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Bounty Land Information relating to Benjamin Temple BLWt2214-450 f1VA Transcribed by Will Graves 11/17/11

Va. Temple, Benjamin

B. L. Wt.2214-450—Lt. Col. Issued Feb. 1, 1800, to John Marshall No papers

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I hereby certify that Colonel Benjamin Temple served in a Regiment of Cavalry from June 1776 to the end of the War, given under my hand this 4th day December 1795 ?[possibly "J. Marshall"?]

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I do Certify upon Honor that I was appointed a Captain in Colonel Bland's Regiment Light Dragoons 15th day of June 1776 and continued in Service until the 1st Jany. 1783 6 Feby. 1784 S/ Benjamin Temple, Lt. Colo.

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Addendum to Benjamin Temple BLWt2214-450 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris. 11 March 2022.

[From rejected claims in the Library of Virginia.]

To the Executive of Virginia

The undersigned respectfully represents that Lieut. Col. Benjamin Temple entered the service of the United States in the war of the Revolution as Pay Master [undeciphered] (if not before) the 30th day of September 1775. That Lieut Col Temple Continued in the service till the close of the war and drew his bounty land from the 13th of June 1776 leaving a space of time of some eight months & thirteen days for which he did not receive any land (see Comm'r Smiths report No 3 document No. 6) The undersigned begs that the deficiency may be [undeciphered] Colo. Temple's heirs Yrs: V. Julian Atty in fact for the Heir

In this case Col. Temple certifies in 1784 that he served till 1st Jan 1783 this is conclusive against the present application Rejected/ [Gov.] D. Campbell