

WHEREAS, The General Assembly believes we can do no less for the unemployed Vietnam veteran; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, by the General Assembly of Maryland, that the Congress of the United States is strongly urged to enact H.R. 7834 ~~which guarantees an unemployed Vietnam veteran a benefit of \$75 per week for a maximum of 52 weeks,~~ and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States by the Secretary of the Senate.

Approved May 5, 1972.

No. 19

(Senate Joint Resolution 26)

Senate Joint Resolution requesting the ~~President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House to appoint a joint committee composed of members of the Senate and the House of Delegates~~ LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, BY ITS APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE to review all exemptions permitted under the State Retail Sales Tax Law and to report ~~their~~ THE findings and recommendations to the ~~Legislative Council of Maryland.~~ GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

WHEREAS, The Maryland Retail Sales Tax Act permits many sales tax exemptions under Section 326 of Article 81 of the Annotated Code of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, Many of these exemptions may be inequitable or outdated; and

WHEREAS, An example of the confusing status of some exemptions is the different treatment given to the sale of meals, food or drinks depending upon the place of consumption; and

WHEREAS, A thorough study of the sales tax exemptions would serve to clear up any possible inequities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the ~~President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House are hereby requested to appoint a joint committee to review~~ LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IS HEREBY REQUESTED TO REVIEW, BY THE APPROPRIATE COMMITTEE OF THE COUNCIL, all sales tax exemptions, and to report ~~their~~ THE findings and recommendations to the ~~Legislative Council of Maryland;~~ GENERAL ASSEMBLY; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the Honorable William S. James, President of the Senate, and to the Honorable Thomas Hunter Lowe, Speaker of the House.

Approved May 5, 1972.