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Bounty Land Warrant of John Hughs (Hughes) BLWt1390-100 Transcribed and annotated by C. Leon Harris

BOUNTY LANDS

FOR REVOLUTIONARY SERVICES-INDIVIDUAL APPLICATION.

District OF Columbia } SS. County of Alexandria }

I, John Hughes aged seventy two years, do, upon oath, testify and declare, that about or in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven I enlisted or entered the service as a private for the term of "during the war," in the regiment, commanded by Col. [Abraham] Buford and afterwards served in the same regiment under the command of Colonel Buford and that I continued in the service aforesaid until the close of the war, when I was regularly discharged from the regiment, commanded by Colonel [blank] of the Virginia line, and when I was a private – and that I was discharged in due form

I further declare, that I have never received a warrant for the Bounty Land promised to me on the part of the United States; nor have I ever assigned or transferred my claim in any manner whatsoever: [Power of attorney follows.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal this [illegible] day of October A. D. 1828 [signed] John Hughs