To all to whom these presents shall come I James Townshend Esq.r Lord Mayor of the City of London In pursuance of an Act of Parliament made and passed in the fifth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second Intituled an Act for the more Easy recovery of Debts in his Majesty's Plantations and Colonies in America Do hereby Certify that on the day of the date hereof personally came and appeared before me Richard Jackson and Francis Davis the Deponents named in the affidavit hereunto annexed being persons well known and Worthy of Good Credit and by Solemn Oath which the said Deponents then took before me upon the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Did Solemnly and Sincerely declare Testify and Depose to be true the Several matters and things mentioned and Contained in the said Annexed affidavit

In Faith and Testimony whereof I the said Lord Mayor have caused the seal of office of Mayoralty of the said City of London to be hereunto put and affixed and the Assignment and letter of Attorney mentioned and referred to in and by the said affidavit to be hereunto also Annexed Dated in London the Seventeenth day of July in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy three

Seal of Mayoralty

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Richard Jackson of Tower Street London and Francis Davis of Philpot Lane London Gentlemen Severally make Oath and Say And first this Deponent Richard Jackson for himself saith that he was present and did see William Perkins Sign Seal and duly Execute the Deed of Assignment hereunto annexed marked with the Letter A. and saith that the name Will.m Perkins thereunto set and subscribed as an Executing party is the proper hand writing of the said William Perkins and the name Rich.d Jackson wrote on the Back of the said Deed as a Witness to the due Execution thereof by the said William Perkins is of the Proper hand Writing of this Deponent. And this Deponent Francis Davis for himself saith that he was present and Did see William Brown for Thomas Buchanan as his Attorney and for himself and did also see Henry Holland William Powell and Cordall Powell Sign Seal and Duly Execute the said Assignment hereunto Annexed marked with the Letter A and Saith that Richard Cracraft of Philpot Lane London Gentlemen and this Deponent are Witnesses to the due Execution thereof by Thomas Buchanan by his Attorney as aforesaid William Brown Henry Holland William Powell and Cordall Powell and that the Names Thomas Buchanan by William Brown his Attorney and Will.m Brown thereunto set and subscribed as Executing Parties is the Proper hand Writing of the said William Brown and the names H Holland Wm Powell and Cll Powell set and subscribed as Executing Parties thereto are of the respective proper hands Writing of the said Henry Holland William Powell and Cordall Powell and that the names R.d Cracraft and Fran.s Davis Clke to W.m Cracraft wrote on the Back thereof as Witnesses to the due Execution thereof by the said Thomas Buchanan by William Brown his Attorney William Powell and Cordall Powell are the respective Proper hands Writing of the said Richard Cracraft and this Deponent and this Deponent Francis Davis for himself further saith that he was also present and did see the said Henry Holland William Powell and Cordall Powell Sign Seal and duly Execute the Deed Poll or Letter of Attorney hereunto also annexed marked with the Letter B and saith that this Deponent and the said Richard Cracraft are Witnesses to the due Execution thereof and that the Names H Holland Wm Powell and Cordall Powell set and subscribed as Executing Parties thereto are the respective proper hands writing of the said Henry Holland William Powell and Cordall Powell and that the names R.d Cracraft and Francis Davis Clke to W. Cracraft wrote on the Back thereof as Witnesses to the due Execution thereof are of the respective proper hands writing