

Legislative 9General Assembly in December 1976; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That this Body requests the [[Governor to appoint a Study Commission]] [[Consumer Council of the Division of Consumer Protection, Office of Attorney General]], Governor to appoint a Study Commission to examine retail industry advertising sales standards and procedures in the State of Maryland; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the [[Governor of the State of Maryland]] [[Consumer Council of the Division of Consumer Protection, Office of Attorney General]] Governor to appoint a Study Commission; Retail Merchant's Association, [[15 School Street,]] Annapolis, Maryland; and the Maryland Chamber of Commerce.

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(House Joint Resolution No. 15)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Energy Conservation

FOR the purpose of requesting the Governor to establish a committee to design a program to conserve energy by the State government.

WHEREAS, Sources of energy are a basic unit of survival for these United States to continue as a free, powerful, progressive and industrial nation; and

WHEREAS, The cost of energy resources has increased drastically over the past three years and will continue to increase for the foreseeable future; and

WHEREAS, This nation is unable at the present to sustain its energy needs with its own resources, and imports more than 25 percent of its energy resources from abroad; and

WHEREAS, Dependence on foreign nations for energy resources is inherently dangerous to the safety and survival of this nation since the foreign nations are unpredictable in their supply of energy resources; and

WHEREAS, Research and development of alternate sources of energy has not realized a program to lessen this dependence on foreign nations for our energy; and