Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the State Planning Commission be and it is hereby directed immediately to study existing and potential parks and recreation areas throughout the State and develop a master plan for their future development, and it is hereby further directed to study the lack of policy and program of the State Roads Commission in the matter of the development of a continuing program for the building of access roads to State parks and recreational facilities, and make recommendations as to whether that Commission or some other agency should be charged with the responsibility for development of such a program, and that funds be made available to the Commission for the employment of technical personnel to make such a study and master plan; and be it further

Resolved, That the State Planning Commission be and it is hereby directed to submit a report of said study and plan to the Governor and the General Assembly of Maryland, no later than December 31, 1951.

Approved May 7, 1951.

No. 16

(House Joint Resolution 9)

House Joint Resolution recommending that a commission be appointed by the Governor to study the question raised by and to report on the pyramiding of Federal, State and Local taxes.

Whereas, the pyramiding of Federal, State and Local taxes constitutes a vexatious problem which overburdens the tax-payer and imposes hardship upon the budget authorities at Federal, State and Local governmental levels; and

Whereas, in Maryland the general power to tax has been exclusive with the State government and Local governments had formerly been delegated only those powers relating to licensing and to taxing real and tangible personal property; and

EXPLANATION: Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken out of bill.