

or heirs of any of their Ancestors by reason of any discount fee  
Simple fee taylor Generall or Speciall Remainder or fee taylor  
Generall or Speciall or Remainder upon any estate taylor  
as aforesaid or by any other Lawfull conveyance or conveyance  
or means whatsoever as if he had been borne within this  
Province or whereof British or Irish descent as aforesaid  
and also that he the said Joshua Guibet from henceforth  
may and shall be enabled to prosecute maintain and  
avow Justify and defend all manner of actions Sutes  
plaints or other demands whatsoever as Liberally frankly  
ly and freely fully lawfully and securely as if he had  
been naturally borne within this province of Maryland  
or were of British or Irish descent may any wayes law  
fully doe any Lawfull provisoe act or custome of this Province  
or other thing whatsoever had made ordained or done  
within this province to the contrary thereof in any wayes  
notwithstanding

To the Right Hon<sup>ble</sup> the Lord Proprietary of the  
Provinces of Maryland and Avalon Lord Baron of  
Baltimore &c

The humble Petition of James Peane  
Magdelen his wife Anne Peane his  
Daughter and Jacob Socheman

Humbly Sheweth

That your Petitioners James & Magde

len were borne in France and your Petitioner Jacob  
Lockerman was borne in new york under the Jurisdic  
tion of the States of Holland and being now removed into  
this province have for divers years therein Inhabited  
being invited to come and dwell within this Province  
by and upon confidence of your Lordships fathers Decla  
ration of the second of July 1649 whereby your Lordships  
said father did impower his Governour from time to  
time to grant Lands unto any person French dutch  
Spanish or any other Foreigne descent in the same  
in as ample manner and upon the same termes &  
provisoes as he was there by Impowred to grant land  
to any person or persons of British or Irish descent &  
during their said abode they have been all wayes  
faithfull and obedient to your Lordships Laws yet  
for that your Petitioners are not of British or Irish  
descent they cannot take the benefit of the Customes  
and Laws of this Province as other the People of this  
Province

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