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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to James Kemp VAS1030 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

This certifies that James Kemp did in August 1776 enlist as a Soldier in Captain Gabriel Long's Company in the Rifle Battalion Raised by Colonel Hugh Stephenson to serve three years and to my knowledge he served out the term for which he was enlisted.

Given under my hand at Richmond this 12 day of November 1785 S/ Daniel Bedinger, Lieut. in the late 11th Virga. Regmt.

A copy
Passed from one January 1777 to one August 1779
S/ Ab. Crump [Abner Crump]