

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

Legislative Session _____ 1990

Resolution No. _____ CR-7-1990

Proposed by _____ Council Member Cicoria

Introduced by _____ Council Member Cicoria

Co-Sponsors _____

Date of Introduction _____ February 13, 1990

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION concerning

County Publications - Drug Education

FOR the purpose of encouraging the County Executive to dedicate at least ten percent of publication space in **Prince George's County Today** and **The Employee Connection** for articles concerning hazards of addictive drugs, especially crystal methamphetamine.

WHEREAS, Prince George's County publishes and distributes to every household within the County a newsletter publication known as **Prince George's County Today**; and

WHEREAS, Prince George's County each month publishes and distributes to every County employee a newsletter publication known as **The Employee Connection**; and

WHEREAS, the most important factor in controlling the demand for illegal addictive drugs is the education of the general

population; and

WHEREAS, a particularly menacing crystal form of methamphetamine called "ice", "quartz" and "glass" has been introduced to this country which causes severe psychological addition, psychosis, paranoia leading to violent behavior, deep depression, irregular heartbeat and respiration, convulsions, weight loss, insomnia and kidney damage.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Council of Prince George's County, Maryland, that available publishing resources should be used to educate employees and citizens of Prince George's County to the hazards of using addictive drugs to the fullest extent possible.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that at least ten percent of the space of the County-published newsletters with comprehensive distribution, **Prince George's County Today** and **The Employee Connection**, should be used to provide drug education information to employees and citizens.

Adopted this _____ day of _____, 1990.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF PRINCE
GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND

BY: _____
Jo Ann T. Bell
Chairman

ATTEST:

Jean M. Schmuhl, CMC
Clerk of the Council