

to arrest or call before you by your warrant to be directed to the Sheriff Constables or other Officers of Counties Towns Villages and other places within our said Province of Maryland demand every the Offendor and Offendors against our peace and if you see Cause to bind over the Offendor or Offendors with a Good surety or Sureties to appear before our Lieut General and the Council there to Answer the same and in the mean time to keep the peace or be of the Good Behaviour as the Case shall Require and in default of such Surety or Sureties to be by such Offendor or Offendors tendered unto you to Commit the Offendor or Offendors to the Common Goal or next Prison within the said Province as to you shall seem fit there to Remain until they shall find good Surety or Sureties as aforesaid or until he or she or they shall be delivered by our Lieutenant General or the Council of our said Province of Maryland or the Greater part of them whereof our Lieut General for the time being to be one

And we do hereby further Grant unto you and every of you full power and Authority to attach and arrest by your warrants to Cause to be Arrested and Attached and to bring to due punishment all Offendor and Offendors in weights and Measures all forestallers of marketts regulators Ingrossers Extortioners Rioters and Other Offendors against the publick welfare and peace of our said Province of Maryland

And we do hereby Command all our Sheriff Officers and Ministers whatsoever that they and every of them be Obedient unto you our said Councillors and Commissioners und every of you in all things as becometh Given under the Great Seal of our said Province of Maryland at our Fort of Saint Mary within our said Province on the fifth day of September Anno. Dom.

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