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At a Court held for the County of Southampton on Thursday the 13th Day of September 1753 C
 This Indenture the Memorandum of Livery of Seisin hereon endorsed were acknowledged by the
 within named Thos Sharp Party hereto and ordered to be Recorded and Penelope the wife of the said
 Thos personally appeared in Court and being first Privily examined as the said direct
 Voluntarily relinquished her Right of Dower in the Estate Conveyed herein

Test

R. H. Hellebok

Ramsey This Indenture made the thirteenth Day of September in the Twenty seventh
 to
 year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George the second by the Grace of God of Great
 Britain France and Ireland &c and in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred
 and fifty three between James Ramsey and Katherine his wife of the County of Southampton
 of the one part and John Dortsch of the County aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said
 James Ramsey and Katherine his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Twenty pounds
 Current money of Virginia to them in hand Paid by the said John Dortsch at and before the
 sealing and delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof the said James Ramsey and
 Katherine his wife doth hereby acknowledge and thereof doth acquit the said John Dortsch
 his heirs & executors and adm'rs hath Granted Bargained sold aliened Enfeoffed confirmed and
 made over and by these presents doth Grant Bargain sell alien Enfeoff confirmed make
 over unto the said John Dortsch his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain Tract Parcel or
 Dividend of Land situate lying and Being in Southampton County aforesaid and being
 Part of Two hundred and eighty acres of Land granted to the said James Ramsey by a Patent
 bearing date at Williamsburg the twenty second Day of August one thousand seven hundred
 and fifty three and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a White Oak on the North side
 of the flat Swamp then running round the lines of the said Patent to the Reedy Branch
 then down the various Courses of the run thereof to a small branch on the West side then
 then up that small branch to a gum saplin standing in the head thereof Marhs then by a
 line of marsh trees to two small Maples Marsh in the head of the next small branch then
 down the run thereof to the Reedy branch aforesd then down the various Courses of the run
 thereof to the flat