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

Whereas, these issues are among the most complex and deserving of detailed scrutiny as any confronting MedChi and the physician community; and

Whereas, MedChi has had a Public Health Committee for many years providing advice and guidance to MedChi leadership on public health issues; and

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 Council with a seat on the Board of Trustees like other councils; therefore be it

Resolved, that the Board of Trustees of MedChi request that the Bylaws Council study the possibility of amending the MedChi Bylaws to create a MedChi “Public Health Council” with representation on the Board of Trustees and report its conclusions back to the House of Delegates in September 2015.

As approved by the House of Delegates at its meeting on April 25, 2015.