

~~RESOLVED, That Congress should enact measures required to strengthen basic scientific education for the population in the fields of physics, chemistry, biological research, agronomy, plus engineering and related professional skills; and be it further~~

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resclution be sent to the Maryland Congressional Delegation: Senators Charles McC. Mathias, Jr. and Paul S. Sarbanes, Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510; and Representatives Robert E. Bauman, Clarence D. Long, Barbara A. Mikulski, Marjorie S. Holt, Gladys N. Spellman, Goodloe E. Byron, Parren J. Mitchell, and Newton I. Steers, Jr., House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Approved May 17, 1977.

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No. 39

(House Joint Resolution 82)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Energy - Conversion to Coal

FOR the purpose of requesting the Governor to appoint a task force to study the cost and feasibility of converting oil and natural gas heating systems in public buildings to system which employ coal to generate heat for the buildings.

WHEREAS, The oil and natural gas resources of the United States and the State of Maryland are extremely limited; and

WHEREAS, The limited oil and natural gas resources that do exist are being rapidly depleted; and

WHEREAS, The State of Maryland should take all available measures in order to conserve these precious energy resources; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Governor is requested to appoint a task force to determine the cost and feasibility of converting oil and natural gas heating systems in public buildings to systems which employ coal to generate heat for the buildings; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force report to the Governor