

means such petitioners have been precluded from making their Just Defence
 and are left remediless by any other way or means whatsoever unless —
 specially provided for by a Law for that purpose, Be it therefore likewise
 enacted that all and every such person or persons whatsoever interested in
 any of the Lands within this Province Concerning the bounds hereof either
 Comm. of any of the Severall Counties in this Province or Count. of Review have
 made any award Decree or Determination to their prejudice without having
 such Title to appear and make their Defence which they ought to have had
 according to the true intent and meaning of the aforementioned Act such person
 or persons so prejudiced as aforesaid shall in no way be concluded by any such award Decree or
 Determination whatsoever but are hereby declared to be restored and to stand upon
 the same foot as to any of the Lands wherein they were interested and awarded
 to others as aforesaid as if such award Decree or Determination or any other proceeding
 thereupon had never been made any thing in the aforementioned Act to the
 contrary notwithstanding — And to prevent the great delay & Disturbances
 that have been given Comm. in Land Affairs by admitting Attorneys
 and other Legallions and Mercenary Advocates to plead before them
 for fees — Be it likewise enacted that for the future no person be
 to plead as Advocates before any such Comm. as aforesaid unless the
 request of the said Comm. or of either the parties Declar. in that
 they have not received nor do expect or will receive any fee or reward
 whatsoever for their assistance in such case — And be it likewise enacted
 that our Act of Assembly made at a Session of Assembly begun and held
 at the City of Annapolis the twenty sixth day of April Anno Domini
 Seventeen hundred and fifteen intituled An Act ascertaining the bounds
 of Land within this Province and also the Supplementary Act thereto be
 and are hereby repealed —

May the 9th 1718 — Read and assented to by the Lower house of Assembly
 and signed & Order — — — — — Michener Sec. Co. ho. —

May the 9th 1718 — Read and assented to by the Upper house of Assembly &
 signed & Order — — — — — John Beard Sec. up. ho. —

May the 10th 1718 — On behalf of the right Hon^{ble} the Lord Proprietor of this Province
 I will this be a Law —

John Hart Sec.

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AN Act for settling all Disputes Concerning the boundaries of the Severall
 Lots within the City of Annapolis and Confirming the Same to the respective
 Takers up Improvers, Purchasers thereof and for Laying out boundaries of
 Land out of the town pastures into twenty Lots more to be added thereto (City
 whereans)