

WHEREAS, it is also believed that it would be more desirable to limit the hunting of wild waterfowl to three days each week, and to be between sunrise and sunset; now therefore be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, U. S. Dept. of the Interior, be and he is hereby requested to modify the regulations governing the hunting of wild waterfowl in Maryland by providing that the open season for hunting wild waterfowl in Maryland shall be from November 15 each year until January 15 of the following year, that the hunting of wild waterfowl be limited to three days each week during said open season, and between sunrise and sunset; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the Secretary of State be and he is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution, under the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, to the Director of the Fish and Wildlife Service, U. S. Dept. of the Interior, Washington, D. C.

Approved April 22, 1949.

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NO. 16

(House Joint Resolution 5)

Joint Resolution relating to poisonous fumes discharged by industrial plants.

WHEREAS, one of the evils attendant upon the development of an urban industrialized society is the discharge of obnoxious and sometimes poisonous gases by large factories; and

WHEREAS, these conditions exist in a number of areas of the State of Maryland, particularly in parts of South and East Baltimore and also in other industrialized communities in the State; and

WHEREAS, at times these fumes have actually burned holes in the clothing of workers, etched glass windows, pitted paints, corroded metal and killed trees, plants and shrubs; and

WHEREAS, on some occasions employees and workers in these areas have been so badly affected by these fumes that work has had to be suspended; and

WHEREAS, the dangers inherent in such conditions are vividly illustrated by the recent disaster in the small com-