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A Council held at the House of Peter Duward in the
City of Annapolis on Saturday the 18th Day of October
in the fifth Year of His Lordships Dominion of Maryland
Domini 1729

Presents
His Excellency Benedict Leonard Calvert Gov.
The Honourable - { Edward Henry Calvert Esq. } Col. Richard Tilghman
 { Col. William Howland } Benj. Tasker Esq.
 { Col. M. Tilghman Thd. }
Members of His Lordships Honble Council.

Whereas several of the County Clerks of this Province have been dilatory in transmitting the
Lays of their several Counties to the Clerk of this Board, Ordered that the Clerk write to them to
transmit them to him in due Time in Order to be laid before this Board for the Inspection
of the Governor & Council which Letter was wrote & sent accordingly

His Excellency the Governor having signified to this Board that he has nothing
of Moment to lay before the Assembly which stands prorogued to the third Tuesday in
Novem. next desires the Opinion of this Board, when is a proper Time further to
prorogue it to, who are of Opinion that the fourth Tuesday in March next being
the 24th Day of the same Month is the most convenient Time, whereupon a
Proclamation is ordered, which isued in the following Manner.

Maryland's

By His Excellency Benedict Leonard Calvert
Gov. Command in Chief in & over the Province
of Maryland

A Proclamation

Whereas the present General Assembly of this Province stands prorogued to the
third Tuesday in November next being the 18th Day of the same Month, and whereas
there is no Business of Moment which requires their Attendance at that Time I have
therefore thought fit with the Advice of His Lordships Council of State further to prorogue
the same And I do hereby further prorogue the same to the fourth Tuesday in March next
being the twenty fourth Day of the same Month And to the Intent that all Persons
concerned may have due Notice thereof I do strictly require and Command the several
Sheriffes of this Province to make this my Proclamation publick in their respective
Counties in the usual Manner as they will answer the contrary at their Peril Given
at Annapolis this 18th Day of October in the fifth Year of His Lordships the