

for its object the employment of prison labor for the production of War supplies, enacted into law immediately as a war measure.

*Resolved, further,* That the Secretary of the Senate is directed to send a copy of this Resolution, properly certified, to the two United States Senators from the State of Maryland; and the Chief Clerk of the House of Delegates is ordered to forward a copy of this Resolution, properly certified, to each of the six members of Congress in the House of Representatives from the State of Maryland.

Approved April 10th, 1918.

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NO. 14.

JOINT RESOLUTION of the General Assembly of Maryland requesting and directing the State Librarian to furnish the Department of Legislative Reference copies of the fourth volume of Bagby's Annotated Code of Maryland.

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the Department of Legislative Reference to keep its collection of the codes and laws of other States up to date, if it is to be of the greatest service to the members of the General Assembly and to the State officials; and

WHEREAS, the department has very limited funds with which to buy books and other equipment; and

WHEREAS, the Budget Bill contains an appropriation for the purchase of four hundred (400) volumes of the fourth volume of Bagby's Annotated Code of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, all of these copies will not be needed for distribution to the several State departments and officials; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Legislative Reference could use copies of this volume for exchange with other States for supplements to their codes or the later session laws; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the State Librarian be and is hereby requested and directed to place at the disposal of the Executive of the Department of Legislative Reference, not exceeding forty-seven (47) copies