

Be it Enacted by the authority advice, and
 Consent and That Master Samuel Young Master Charles
 Greenberry Master Richard Jones ~~Master~~ after Joseph
 Hill Master Seth Biggs Master Joshua Towgood Master —
 Samuel Chambers Mr: John Lamb Master William ~
 Nicholson Master Anthony Smith Mr: Thomas Gaffaway
 Master John Battie Master Henry Lazenby Master —
 James Sanders Junior and Master Stephen Warmanor —
 any five or more of them shall be and are hereby —
 appointed Commissioners for the laying out the said —
 Town and port and shall be and are by this act autho-
 rized and impowered to have the same power and —
 Authority as the Commissioners in the said recited act ever
 had or ought to have and forasmuch as many persons —
 have taken up Lots within the supposed bounds of the —
 Town and port of Annapolis (since the making of the said
 recited) act notwithstanding the same was not laid out by
 the Commissioners according to the direction of the said —
 Recited act and by such their taking up have ingrossed —
 the greatest part of the Lots within the same Town and —
 port into very few hands to the great Discouragement —
 of severall Neighboors and others if would build & live therein

Be it Therefore Enacted by the authority advice
 and Consent and that if any person whatsoever hath taken
 up any Lot or Lots within the Town and port of Annapo-
 lis since the time of the making of the said Recited act —
 Such taking up shall not give any Right or Title to —
 Such taking up his heires or assigues but that such lot —
 or lots so taken up shall be free to be taken up again