

JOHN WILLIAMS

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In the Name of God Amen. I John Williams of the State of South Carolina and the District of Barnwell, being weak of body but of sound mind and memory and knowing that all men are appointed to die ---- do make this my last will and testament in manner and form as follows -- 1st. I will My soul to God who gave it from whence it came and my body to the dust -- (from whence it came) to be decently buried at the discretion of my friends -- 2nd I will, that first and foremost that all my just debts be paid - 3rd I will and bequeath unto my beloved son Ezechiel Williams all my Estate both real and personal -- 4th I also desire that in case my Son Ezechiel Williams should die without a lawful heir, that the whole of my above mentioned property both real and personal be inherited by the heirs of my Sister Ann Hankinson (which she has and may have by her Husband (Richard Hankinson -- 5th, I do hereby constitute ordain and appoint Richard Hankinson Executor to this my last will and Testament, (and in case he should die the Rec'd James Wilson), revoking and disannulling all former wills by me heretofore made -- In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirteenth day of March and in the year of our Lord one Thousand eight hundred and seventeen -----

Sign'd and Seal'd John Williams (SEAL)

in presence of by

Marke Tarver

Saml. J. Bailey

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O. D. Allen, Ordinary, Barnwell District