

Assembly the 24th of December 1757. which said Act confirmed all Acts passed in the Session of Assembly the 15th of May 1757. Thereupon considering my immediate particular Dissent to the said Act of Princess Ann Town, would be a Dissolution to the Act for continuation of actions &c. as a fore said, as the said Act contains all the severally passed in the former Session of the 15th of May 1757, which is the only cause of my postponing my Dissent to the said Act of Princess Ann Town. I therefore will and Re-quire you to recommend at your meeting both Houses of Assembly, the passing a supplementary and Explanatory Act reserving to me my Rights in Princess Ann Town; otherwise it will occasion my Dissent to the said Act of Princess Ann Town as a fore said.

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And whereas the Increase of Wealth is by the present Inhabitants of our said Province greatly augmented by the production of Corn Beef Cork Pitch Tarr and Iron run into Bars allowed by Act of Parliament &c. and will be more so by the further Increase of German Foreigners settled within our said Province. I therefore do will and Require you to recommend to both Houses of Assembly to consider of a proper Law to be enacted for the Encouragement of the West India Trade to export the said Traffick merchantable by and under an Inspection Law. The Utility whereof will be the means of Improvement to good Land, and to turn the Barrens into Fruitful Fields. And I also desire your Recommendation to our said Assembly to enact a Law for the Hindrance of the Importation of all Commodities from Pennsylvania, of which the Importations may be necessary to be prohibited; with Power for the Government of Maryland to appoint proper Officers with the means of paying them, to seize and prevent any Contraband Trade and Cash from going out of Maryland into Pennsylvania.

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