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Bounty Land Warrant information relating to Moses Morris VAS758 Transcribed by Will Graves

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[From bounty land records in the Library of Virginia]

The bearer hereof Moses Morris Soldier in the state Artillery having duly served his time out agreeable to enlistment except a few days which was prevented by sickness and is excused on that Occasion – and is hereby discharged the service. Given under my hand this 11th day of December 1780

S/ Elias Edmonds, Lieutenant Colonel

Copy Auditor's Office November 6th 1783 S/ Charles Jones, Clerk

King William. I do hereby Certified Moses Morris entered under Capt. Henry Quarles of the [indecipherable word] in the service of this State for the term of three years and took the oath prescribed by law. Witness my hand this 10th day of August 1777

S/ Jno. Ouarles

A copy Auditor's Office 11 November 1783 S/ Cha. Jones, Clk.

[badly damaged document which appears to be an assignment signed by Moses Morris

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