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RESOLUTION CONCERNING
CARRYING CONCEALED FIREARMS
IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND

40 WHEREAS: In the state of Maryland, one must be of twenty-one years of age to purchase a
50 handgun; and,

60 WHEREAS: One must already pass a background check; and,

70 WHEREAS: Applicants must wait for a period of seven to fourteen days; and,

80 WHEREAS: In the state of Maryland, one must apply for a special permit to carry a
90 concealed firearm; and,

100 WHEREAS: Permits to carry a concealed firearm are only granted to those persons whose
110 jobs depend on the use of the concealed firearm.

120 WHEREAS: In some states permits are given to those who apply; and,

130 WHEREAS: In other states permits are not needed to carry concealed firearms; and,

140 WHEREAS: The United States Constitution reads, "the right of the people to keep and bear
160 arms;" and,

170 WHEREAS: "These rights shall not be infringed."

180 THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED: That the Maryland Student Legislature urges the Maryland
190 General Assembly to allow all legal handgun owners to be permitted to carry
200 concealed firearms if the individual chooses to.

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