



Onerint uniuersi per presentes me  
in teneri

& firmiter obligari Roberto Lesly Armigero in  
libris bonæ & legalis moneta Angliæ soluendum eidem  
Roberto Lesly aut suo certo Attornato, Executoribus, vel Admini-  
stratoribus suis. Ad quam quidem solutionem bene & fideliter fa-  
ciendum, obligo me, heredes, executores, & administratores meos,

firmiter per presentes. Sigillo meo sigillatum, datum  
die Anno regni Domini nostri CAROLI, Dei gratiâ Angliæ,  
Scotiæ, Franciæ & Hiberniæ, Regis, fidei defensoris, &c. Annôq;  
Domini, 163



He Condition of this Obligation is such, That whereas the  
aboue named *Robert Lesly* by his deed vnder his hand and Seale,  
bearing date with these presents, hath made, nominated,  
ordained, constituted, and appointed the aboue bound

his sufficient Deputie, for, and  
during the terme of yeeres then next ensuing (if he the  
said so long shall liue) to see that the

Statute made in the one & twentieth yeere of the reign of our late Soueraign Lord  
King *James* (of blessed memory) for suppressing of profane Swearing and Cursing,  
be duly put in execution within the Parish of

and to receiue and collect all penalties forfeited by prophane Swearers and Cur-  
fers, according to the said Statute, within the Parish aforesaid, wherein the aboue  
bound for himselfe, his heires, executors, admini-  
strators, and assignes, hath couenanted and agreed, to, and with the said *Robert*

*Lesly*, his executors, administrators, and assignes, from time to time, during the  
terme of yeeres then next ensuing, faithfully and diligently to execute the  
trust in him the said reposed. And halfe yeerely at the

feasts of the Annunciation of our blessed Lady the Virgin *Marie* and *S. Michael*  
the Archangel, or within fourty dayes then next ensuing, well and truely to ac-  
count for, and pay ouer the penalties which by vertue thereof should be by him  
collected and receiued, vnto the said *Robert Lesly*, his executors, or assignes, deduct-  
ing onely two shillings sixe pence and no more out of euery twenty shillings by  
him receiued, as aforesaid, for his care, paines, and attendance, about the execu-  
tion of that seruice. If therefore the said do, and shall

from time to time, during the said terme of yeeres in the said Deputation  
contained, well and truely obserue and performe all and singuler the Couenants,  
Clauses, and Agreements therein contained, on his part to be performed, accord-  
ing to the true intent and meaning of the same. That then this present Obliga-  
tion to be void and of none effect, or else to stand in full force and strength.

Signed, Sealed and deliuered in  
the presence of



O all Christian people to whom these presents shall come,  
*Robert Lesly* Esquire, one of the Gentlemen of His Maiesties  
Priue Chamber, sendeth greeting in our Lord God cuerlasting.  
Know ye, that the said *Robert Lesly* hath made, nominated,  
constituted, ordained, and appointed, and by these presents  
doth make, nominate, constitute, ordaine, and appoint, his  
welbeloued friend

of the Pa-  
rish of his sufficient Deputie  
within the said Parish of for and during the terme of

yeeres next ensuing the date hereof (if he the said so  
long shall liue) to see that the Statute made in the one and twentieth yeere of the  
reigne of our late Soueraigne Lord, King *JAMES*, of blessed memory, for sup-  
pressing of prophane Swearing and Cursing bee duly put in execution. And  
also to collect and receiue all the penalties from time to time forfeited or incurred  
by any person or persons within the said Parish, for prophane Cursing or Swea-  
ring contrary to the said Statute; during which terme of yeeres, it is His Ma-  
iesties pleasure that the said shall be exempted and  
freed from bearing any other office or charge in the said Parish: As His Maieftie

by His Highnesse Letters Patents vnder the Broad-Seale of England, bearing  
date the 21 day of Iuly, in the eleuenth yeere of His reigne hath ordained and ap-  
pointed: And as by His Maiefties royall Proclamation hereunto annexed appea-  
reth. In consideration wherof, the said for himselfe,

his heires, executors, administrators, and assignes, doeth heereby couenant and  
agree, to, and with the said *Robert Lesly*, his executors, administrators, and assignes,  
from time to time, during the terme aforesaid, faithfully and diligently to exe-  
cute the said trust in him reposed. And halfe yeerely at the feasts of the Annun-  
ciation of our blessed Ladie, and Saint *Michael* the Archangel, or within fourty  
dayes then next ensuing, well and truely to account for, and pay ouer the penal-  
ties which shall be by him collected and receiued, vnto the said *Robert Lesly*, his  
executors, or assignes, deducting onely two shillings sixe pence out of euery  
twenty shillings by him receiued, as aforesaid, for his care, paines, and attendance  
about the execution of this seruice. In witnesse wherof, the said *Robert Lesly*  
hath hereunto set his hand and Seale, the day of

Anno Dom. 163 And in the yeere of the reign of our Soueraigne  
Lord, King *CHARLES*, ouer England, &c.

Signed, Sealed and deliuered in  
the presence of