

Petition, SC, York, Robert Love & John Brian 1807

To the honorable, the speaker and members of the
Senate of the State of South Carolina

The petition of **ROBERT LOVE** of the District of York in the state aforesaid humbly sheweth.

That **THOMAS MCFARLAND** had impleaded **WILLIAM SCOTT**, administrator of the estate of **JOHN BRIAN**, deceased, in a plea of debt on **SCIRE FACIAS** in the Court of Common Pleas holden in and for the district of York and on about the month of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and one obtained in a judgment thereon. Whereupon an execution issued which came to the lands of **JOHN MCCALL**, esquire, then Sheriff of the district of York aforesaid, who levied the same on a tract of land belonging to the estate of the said **JOHN BRIAN** and on the first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two sold the said land according to the usage of Sheriff's sales, which was purchased by your petitioner and the said **JOHN MCCALL** shortly afterwards became sickly and infirm and though often applied to by your petitioner to execute Sheriff's titles neglected so to do and constantly promised your petitioner that he would execute the said titles at some other time until his, the said **JOHN MCCALL**'s death, who died and never executed the said titles.

Therefore your petitioner prays that the honorable, the Legislature, would pass a law authorizing the present Sheriff to execute such title's to your petitioner for the said tract of land as the said **JOHN MCCALL** in his life time was authorized to do on the sale aforesaid without which your petitioner has no relief.

And your petitioner as in duty bound will pray & c.

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