
 agent and Receiver General in the Province. what I would
 recommend to you for the present is, the obtaining
 authenticated Copys of the Lord Proprietarys Rent Rolls of
 each County, 'tis of the utmost Importance to his Lordship
 and his Posterity; and you cannot by any Justice recom-
 mend your self and your family to My Lord Proprietarys
 favour in any circumstance so much, as transmitting
 them true to him as they now are, and shall from time to time
 increase; this he desired me to communicate in expectation from
 you; a Knowledge he is very anxious to know at his being of
 age, touching his Money Revenues in all its Branches.

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