

immediately either get a proper Certificate of its being taken by the Commissioners of the County Court, or enter into a new Bond properly Authenticated, to be returned into the Secretary's Office as soon as Conveniently may be

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I am Sir

your most humble Servant  
Upton Scott Clk Con.

To the Sheriffs of Dorchester, Kent, and Ann Arundel Counties.

The Sheriffs' Bonds of Cecil, Talbot, Baltimore, Calvert, S<sup>t</sup> Marys, Charles, and Prince Georges Counties being examined were found to be drawn incorrectly and not according to the form Prescribed by the Act of Assembly. Ordered that the Clerk of this Board write the following Letter to the respective Sheriffs of these Counties.

Annapolis 27<sup>th</sup> May 1766.

Sir

Upon your Sheriff's Bond being laid before the Governor and Council for their Approbation, they find that it is not Correctly Drawn according to the form of the Act of Assembly nor does it appear to them that it was taken by the Commissioners of your County Court, They have therefore directed me to acquaint you that they expect you will immediately enter into a new Bond for the faithful Performance of your Duty this year, in which you will take care to comply with the form and directions of the Act of Assembly. The Bond to be returned to The Secretary's Office as soon as may be.

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Read and approved of the Bonds given by the Sheriffs of Somerset Worcester, and Frederick Counties.

At a Council held at the Governor's on Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June in the Sixteenth year of his Lordship's Dominion Annoq Domini 1766.

Present

His Excellency Horatio Sharpe Esq<sup>r</sup> Governor.

The honourable Benjamin Tasker, John Ridout and Charles Goldsborough Esq<sup>rs</sup>