William Lee a trumpeter in the first Regiment of Light Dragoons do hereby authorize George Rice of Frederick County to Settle with the Auditors of Public Accounts for the State of Virginia or any other Legal authority for all my pay which is or may be due to me for my services in the aforesaid Son [sic] Regt. and I further do empower the aforesaid George Rice to receive my warrant for my Bounty of Land either State or Continental Bounty of Land and he is hereby authorised to act and do for me in any wise in the aforesaid matter as though I was present myself. Given under my hand the 15th day of August 1783

S/ William Lee
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S/ James Anderson, X his mark