

the Governor is requested to extend the term of the Commission on Judicial Reform for one year to April 15, 1975, so that it may complete the work that it has started; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be sent to the Honorable Marvin Mandel, Governor of Maryland.

Approved March 12, 1974.

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No. 3

(House Joint Resolution 36)

A House Joint Resolution concerning

Calvert County - Official County Seal

FOR the purpose of designating the emblem adopted by the County Commissioners of Calvert County as the Official County Seal and requesting the Governor to issue a proclamation recognizing its adoption as the Official Seal of Calvert County.

WHEREAS, The citizens of Calvert County, acknowledging their history, celebrated their Tercentenary in 1954; and

WHEREAS, For that occasion the County Commissioners of Calvert County named a Committee to design an official emblem for the County; and

WHEREAS, Being cognizant of the rich bounty of nature found in Calvert County, the Committee determined that an overflowing cornucopia would best depict said bounty; and

WHEREAS, Wishing to acknowledge the importance of the County's historic, and present day, major money crop, it was determined to signify said crop by a tobacco leaf; and

WHEREAS, Drawing attention to the County's magnificent location between the colorful Chesapeake Bay and placid Patuxent River, they symbolized this Pleasant Peninsula with an oyster shell surrounded by rope and anchors; and

WHEREAS, Realizing that Calvert County has the privilege of being a part of the Great State of Maryland, they chose to superimpose upon the rope some Black-eyed Susans, Maryland's Official State Flower, which grows