

tioners aforesaid before a single Magistrate, as in the Case of small Debts, to be by them applied to the public Use of said Town, and accounted for in the same Manner as is directed by former Laws.

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ed.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That an Act entituled, *A Supplementary Act to the Act entituled, An Act for laying out and erecting a Town at a Place called Long Point, on the West Side of North-East River in Cecil County*, made at a Session of Assembly begun and held at the City of Annapolis, the first Day of May, Anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and forty-four, be and is hereby continued in full Force.

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nued.

This Act to continue for three Years from and after the End of this Session of Assembly, and unto the End of the next Session of Assembly which shall happen after the Expiration of the said three Years.

Continuance  
of this Act.

An Act to settle the Divisions between *Frederick* and *Baltimore* Counties, and also between *Dorchester* and *Worcester* Counties.

WHEREAS, some Disputes have arisen between the Inhabitants of *Frederick* and *Baltimore* Counties, and the Inhabitants of *Dorchester* and *Worcester* Counties, concerning the Bounds and Limits of their respective Counties; for Remedy whereof,

Preamble;

Be it Enacted by the Right Honourable the Lord Proprietary, by and with the Advice and Consent of his Lordship's Governor, and the Upper and Lower Houses of Assembly, and the Authority of the same, That that Part of *Frederick* County which was formerly included in *Prince George's* County, be and is hereby divided from *Baltimore* County, in Manner and Form following; that is to say, beginning at a Spring called *Parr's* Spring, and running from thence North thirty-five Degrees East to a bounded white Oak, standing on the West Side of a Waggon Road called *John Diggs's* Road, about a Mile above a Place called the *Burnt-house Woods*, and running thence up the said Road to a bounded white Oak, standing on the East Side thereof at the Head of a Draught of *Sam's* Creek; thence North fifty-five Degrees East to a *Spanish* Oak standing on a Ridge near *William Roberts's*, and opposite to the Head of a Branch called the *Beaver-Dam*; and running thence North twenty Degrees East, to the temporary Line between the Provinces of *Maryland* and *Pennsylvania*, being near the Head of a Draught of *Conowaugo*, at a rocky Hill called *Rattle-Snake Hill*: And that the said Lines be, and are hereby established as the Boundaries of and between the said *Frederick* and *Baltimore* Counties: And that all the Lands on the South-East Sides of the said Lines be deemed to be in *Baltimore* County, and all the Inhabitants therein to be Inhabitants and Residents of *Baltimore* County; and that all the Lands on the West-North-West Sides, Part of *Frederick* County, and all the Inhabitants therein to be Residents and Inhabitants of *Frederick* County aforesaid. And that the Branch running up to the *Widow Owens*, late the Wife of *William Owens*, and from thence up the main Branch between *John Marriot's* and *Edward Burris's*, be, and is hereby declared to be the Division between the two Counties of *Dorchester* and *Worcester*: And that all the Lands on the North Side of the said Branch be deemed to be in *Dorchester* County, and the Inhabitants thereof deemed to be Inhabitants and Residents of *Dorchester* County: And that all the Lands lying to the Southward of the said Branch be deemed to be in *Worcester* County, and the Inhabitants thereof be deemed to be Inhabitants and Residents of *Worcester* County; any Law, Usage, or Custom, concerning the reputed

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[May, 1750.]

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