Know all men by these presents that wee Richard Morton and John Senior Churchwa Churchwardens and Overseers of Kirkheaton in the County of York are held and firmly bound to Edward Dyson and Abel Stringer Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor in Dalton in the said parish of Kirkheaton and county aforesaid in one hundred pounds of Lawfull money of Great Britain to be paid to the said Edward Dyson and Abel Stringer or to their certain Attourney Executors Administrators or Assignes. To which payment well and truly to be maid we bind ourselves and our Successors for the time being for the whole and in the whole Jointly and Severally Firmly by these Presents sealed with our seals Dated the Twenty Third day of August one Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty.

Whereas Mary Kaye of Kirkheaton aforesaid Singlewoman is now big and pregnant with a Bastard Child which when born will become Chargeable to the said Township pf Dalton. Now the Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above bound Richard Morton and John Senior either of them or their successors do and shall from time to time and at all times, hereafter, fully and clearly acquit free and discharge, or well and sufficiently save and keep harmless and indemnified the above named Edward Dyson and Abel Stringer Churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Dalton aforesaid and their successors, as also the Inhabitants and Parishioners of the said Township of Dalton and every of them of and from all manner of Expences Damages Costs and charges whatsoever which shall or may at any time hereafter arise happen grow or be imposed upon them or either or any of them for or by reason of or means of the said Mary Kayes being great with Child as aforesaid or for or by reason of the Birth maintainente Education and bringing up of such Child or Children that she the said Mary Kaye now goeth with and shall be delivered of, and of and from all other Actions Suits troubles Charges Damages and Demands Whatsoever touching or concerning the same, then this Obligation to be void, otherwise To be and remain in full force and virtue.

## Sealed and Delivered being first

Duly Stampt in the presence of ---William Sinkinson Bt Pilkington R Morton [seal]
The Mark of
John Senior [seal]