days after the appointment of said Committee; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the appreciation and gratitude of the members of the General Assembly be and they are hereby extended to Senator P. G. Stromberg, Chairman of the Joint Committee on Mental Hospitals; to Mr. Tyler, Vice-Chairman, and to Messrs. Balch, Della, Ellison, Kimble, Turnbull, Barnes, Bloom, Burch, Ramsburg and Robinson, members of said Committee, and Dr. Elwyn A. Mauck, Secretary, for their constant devotion to duty and indefatigable work in completing this monumental task and their efforts to solve this great problem confronting the State.

Approved April 22, 1949.

NO. 11

(Senate Joint Resolution 15)

Joint Resolution requesting the Governor to appoint a commission to study the laws of Maryland requiring licenses to engage in a trade or occupation.

Whereas, numerous acts heretofore passed by the General Assembly relate to the requirement of obtaining licenses before engaging in certain trades or occupations; and

Whereas, it appears that a license procured in one political subdivision of the State authorizing the holder thereof to carry on a trade or occupation is not recognized in other political subdivisions; and

Whereas, it is deemed necessary to study said laws with a view to eliminating unnecessary duplications and facilitating the enjoyment throughout the State of the privileges thereby conferred; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Governor be and he is hereby requested to appoint a commission, of such number as he shall determine, to study said licensing laws and to submit its report and recommendations to the Governor and Legislative Council on or before November 1, 1949 and to the General Assembly at the beginning of its next regular session.

Approved April 22, 1949.