

No. 65

(House Joint Resolution 18)

House Joint Resolution commending various individuals and organizations for their work in promoting the State of Maryland.

WHEREAS, Maryland is becoming increasingly recognized as a tourist mecca because of its many historic and cultural centers; and

WHEREAS, It requires devotion and interest to develop and preserve these many attractions and to encourage Maryland residents as well as those from out of state to visit them; and

WHEREAS, The increase in tourism throughout the State benefits the residents of Maryland and contributes to the State's welfare; and

WHEREAS, Those individuals and organizations who have contributed to the promotion and development of the State should be commended for their work; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the House of Delegates* GENERAL ASSEMBLY of Maryland, That it commends the following individuals and organizations for their contributions to the State of Maryland: The National Geographic and Mr. Herbert Henderson for developing tourist services at the Geographic's Membership Headquarters in Montgomery County; Mr. Matthew Witenstein for his efforts to generate an interest in tourism throughout the State; and Mr. Ted Giles for his efforts on behalf of Talbot County; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the ~~House of Delegates~~ GENERAL ASSEMBLY of Maryland commends the Carroll County Commissioners for their efforts to develop significant tourist attractions, and the Philadelphia Gas and Electric Company for its work in providing tourist facilities at the Conowingo Dam site; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the ~~House of Delegates~~ GENERAL ASSEMBLY of Maryland commends Judge Daniel T. Prettyman for his work in encouraging the preservation of historic landmarks in Worcester County and Mayor John Howard Burbage for his contributions to tourism; and be it further

*Resolved,* That the ~~House of Delegates~~ GENERAL ASSEMBLY of Maryland commends the Donnelly Advertising Company and Mr. Philip Kershner for placing "Welcome to Baltimore" signs throughout the city and Mr. James Rogers for his untiring efforts to attract tourist related industries to Maryland; and be it further

RESOLVED, THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND COMMENDS DAVE GORDON OF GORDON'S ORLEANS STREET FOR HIS PROMOTION OF MARYLAND CRAB SPECIALTIES AT THE SAN FRANCISCO CRAB COOKING OLYMPICS IN MAY 1969, AT WHICH EVENT HE WAS AWARDED FOUR TROPHIES.

*Resolved,* That copies of this Resolution be sent to all organizations and individuals commended in this Resolution.

Approved April 28, 1970.