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(House Joint Resolution 38)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Aberdeen Proving Ground

FOR the purpose of urging the U.S. Department of the Army and the Secretary of Defense to refrain from removing any operations from the Aberdeen Proving Ground.

WHEREAS, Aberdeen Proving Ground is a viable, thriving and necessary military installation; and

WHEREAS, Aberdeen Proving Ground provides a vital segment of the economy of Harford County and the State of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, The loss of any part of this installation would be extremely detrimental to both the town of Aberdeen and the whole of Harford County and the State of Maryland; and

WHEREAS, Those persons employed at Aberdeen Proving Ground are dedicated, conscientious citizens of Harford County, the State of Maryland and the United States; and

WHEREAS, The citizens and elected officials of Harford County most vigorcusly object to and deplore the possible loss of any part of Aberdeen Proving Ground; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the State of Maryland hereby most strongly urges the U.S. Department of the Army and the Secretary of Defense to refrain from removing any operations from this valuable installation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the State of Maryland forward copies of this Resolution to the following:

Hon. Charles McC. Mathias, Jr. Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Hon. J. Glenn Beall, Jr. Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Hon. Robert E. Bauman