

WHEREAS, In the past, America has always made it a policy to account for all its servicemen and casualties who faithfully served their Country; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the 1977 Maryland General Assembly encourage the Federal Government to exercise every possible means in continuing its efforts to account for each and every one of these MIA's who have so honorably served their Country; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Rescution be sent to the Maryland Congressional Delegation: Senators Charles McC. Mathias, Jr. and Paul S. Sartanes, Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510; and Representatives Robert E. Bauman, Clarence D. Long, Barbara A. Mikulski, Marjorie S. Holt, Gladys N. Spellman, Goodloe E. Byron, Parren J. Mitchell, and Newton I. Steers, Jr., House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Approved May 17, 1977.

No. 30

(House Joint Resolution 36)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Tax Relief - Aged or Disabled Parent
or Relative Home Care

FOR the purpose of directing the Comptroller and the Office on Aging to study the question of providing tax assistance to taxpayers who keep aged or disabled parents or collateral relatives in their homes and provide them with certain care and equipment.

WHEREAS, The special needs and problems of the aged and the disabled are of great concern to the members of the General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, Many taxpayers in this State keep aged or disabled parents or collateral relatives in their homes and provide them with nursing care, hospital beds, oxygen tents, wheel chairs, and other convalescent and nursing supplies; and

WHEREAS, These items are not presently deductible