

Will of Henry Lyell (1665-1731)

In the Name of God Amen

Henry Lyell of London Merchant being in good health and of sound and disposing mind and memory Considering the uncertainty of this life Do therefore make and declare this my last Will and Testament and do give and dispose of that Estate whither it hath pleased God to bless me withall after payment of my just debts as followeth that is to say first I give to Elizabeth Dowry the sum of one thousand pounds then I give to Elizabeth Dowry the sum of one thousand pounds And it being my meaning Intention and Will that no Relation or Person whatsoever should have any part of the residue of my Estate but my said Loving Brother Althraz Lyell I do therefore give all the rest and residue of my Goods Chattells Debts money and all other my Estate whatsoever and wheresoever unto my said Loving Brother Althraz Lyell his Executors and Administrators And I do make and appoint my said Loving Brother Althraz Lyell sole Executor of this my Will And I do hereby revoke and make void all former Wills by me at any time heretofore made And do make and declare this only to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I the said Henry Lyell have to this my last Will and Testament contained in this sheet of written paper set my hand and seal this ffourteenth day of December Anno Domini 1727. And in the first year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the second by the Grant of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith of Henry Lyell. Signed sealed published and declared by the said Henry Lyell the Testator for and as his last Will and Testament on the day of the date thereof in the presence of. Will: Hall Sr: Hervey Edm: Edwards

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Probatum fuit huiusmodi Testamentum apud London Coram Venerabili Viri Gulielmo Adamston Legum Doctore Surrogate Venerabilis Et Gregij Vici Johannis Doffersworth Legum Doctore Curie Prærogative Cantuariensis Magistris Custodis vice Commissarii legitime constituti Tertio die mensis Februarii Anno Domini Millelesimo Septingentesimo tertio Juramento Althraz Lyell Ad unum Executoris in dicto Testamento nominat Cui Commissa fuit Administratio Omnium et Singulorum bonorum pecuniarum et Creditorum dicti defuncti De bene et fideliter Administrando eadem ad sancta Dei Evangelia iurat. Et