WHEREAS, This Commission negotiated and recommended legislation which established the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Regulation Compact; and

WHEREAS, There still are studies and possibilities for action, including the negotiation of a further compact, which makes it advisable that this Commission be continued in the future; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Maryland representatives on the Joint Commission to Study Passenger Carrier Facilities in the Washington Metropolitan Area are continued in their membership; and be it further

Resolved, That the Commonwealth of Virginia and the District of Columbia be requested also to continue the existence and work of the committees appointed from these two jurisdictions; and be it further

Resolved, That the Joint Commission herein continued be requested to continue its studies of the adequacy of passenger carrier facilities and services in the Washington Metropolitan area, negotiate with representatives of Virginia, the District of Columbia and the Federal Government a further compact for the establishment of a permanent organization to provide an adequate system of transportation for the Washington Metropolitan Area, from time to time to report to the several legislative bodies concerned as to the progress of their work, and as to the necessity or desirability of further legislation.

Approved May 3, 1961.

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## (Senate Joint Resolution 13)

Senate Joint Resolution requesting the Legislative Council to continue the work of the Special Committee on Maryland Prison Administration.

In the month of August 1960, the Legislative Council appointed a Special Committee of legislators to study problems involving prison administration in Maryland.

There had been widespread requests for such a study of penal administration. Considering these requests and the progress of the work to date, it is vital that it be continued in order that the Committee may make a final and conclusive report on its work.

The Legislative Council Committee held numerous meetings, including long and detailed hearings in a number of the penal institu-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.