

Liber LL, 5 An Act Impowering a Committee to Lay Assess and apportion the  
 Acts publick Levy for This present year Seventeen hundred and  
 Acts of 1726, ch. 13 Twenty six.

Whereas This present Generall Assembly have for Defraying the publick Charge of This province to the Twenty Third day of July Instant Raised a Certain Sum of Tobacco and money amounting to two hundred and Sixty Six Thousand & Thirty five pounds of Tobacco and One hundred and fifty six pounds Two Shillings & Tenn pence half penny Current money as by the Journalls of The

p. 141 Committee of accounts appears but by Reason more publick Charges may arise and Grow due before The usuall and Accustomed Time of payment which Is the Tenth of November yearly at which Time again To Call and Convene the whole Assembly for that Occasion only Considering The Great Number of Them and The Remoteness of Their Habitations from the place appointed would be verry Chargeable and Troublesome to the whole province in Generall Be it Enacted by the Right honourable The Lord Proprietary by and with the advice & Consent of his Lordships Governour and the upper and Lower Houses of Assembly and The authority of the same That the Honourable Coll Thomas Addison Coll Mathew Tilghman Ward & Benjamin Tasker Esq<sup>r</sup> members Of his Lordships Honourable upper House of Assembly And The Honourable Robert Ungle Esq<sup>r</sup> Coll Thomas Truman Greenfield James Harris Esq<sup>r</sup> John Beale Esq<sup>r</sup> Coll John Makall Cap<sup>t</sup> George Dent Cap<sup>t</sup> Levin Gale Cap<sup>t</sup> Henry Hooper L<sup>t</sup> Coll. John Ward M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Hamilton M<sup>r</sup> Ralph Crabb M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Elliott of the Honourable Lower House of Assembly or the Major part of Them be and Appear at the City of Annapolis The fourth Tuesday of October next then and There to Lay and Assess the publick Levy already raised and also to allow Levy and assess what further Charges may Accrew which to Them shall Justly appear To be due from the publick not Exceeding six hundred Thousand pounds of Tobacco and five hundred pounds Current money of This province more than what is already Raised and Likewise to apportion order and pay Out of the publick Treasury of this province The Sum of One hundred and ffifty Six pounds two Shillings and Ten pence half penny Current money of this province to the Several persons to whom the same shall be due as by The Journalls of The

p. 142 Comittee of Accounts appears and a fair Journall of all Their proceedings To be Delivered to the Clerk of the Assembly for Satisfaction of all persons therewith Concerned by the Last day of November next and if it shall happen that his Excellency shall please to Convene An Assembly before The said Fourth Tuesday in October next aforesaid then This present Act and Every Clause therein Contained shall be void & of no fforce.