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*To the Honorable the  
General Assembly of Maryland.*

The Medical faculty of the University of Maryland, beg leave to present their Memorial, and respectfully solicit your legislative action in regard to the Medical Department of the University.

Your Memorialists have recently signified to the Board of Trustees their intention to petition your honorable body for such a modification of the charter of the University as shall admit the Medical Faculty to a limited participation in the government of their particular Faculty. In doing this, they solicited the approbation and co-operation of the Trustees, and requested that any objections which their body might make to the application, should be made known to the Faculty.

The only reply which your Memorialists have received from the Board, comes to them in the shape of a memorial addressed to the Legislature for the purpose of forestalling their petition, before the nature of it is known to your honorable body.

Your Memorialists pray for such a modification of the charter of the University as shall cause the Medical Faculty to constitute one third of the Board of Trustees, the present board consisting of twelve members, and the Faculty of six.

Your Memorialists, however, desire that their functions in the Board may be wholly restricted to the immediate affairs of their own particular Faculty. They desire nei-