

appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, to confer with a like committee on the part of the General Assembly of Virginia, and to form and report such a law as will settle the question under consideration.

*Be it Resolved*, That this Joint Resolution shall take effect from the date of its passage.

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No. 10.

Relating to the protection of the rights of Maryland and its citizens in the Pocomoke Sound.

WHEREAS, The State of Virginia in derogation of the rights of the State of Maryland has been and is wrongfully assuming and exercising jurisdiction over the waters of the State of Maryland, in Pocomoke Sound, and through its police authorities preventing citizens of Maryland from taking oysters and exercising other rights of fishery in the waters of said Pocomoke Sound, within the boundaries of the State of Maryland, and has driven citizens of Maryland engaged in catching oysters and exercising other rights of fishery, from said waters and precluded them from their just rights in the premises;

*Now, therefore, be it resolved jointly by the House of Delegates and the Senate of the General Assembly of Maryland*, That it is the duty of the State of Maryland to protect its territory and waters and the rights of the citizens therein, and particularly to protect the rights of its citizens to catch and take oysters and to exercise their rights of fishery in Pocomoke Sound, aforesaid, and that to the end that the territory and waters of the State, and the said rights of the citizens of Maryland therein shall be fully protected, it is hereby recommended by the General Assembly that the Governor of the State of Maryland take such steps upon the part and on behalf of the State of Maryland as shall effectually protect and secure the rights of the State and of its citizens in the premises.

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No. 11.

Of the General Assembly of Maryland directing the State Librarian to furnish the People's Court of Baltimore City with certain books and records now in the State Library.

*Be it Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the State Librarian be authorized and directed to furnish the People's Court of Baltimore City with one set of the Maryland