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Excellt Maj^y by and with the advice and counsel of her maistys President
Council and Assembly of this province and the authority of the same that
the said law of the said W^m Ford shall within two years from the end of this
Session of Assembly render him less or more fit to serve this province & able to
serve with subpoena or other process of the Court of Admiralty and Answer
Petitioners Bill of Complaint stand to perform fullie and abide the decree
of that high and honourable Court wherein if any shall be made within
seven years for relief of the said John Clements and his posterity children & issue
their severall portions out of their father and grandfather John Clements
the Elders Estate it shall and may be lawfull and the severall and respective
persons hereafter named (that is to say) M^r Walter Campell Master of
Hudson and Master Henry Sunnall or any two of them are by Virtue of
this act after the Expiration of the said two years from the end of this Session
of Assembly empowered and authorized to sell all or so much of the Lands of the
said W^m Ford within this Province to the best Purchaser or Purchasers as shall
may be suff^t to pay and satisfie the respective portions of John Clements the
Elders Children and their legall Representatives to be ascertained by the
Judge in Postamentary affairs or Commissary Generall of this Province due
regard being by him had to the debts & rates of desperate due to the said Estate
at the time of the death of the said John Clements the Elder w^t the legall
charges & poundage by John Clements the Younger in obteyning this act
which are first to be satisfied thereon and then the余的 portions satisfied
by such equal proportion as the purchase money or tobacco will amount
to and that the Purchaser or Purchasers by Virtue of such Sale and the
act shall have and enjoy to them and their heirs an absolute & per
petual inheritance therein any law Statute usage or custom to the
Contrary in any wise notwithstanding

2^d Novemb^r 1711 Read and assented to by the 9 Nov^r 2^d 1711 Read and assented
house of Delegates & signed by W^m Ford by her maistys Council
Rich^t Dallam Esq^r No: 2^d Oct^r 1711 signed W^m Bladen Esq^r Council

Nov^r 3^d 1711
On the behalfe of her maistys Sacred Maj^y Queen Anne of Great Brit^r
8^o Will this be Law.

Edw^r Lloyd