- (10) One representative of the American Association of State Colleges and Universities;
- (11) One representative of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges; and
  - (12) One representative of the Southern Regional Education Board; and
- (12) (13) (10) Five Four Five members of the public appointed by the Governor; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the chairman of the task force shall be appointed by the Governor after consultation with the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force shall solicit the views of the Board of Regents of the University System of Maryland, the members of the Board of Visitors of the constituent institutions of the University System of Maryland, the members of the Maryland Higher Education Commission, and leading national experts in higher education, including the American Association of State Colleges and Universities, the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges, and the Southern Regional Education Board; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force shall engage the services of the Association of Governing Boards of Colleges and Universities to report on: (1) the governance structure of the University System of Maryland; (2) the governance structure of other public university systems around the country, particularly those with flagship institutions; and (3) what changes in the governance structure may be necessary to bring the University System of Maryland into national eminence among public university systems; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force shall engage the services of the Education Commission of the States to conduct a study of the current and future funding needs of the constituent institutions of the University System of Maryland to assist each institution in reaching its stated mission and goals, including a history of State funding prior to the formation of the University System of Maryland in 1988 and during the ten years of its existence; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the task force report its findings and recommendations to the General Assembly and Governor and, in accordance with § 2-1246 of the State Government Article, to the General Assembly by October 15, 1998 January 1, 1999; and be it further

RESOLVED, That staff for the task force shall be provided by the Department of Legislative Services, and that notice of each meeting of the task force be made public by delivering a copy of the meeting notice to the Legislative Information Officer, Room B-6, Department of Legislative Services, Legislative Services Building, 90 State Circle, Annapolis, Maryland 21401-1991. The notice should be delivered no later than Tuesday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. for inclusion in the weekly Hearing Schedule; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this Resolution be forwarded by the Department of