

JOINT RESOLUTIONS

WHEREAS, The Yard at Curtis Bay has become an integral part of the surrounding community and has provided jobs for a large number of Marylanders; and

WHEREAS, The closing of the Yard will result in a significant loss to our community, the layoff of a large number of our citizens, and will have a seriously adverse impact on the economic well-being of Maryland; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Maryland General Assembly supports the respective representatives in the Congress of the United States in taking whatever actions necessary to prevent the closing of the Curtis Bay Coast Guard Yard; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be forwarded by the Department of Legislative Reference to the Honorable William Donald Schaefer, Governor of Maryland; the Honorable Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr., President of the Senate of Maryland; and the Honorable R. Clayton Mitchell, Jr., Speaker of the House of Delegates; and to the Maryland Congressional Delegation: Senators Paul S. Sarbanes and Barbara A. Mikulski, Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510; and Representatives Royden P. Dyson, Helen Delich Bentley, Benjamin L. Cardin, C. Thomas McMillen, Steny H. Hoyer, Beverly B. Byron, Kweisi Mfume, and Constance A. Morella, House Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Signed May 27, 1988.

No. 10

(House Joint Resolution No. 8)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Financial Responsibility of Owners and Operators of
Underground Storage Tanks

FOR the purpose of requesting the United States Environmental Protection Agency to give the State guidelines for the establishment of an adequate State program designed to assist owners and operators of underground storage tanks in meeting the financial responsibility requirement mandated by Subtitle I of the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act and proposed regulations.

WHEREAS, The United States Congress, in order to protect the nation's supply of groundwater, amended the federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) by adding Subtitle I to address the problem of leaking underground storage tanks; and