

Barbados

To all People

to whom this present shall come, Richard Dearly of
said Island Merch. otherwise called Cap^t. Richard Dearly of y^e same Island Esq^r.
send greeting. Know y^ee that y^e said Richard Dearly for divers good Causes
& Considerations me thereunto moving I have by Special Power under the Great Seal
of y^e said Province do make full Power Constitutes, Authorizes & appoints in
my stead & place put & depu^t my trust & well beloved Son in Law Benjamin Ench
Merch. Son & Heir for y^e Province of South Carolina to be my true & lawful
Attorney, Deputy & Procurator for me in my name & to my use to do & perform all
such Acts Deeds & things as may conduce to y^e well Managing Ordering & Managing
all & singular my lands Plantations, Towns & hereditaries in y^e Province of
South Carolina afores. with all y^e Serv^ts & Slaves Cattle & Stock thereof to y^e best
benefit & Advantage from time to time During this Power of Attorney
And to Underwrite, appoint place & displace or remove any Overseer or Overseers
upon, & from off my said Plantations from time to time, And to enter into & upon
take possession of all & singular my lands Plantations, Towns & hereditaries
afores. with their & every of their Appurtenances together with all y^e Serv^ts
& Slaves Cattle & Stock thereof in y^e Province of Carolina afores. And y^e same
or any part thereof for me & in my name & to my use to grant bargain &
sell alien & convey or otherwise to Danies Let to farm to such Person or
Persons & for such Sum & Sum of Money or other Rent or Consideration as my
said Attorney shall be thought meet & convenient And y^e deed & deed of Sale
& Conveyance & lease or other writings of for & concerning y^e premises for
me & in my name to sign & seal, execute & deliver. All & all for me in
my name & to my use to ask demand sue for Levy require recover & receive
all such debts & debts rent Sum & Sum of Money effects goods merchandise
Dues & demands as now is or hereafter shall be due owing & payable or
appertain & belong unto me y^e said Richard Dearly by & from any person or
Persons whatsoever in y^e Province of Carolina afores. whether by Bond, bill
book debt Acc^t. reckoning Note Contract promise or by any other means or
means whatsoever together with all Costs Charges & damages for non paym^t.
already suffered & yet to sustain until full satisfaction be made, Giving
& granting & do hereby give & Grant unto my said Attorney & Procurator
all my whole power Strength & Authority in & about y^e Premises And upon
y^e Receipt of y^e said Debt & debts rent Sum & Sum of Money effects goods Merch^d.
Dues dues & demands as afores. or any part thereof sufficient Acquittance
or other lawful discharge for me & in my name to make seal give
deliver, & Moreover me Attorney a more rich like full power & Authority
under him my said Attorney to see & substitute what he pleases to do

And all & every other Acts Deeds & things needfully necessary to be done in and
about y^e premises & y^e dependance thereof for me & in my name to do execute and
perform as fully & amply & effectually with Intent & purpose as I my self might
record do being personally present from time to time ratifying all & every
Confirming & ratifying ever my said Attorney or his Substitutes shall lawfully do in
& about y^e Premises by Virtue of these Powers In Witness whereof I have
Richard Dearly have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 24th day of March
in y^e Year of our Lord 1700. & in y^e 12th year of y^e reign of King William y^e third
over England &c.

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of

Richard Dearly

King Townesend
W^m Townesend

I shew me Henry Wington Deputy Secretary
my Nineteenth day of March Anno Dni 1700 Came
personally appeared Cap^t. Wington Townesend & W^m Townesend y^e within
Subscribing Witnesses who upon their oaths on y^e Holy Evangelists taken say
That they & either of them did see & were in y^e Island of Barbados personally
present when Richard Dearly Esq^r y^e within Attorney did sign Seal &
Deliver y^e within written Letter of Attorney to Benjamin Ench Merch^d
to y^e use Intent & purposes therein contained

Cap^t et Jurat
Recorded March 19. 1700

Coram me Henry Wington Dep^y Sec^y

Carolina January 24. 1700

I then received of M^r Samuel Saxon of y^e afores. Province Six black lower hats &
three white Ditts which I do promise & oblige my self to send him y^e Effect of
The Danger of y^e Seas only excepted
Test

Dave Williamson

John King

Memorandum this twentieth day of March Anno Dni 1700 appeared before me Dave
Williamson Justice of the Peace for y^e said Province the said John King & John
Merch^d. Sign & deliver y^e within written Receipt to M^r Samuel Saxon therein mentioned
to y^e use therein contained

Cap^t et Jurat Coram me Henry Wington
Recorded March 20. 1700