

has been passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, and shall take effect from the date it is enacted.

Approved May 2, 2006.

CHAPTER 281
(Senate Bill 896)

AN ACT concerning

Commission on the Establishment of a Maryland Women in Military Service Monument

FOR the purpose of establishing a Commission on the Establishment of a Maryland Women in Military Service Monument; providing for the composition and staffing of the Commission; specifying the duties of the Commission; providing certain reimbursement for travel expenses; requiring the Commission to refer to a certain report; requiring the Commission to submit a preliminary report on its findings and recommendations on or before a certain date; requiring the Commission to submit a final report on its findings and recommendations on or before a certain date; providing for the termination of this Act; and generally relating to a Commission on the Establishment of a Maryland Women in Military Service Monument.

Preamble

WHEREAS, Many women of Maryland served in the uniformed forces of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The creation of the Maryland Women in Military Service Monument would recognize those women and ensure that their contributions, dedication, valor, and sacrifice will be remembered and honored; and

WHEREAS, The people of Maryland want to recognize and pay special tribute to the brave women from the State who have served in the military; and

WHEREAS, The people of Maryland want to establish a lasting tribute so that future generations of citizens will note the courage and sacrifice of those Maryland women who served our nation in uniform; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That:

(a) There is a Commission on the Establishment of a Maryland Women in Military Service Monument.

(b) The Commission consists of the following members: