

requesting the State Roads Commission of Maryland to officially name the bridge across the Chesapeake Bay as the Wm. Preston Lane, Jr. Memorial Bridge and that the Commission be authorized to place upon such bridge or its approaches appropriate plaques so designating such bridge; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the State Roads Commission of Maryland for action in accordance herewith and that a copy be sent to Mrs. Wm. Preston Lane, Jr., the widow of the late Governor.

Approved May 4, 1967.

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No. 22

(Senate Joint Resolution 40)

Senate Joint Resolution requesting that the Advisory Council for Higher Education give top priority to expedite its development of a master plan for higher education.

The members of the General Assembly of Maryland request the Advisory Council for Higher Education to give every priority to expedite the achievement of a master plan for higher education.

The Advisory Council for Higher Education is charged with the duty of preparing programs for higher education in order that academically, administratively, and fiscally, the state's system of higher education will grow to develop in orderly fashion, continually meeting development trends in population and changing special and technical requirements.

Included within the scope of the Council's studies is the investigation of the needs of the State for undergraduate, graduate, and adult education for professional or technical training, and for research facilities, and for the presentation of the plans and recommendations to establish new facilities and programs.

Acting under these duties and functions, the Advisory Council for Higher Education has reported to the State of Maryland on its work including a consideration of the development of a master plan for higher education.

In its report, the Advisory Council discussed the problems for developing a master plan for higher education and listed a number of major topical areas which require future study and refining.

The members of the General Assembly are appreciative of the initial efforts of the Advisory Council for Higher Education. Also, they are cognizant of the need for a final development of a master plan and are requesting that the Advisory Council give every priority and consideration to a prompt completion of the master plan.

In this way, the concepts and development of higher education in the State of Maryland may move forward on an orderly and planned schedule of achievement, now, therefore, be it