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10 **A RESOLUTION CONCERNING MAKING COCA-COLA MARYLAND'S**
20 **OFFICIAL SOFT DRINK**

30 **WHEREAS:** Coca-Cola has extensive history when it was made in 1885. The
40 prohibition movement was beginning and legislation was passed in
50 several areas. This future powerhouse was developed as a substitute
60 of French Wine Cola.

70 **WHEREAS:** It also has a refreshing taste, and the originality of the drink deserves
80 to be honored.

90 **WHEREAS:** It would bring our state closer together as a whole because a mass
100 majority of people drink Coca-Cola, and it is used in many
110 ceremonial events Maryland is subject to.

120 **WHEREAS:** It will bring down the prices of Coca-Cola would encourage the
130 consumption of this wonderful drink, and the increased demand
140 would mean more people would be able to afford it.

150 **WHEREAS:** It is possible with the passing of this legislation that new jobs would
160 be brought into Maryland because the Coca-Cola company would
170 feel like it has to represent itself more then previous times.

180 **WHEREAS:** Its purpose would continue to bring about less alcohol consumption
190 because people would feel they have to represent Maryland by
200 consuming more Coca-Cola.

210 **WHEREAS:** In 1935 it was certified kosher by Rabbi Tobias Geffen because
220 Coca-Cola made changes in their recipes so Jewish people could
230 partake in this now ethnically sensitive area.

240 **WHEREAS:** Coca-Cola concentrate (syrup) is currently still sold in stores for
250 people with upset stomachs.

260 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Maryland Student Legislature
270 recommends the Maryland General Assembly to pass legislation to
280 make Coca-Cola the new official soft drink of Maryland.

290 **MANDATES:** Martin O'Malley, Governor, State of Maryland
300 Thomas V. Mike Miller, Jr., President, Maryland State Senate
310 Michael E. Busch, Speaker, Maryland House of Delegates
320 Edward J. Kasemeyer, Majority Leader, Maryland State Senate
330 David R. Brinkly, Minority Leader, Maryland State Senate
340 Kumar P. Barve, Majority Leader, Maryland House of Delegates
350 Anthony J. O'Donnell, Minority Leader, Maryland House of Delegates

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