No. 30 (House Joint Resolution 32)

House Joint Resolution calling for a study to be made by the Legislative Council of the problem of the disposition of solid waste materials throughout the State.

WHEREAS, the rapid increase in accumulation of solid waste materials throughout the State of Maryland is becoming a severe economic problem in many areas, and

WHEREAS, the indiscriminate depositing of such refuse along our streets and highways, as well as throughout the countryside is creating an unsightly condition which is repulsive to all of those citizens who are conscious of esthetic values, and

WHEREAS, this problem has been materially aggravated by more economical methods of production in the steel industry which require less scrap metal in the production of steel, and

WHEREAS, this problem will undoubtedly become increasingly worse unless appropriate steps are taken to correct it; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That we request the Legislative Council to make a comprehensive study of the problem of the deposition of solid waste material in the State in order that effective measures can be taken toward alleviating this unsightly blight on our countryside; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Council, in its study, explore the possibility of helping to solve certain problems, such as, but not limited to, shoreline stabilization in our coastal areas through the use of discarded bulk metal for offshore barriers or reefs, in its efforts to find useful as well as adequate methods of disposal of such waste products; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Council is requested to report to the General Assembly prior to the regular session of 1966, so that any recommendations which may require legislative action can be implemented by necessary legislation during that session of the General Assembly; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution is sent to the Chairman and Secretary of the Legislative Council.

Approved May 4, 1965.

No. 31

(House Joint Resolution 33)

House Joint Resolution to create a Cecil County Governmental Study Commission to study the governmental structure of Cecil County, to provide for the appointment and qualifications of its members, to require it to report promptly, and to provide funds for the purposes of the Commission.