

29th of April 1773. —

Maryland s^t. The Right Honourable Henry Harford Esq^r
 Absolute Lord and Proprietary of the Province of Maryland.

To William Eddis of the City of Annapolis Esquire Greeting,
 Rob^t. Eden. We reposing special Trust and Confidence in your Care

Prudence Integrity and Abilities do hereby nominate
 and Appoint you the said William Eddis One of the two Commissioners or
 Trustees for emitting Bills of Credit Established by an Act of Assembly
 Entitled "An Act for emitting Bills of Credit and other purposes therein
 mentioned." giving full Power and Authority to you the said William
 Eddis as such Commissioner or Trustee to put the said Act in
 Execution in what belongs to such Commissioner or Trustee To have
 and to hold Execute and Enjoy the said Office and Trust and to receive
 the Salary due to such Commissioner or Trustee by virtue of the said Act
 so long as it shall appear to us or Our Governor or Commander in Chief
 for the Time being that you the said William Eddis act consistent
 with the Duty of such Commissioner or Trustee. — Witness
 Our Trusty and well beloved Robert Eden Esq^r Lieutenant General
 and Chief Governor in and over our said Province this 29th Day of April
 in the Second year of Our Dominion Anno Domini 1773. —

Signed by Order

W. Scott Secy. Genl.

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 Lord and Proprietary of the Province of Maryland. —

Robert Eden. — To Our Trusty and well beloved Wm^m Scott of the City
 of Annapolis in Our Province of Maryland Esquire Greeting,

Forasmuch as We do repose special Trust and Confidence in your
 Integrity Fidelity Skill and Cunning in Clerkship We have thought fit
 and do by these Presents give and grant unto you the said Wm^m Scott the
 Office of Clerk to Our Governor and Council of Our said Province of Maryland
 hereby appointing authorizing and empowering you to have hold exercise
 use and enjoy the said Office and to take and receive to your own proper Use
 and Behoof as well the Salary usually allowed as also all and singular
 other the Rights Benefits profits Perquisites and Advantages thereto belonging
 or in any wise appertaining in as ample manner as any of the Clerks to Our
 said Governor and Council have used To have hold exercise receive and
 enjoy the same for and during our good Will and pleasure. —