

And between his Lordships Subjects of this Province and the several
Nations of Indians who have been since which was read & first time -
and agreed a second reading to Honor's Morning - Proclamation -
from the Honourable Deputies Mr. Speaker: is following the page 17. & 18. -
Supplication of a Assembly June 14. 1717 -
Perly Mr. Secy having communicated to this House the Charter the Article
of this Lordships Instructions to him viz. To take the said & Where a King
acted de facto & de jure of a Assembly United an act for the better Security
of His Lordships Government and the potentant States within this Province there
are these words following that no Person or persons whatsoever shall be capable
of holding executing or enjoying any Office Deputative or Trust within this
Province whatsoever whatsoever to execute or enjoy any such Office -
Deputative or Trust contrary to the true Intent and Meaning of this
several Act viz. Deputative or Authority of such Person or persons -
in made void and he or they are to suffer the penalties now imposed &
Declared which words to some seems to Govern certain things viz. Such -
Authority or power granted between Maryland & their several
Subjects may be expected these words viz. as in and by the said
is pertinent to the said Act of Great Brittain - granted therefore to -
Governor the said Act with this proviso. and Declaration
said of Governor made to the same effect - **Resolved**
Resolved That this be well & orderly being therein contained shall not
Extend or be construed to Extend to a Negotiations Management of the
several Affairs of any Person or persons whatsoever whatsoever
Negotiation or Management & shall not in any way extend to the
Administration of the Govern. of this Province - and Having put
the said Act to this House & since there is something or two in it
which may be deemed or construed to extend that I doubt not
that the several Grants between Maryland & their several
Subjects is in respect thereof - To wit the several
that the said & have occasion to any in the said or power granted
between them. And thus in their presence stand -

We having spent your this our Argument Divers of your
several House Deputies present - **Resolved** & 17. -
John. Bernard & Thomas
of the Honourable Assembly - **Resolved** -
from the House of Deputies Mr. Speaker the following