

At a Council held in the Council Chamber on Thursday the Twentieth  
of May in the Sixteenth Year of His Lordships Dominion & Annoq<sup>3</sup>  
Domini 1730

Present

His Excellency Benedict Leonard Calvert Governour

{	The Hon <sup>ble</sup>	Charles Calvert Esq <sup>r</sup>	Col <sup>o</sup> . Matthew Tilghman Ward
		Col <sup>o</sup> . Holland	John Rowley
		John Hall	Benjamin Tasker
		Philemon Lloyd	Philip Lee
		Col <sup>o</sup> . Richard Tilghman	Col <sup>o</sup> . Rider

Members of His Lordships Hon<sup>ble</sup> Council

His Excellency the Governour produces to this Board Instructions from the Right  
Honourable the Lord Proprietary in Relation to the Dissents to Some Laws and  
afterwards the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietarys Separate Dissent to Each  
particular Law which Instructions and Dissents are as follow

Instructions

Charles absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Provinces of Maryland  
and Avalon Lord Baron of Baltimore &c Orders and Instructions Powers and  
Authoritys to be Observed and Pursued by Our Dearly Beloved Brother the Hon<sup>ble</sup>  
Benedict Leonard Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Our Lieutenant Governour of Our Province  
of Maryland.

C. Baltimore



You will herewith receive my Dissents to the following Acts  
of Assembly to be published and Entered on Record according to Your Forms Viz

Whereas at a Sessions of Assembly begun and held in Our  
Province of Maryland the Third Day of October and ending the Second  
Day of November in the Fourteenth Year of Our Dominion over the said  
Province Annoq<sup>3</sup> Domini 1728. These Acts passed An Act for Ascertaining  
the Form of the Oath of Judge or Justice. Also an Act for Improving the Staples of  
Tobacco. And a Supplementary Act to the Act Intituled an Act for the Establishm<sup>t</sup>  
of Religious Worship in this Province according to the Church of England and  
for the maintenance of Ministers

And Whereas at a Sessions of Assembly begun and  
held in Our said Province of Maryland the tenth Day of July and ending  
the eighth Day of August in the Fifteenth Year of Our Dominion over the  
said Province Annoq<sup>3</sup> Domini 1729. An Act concerning the Parishes in  
S<sup>t</sup>. Marys and Charles Counties Also an Act revising and continuing an Act  
to restrain the Ill Practices of Attorneys and to prevent their taking Money  
Fees, and Ascertaining what Fees shall be Allowed to the Practitioners in  
the Law who shall attend the Circuit Courts.

We on due Consideration had and taken of the said Acts -  
have thought fit to Dissent unto them And do hereby declare the aforesaid  
acts to be Null Void and of no effect.

Given under Our hand and Seal at London this Thirtieth  
Day of January in the Fifteenth Year of Our Dominion Annoq<sup>3</sup> Domini 1729  
C. B.