

Pennsylvania ss.

By the Commissioners of Property.



At the request of Rees Thomas of Haverford in the County of Philadelphia that we would grant him to take up two hundred and fifty acres of land in right and as part of John Clarke of the Devises <sup>in Great Britain</sup> his original Purchase of five hundred acres from the Proprietor by deeds of Lease & release dated ye \_\_\_\_\_ which said five hundred acres the said Rees Thomas has since purchased. These are to authorize and require thee to survey or cause to be survey'd unto the said Rees Thomas according to the method of townships appointed the said quantity of two hundred & fifty acres of land that has not been already survey'd nor appropriated nor is seated by the Indians and make a return thereof into the Secretarys office. Given under our hands and seal of the Province at Philadelphia the twelfth day of the first month Anno

1715/6

To Jacob Taylor surv<sup>r</sup> Gen<sup>l</sup>

Richard Hill

Lay out the whole purchase together (the Liberty land deducted) viz four hundred and ninety two acres in one tract

Isaac Norris

James Logan

Richard Hill James Logan  
Isaac Norris

IN TESTIMONY that the above is a copy of the original remaining on file in the Department of Internal Affairs of Pennsylvania, made conformably to an Act of Assembly approved the 16th day of February, 1833, I have hereunto set my Hand and caused the Seal of said Department to be affixed at Harrisburg, this eighteenth day of November 1909.

*Henry Howard*  
Secretary of Internal Affairs.