

## 'Article

'Section 1. The District constituting the seat of Government of the United States shall appoint in such manner as the Congress may direct:

'A number of electors of President and Vice President equal to the whole number of Senators and Representatives in Congress to which the District would be entitled if it were a State, but in no event more than the least populous State; they shall be in addition to those appointed by the States, but they shall be considered, for the purposes of the election of President and Vice President, to be electors appointed by a State; and they shall meet in the District and perform such duties as provided by the twelfth article of amendment.

'Sec. 2. The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation' ”.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

That the said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States is hereby ratified by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota.

The Secretary of State is directed to forward copies of this resolution to the presiding officer of the Senate of the United States and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States and that he transmit an official notice of this resolution to the Secretary of State of the United States as provided by the law of this State.

Approved February 6, 1961.

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RESOLUTION No. 2—S. F. No. 604

*A resolution memorializing the President and the Congress of the United States to provide for safe standards of automobile vehicle design and safety devices and the enforcement of such standards in the automotive industry.*

WHEREAS, one and one-half million Americans are killed or injured in motor vehicle crashes annually; and

WHEREAS, various research projects have proven that a major part of these deaths and injuries could have been prevented by proper vehicle design standards and safety devices for automobiles; and

WHEREAS, the motor vehicle is the subject of and the instrument of interstate commerce and therefore the proper subject of Federal regulation;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota that the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States be requested to enact such legislation as may be necessary to provide for safety standards for automotive vehicle design and safety devices and for the enforcement of such standards in the automotive industry.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota be instructed to transmit copies of this resolution to the President of the United States and to each member of Congress from the State of Minnesota.

Approved March 9, 1961.

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RESOLUTION No. 3—S. F. No. 122

*A resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact laws to permit the free flow of dairy products.*

WHEREAS, the economy of the State of Minnesota is based to a large degree upon its large and productive dairy industry; and

WHEREAS, production of pure and wholesome dairy products in the State of Minnesota exceeds the consumption in the state; and

WHEREAS, certain dairy interests in the eastern markets have been instrumental in the erection of artificial milk barriers under the guise of health barriers which inhibit the free flow of milk and dairy products from the productive areas of the midwest; and

WHEREAS, it would be to the mutual interest of the midwestern producer and eastern consumers to have federal health standards for milk and dairy products which would be uniform throughout the nation;