

RESOLVED, That the State Board of Education provide a progress report on the findings and programs to the ~~Maryland General Assembly's~~ Legislative Policy Committee prior to the 1978 session; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be sent to the Honorable ~~Jerome Frampton, Jr.~~ Richard Schifter, President, State Board of Education, and the Honorable David W. Hornbeck, State Superintendent of Schools, Department of Education, P. O. Box 8717, Baltimore, Maryland 21240 for distribution to the Commissioner of Baltimore City Public Schools and each local Superintendent of Schools.

Approved April 12, 1977.

No. 9

(House Joint Resolution 109)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

State Superintendent of Schools

FOR the purpose of declaring the General Assembly of Maryland's belief that Mr. David W. Hornbeck is eminently qualified to serve as State Superintendent of Schools.

WHEREAS, Article 77, §23 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, which specifies the qualifications of the State Superintendent of Schools, requires that the Superintendent be an experienced and competent educator, be a graduate of a standard college with at least two years of special academic and professional graduate preparation in a standard university, and have at least seven years of experience in teaching and administration; and

WHEREAS, In order to select a new State Superintendent of Schools, the State Board of Education instituted, during the period from February to June, 1976, a nationwide search for an individual possessing the requisite qualifications; and

WHEREAS, The Board carefully reviewed 110 applications for the position of Superintendent and, after this review, personally interviewed 17 of the applicants; and

WHEREAS, The Board determined that from among these