

JOINT RESOLUTIONS

No. 1

(Senate Joint Resolution 4)

A Senate Joint Resolution concerning

Wild Waterfowl Stamps

FOR the purpose of requesting the Honorable Rogers C. B. Morton, Secretary of the United States Department of the Interior, to adopt the policy and practice that all purchasers of wild waterfowl stamps in the State of Maryland will be furnished by the seller of the stamps with a booklet or list of all Federal regulations relating to the hunting, taking and disposition of wild waterfowl.

WHEREAS, The Federal Government has seen fit to regulate the hunting of ducks, geese and all wild waterfowl in order to protect and preserve these birds; and

WHEREAS, As a part of this system of regulation, hunters of waterfowl must buy wild waterfowl stamps or duck stamps in order to legally hunt and take these birds; and

WHEREAS, The Maryland hunter, after the purchase of his wild waterfowl stamps, may still be unaware of the many Federal regulations governing the hunting, taking and disposition of waterfowl, and may inadvertently break the law; and

WHEREAS, These regulations are promulgated by the United States Department of the Interior, which is headed by the Honorable Rogers C. B. Morton; and

WHEREAS, The State of Maryland has adopted the policy and practice of supplying, free to every purchaser of a Maryland hunting license, a booklet of all Maryland laws and regulations relating to hunting, so that the Maryland hunter is fully informed as to his duties as a hunter; and

WHEREAS, The Department of the Interior could logically follow the fine practice of the State of Maryland by supplying a booklet or list of all Federal regulations relating to the hunting, taking and disposition of wild waterfowl to every purchaser of a wild waterfowl stamp in the State of Maryland; now,