

Frederick Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon in America, Lord Baron of Baltimore of the Kingdom of Ireland. Additional orders and Instructions Powers and Authorities, to be observed and pursued, by Our trusty and Welbeloved Horatio Sharpe Esq. Our Lieutenant General and Chief Governor of our Province of Maryland.



Baltimore.

1. You are to communicate forthwith to our Council of State in Maryland, such and so many of these our Instructions, wherein their Advice and Consent is mentioned to be requisite, as likewise all such others from time to time, as you shall find convenient for our Service to be imparted to them.
2. You are to permit the Members of our said Council, to have and enjoy Freedom of Debate, and Vote in all Affairs of Publick concern that may be debated in Council.
3. And although any three of our Councillors make a Quorum, It is nevertheless my will and Pleasure that you do not act with a Quorum of less than five members of our said Council, unless upon extraordinary Emergencies when a greater number cannot conveniently be had.