

the Board to state in writing the reasons for any rejection of an application or any revocation or limitation of a permit. Senate Bill 194 differs from House Bill 506, however, in that the former, on its face, would require a written explanation even in instances where the Board determines to grant a permit or otherwise take action favorable to the applicant. This requirement would place what appears to be an unnecessary and, possibly, unintended additional burden upon the Board.

Because House Bill 506 accomplishes the same basic purpose, and is the preferable bill, I have decided to veto Senate Bill 194.

Sincerely,

/s/ Marvin Mandel
Governor

Senate Bill No. 370 - Pinball Machines in Four Counties

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 19(5) of Article 56 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1972 Replacement Volume), title "Licenses," subtitle "Pinball Machines and Console Machines," and to add new Subsection 19(5)(E) to same. To ll authorize the licensing of free play and console pinball machines in certain counties of the State, and to impose additional license fees therein in Anne Arundel County.

Honorable William S. James
President of the Senate
State House
Annapolis, Maryland 21404

June 1, 1973.

Dear Mr President:

In accordance with Article II, Section 17, of the Maryland Constitution, I have today vetoed Senate Bill 370.

This bill would authorize the licensing and operation of free play and console pinball machines in four counties and impose certain license fees. In Anne Arundel County, which is one of the four, the license fee would be in lieu of that now imposed by the County for pinball machines.

The County Executive of Anne Arundel County has requested that I veto Senate Bill 370 because, inter alia, the fee established by the bill for Anne Arundel County could entail additional, substantial costs to the county. For the reasons given in the attached copy of the County Executive's letter, which is to be considered a part of this message, I believe Senate Bill 370 should be vetoed.

Sincerely,

/s/ Marvin Mandel
Governor

Letter from County Executive of Anne Arundel County on Senate Bill No. 370

May 31, 1973

Honorable Marvin Mandel
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