

OPPOSITION TO POLL TAX - 1947

Whereas, the members of the Executive Board of the National Federation of Temple Sisterhoods, assembled in annual session, view with concern the denial of voting privileges to men and women who are unable to meet payment of a prescribed Poll Tax,

Therefore, be it resolved, that this body urges the Congress of the United States to adopt a National Anti Poll Tax Bill, uniformly outlawing this practice. In accordance with the democratic concepts of liberty and equality, this Board urges that the vote throughout all the States of the United States, in Local, State and National elections, be extended to citizens of legal age without the imposition of financial requirements.