## MEDCHI, THE MARYLAND STATE MEDICAL SOCIETY HOUSE OF DELEGATES

**Resolution 3-15** 

## INTRODUCED BY: Public Health Committee

SUBJECT: Request the Bylaws Council to study the possibility of creating a Public Health Council

Whereas, issues frequently confront the physician community that fall into the realm of public
health; and
health; and

- 4 Whereas, these issues are among the most complex and deserving of detailed scrutiny as any
- 5 confronting MedChi and the physician community; and
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- Whereas, MedChi has had a Public Health Committee for many years providing advice and
- 8 guidance to MedChi leadership on public health issues; and
- 10 Whereas, MedChi would benefit by having a voice representing public health "at the table" at
- every Board of Trustees meeting and this could best be accomplished by creating a Public Health
- 12 Council with a seat on the Board of Trustees like other councils; therefore be it
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- 14 Resolved, that the Board of Trustees of MedChi request that the Bylaws Council study the
- 15 possibility of amending the MedChi Bylaws to create a MedChi "Public Health Council" with
- 16 representation on the Board of Trustees and report its conclusions back to the House of Delegates
- in September 2015.
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As approved by the House of Delegates at its meeting on April 25, 2015.