THIS INDENTURE MADE THE 17 day of July. in the year of ou

in the year of our Lord 1838 Between Samuel Cool

one of the Overseer of the Poor of the Secard District in the County of Rockingham of the one part and Saurued Sterling of the other part witnesseth, that the said Overseers of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the Court of the County aforesaid bearing date the 16th day of July in the year 1938 has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and bind follow all follow of the age of Therlaw years to be an Apprentice with him the said Sauruel Starting _____ and as an Apprentice with him the said Samuel Starting _____ to dwell from the date of these presents, until the said John M. Johnson chall arrive, and come to the age of Tweyty one years, according to the Act of the General Assembly in that case made and provided. For and during all which time and term the said of the M. Johns and shall the said Samuel Starting. well and faithfully serve in all such lawful Business as the said folin M. Johnson ______ shall be put unto by his said Marter according to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said John M. Johnson ______ honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the said Saure States and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Family of him the said Sacural Status for himself his Executors and Administrators doth hereby promise and covenant to and with the said Overseer of the Poor and his Successor in office for the time being that the said Apprentice shall in the Craft, Mystery and Occupation now useth, after the best manner that he can, or may teach, instruct, and inform, which he the said Samuel Starting of a Taylow or cause to be taught, instructed and informed, as much as thereunto belongeth, or in any wise appertaineth, and that he the said Samuel Mertury shall also find and allow unto the said Apprentice sufficient meat, drink, appearel, washing, lodging, and all other things needful or meet, for an Apprentice during the the term aforesaid : And also that the said Januardo Reading, Writing and Common Arithmetic including the Rule of Three shall teach, or cause to be taught to the John M. Johns and Sterting and will moreover pay to the said folund. folus a the Sum of Twenty _____ Dollars at the Expiration of the aforesaid Term. IN WITNESS whereof the Parties to these Presents have interchangeably set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year above written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered }

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