

May  
1676.

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An Act for Continuance the payment  
of the imposition of Two Shillings p<sup>r</sup> Rhd, dur-  
ing y<sup>e</sup> Life of y<sup>e</sup> hono<sup>ble</sup> Cecilius Calvert  
Esq<sup>r</sup>, son and heir of the R<sup>t</sup> hono<sup>ble</sup> Charles  
absoluto Lord and Prop<sup>r</sup> of the Province of  
Maryland, Lord <sup>Baron of</sup> Baltomoro, in caso he surbibe  
his Lordsh<sup>ip</sup>.

Whereas by an Act of Assembly made at a generall  
Assembly hold at y<sup>e</sup> City of St. Marys the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup>  
in y<sup>e</sup> year of our Lord God 1674 Entituled An Act of gra-  
titudo to his Excellency Charles Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> Cap<sup>t</sup> gen<sup>l</sup>  
of Maryland, it was Enacted That a former Act made at  
a generall Assembly hold at y<sup>e</sup> said City of St. Marys the 27<sup>th</sup>  
day of March 1671, Entituled An Act for the raising &  
providing a Support for his Lordsh<sup>ip</sup> y<sup>e</sup> Lord and Prop<sup>r</sup> of  
this Province, during his naturall Life, and Likewise a Supply  
towards y<sup>e</sup> defraying the publick charges of Governm<sup>t</sup>: It was  
Enacted That y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Act; and all and every y<sup>e</sup> Articles, Provisions,  
Matters and Things therein contained, should stand and be, by  
that present Act ratifyed and confirmed to all intents and  
purposes; according to y<sup>e</sup> true intent and meaning thereof; not  
only for and during the life of y<sup>e</sup> R<sup>t</sup> hono<sup>ble</sup> Cecilius ab-  
soluto Lord and Prop<sup>r</sup> of this Province, and for one Crop after  
as aforesaid; but also for and during y<sup>e</sup> naturall life of y<sup>e</sup>  
R<sup>t</sup> hono<sup>ble</sup> Charles Calvert Esq<sup>r</sup> son and heir apparent of  
y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Cecilius Lord Prop<sup>r</sup> and no longer; and That from  
after y<sup>e</sup> decease of y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Cecilius Lord Prop<sup>r</sup>, the duty and  
imposition of Two Shillings p<sup>r</sup> Rhd (in y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Act mentioned) should  
be Levied, Raised, Collected and Paid to y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Charles Calvert  
Esq<sup>r</sup>, for and during y<sup>e</sup> terme of his naturall life as aforesaid.

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